

The Three Munsee Sisters Farm which is located in Sussex County, has volunteer opportunities available on Saturdays and Sundays.

Our parish has connections to the Ramapough Munsee through our previous week-long services of VBS at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Ringwood.

Our Outreach team was wondering if anyone is interested in volunteering for this opportunity. Once we have identified if there is enough interest we can reach out for collaboration with other nearby churches including the Church of the Good Shepherd in Ringwood. So, beyond our Harriet Tubman network we can also reach out to Constance and Her Companions network also.

Envision a program where we pack a picnic lunch or snacks for our work break for some story telling. Each of us are reminded of Native American neighbors as we walk by the wonderful educational display in the main hallway of our Parish. As the Social Justice Team experienced in the Sacred Ground series, no better way to learn and educate than to reach out and listen to the story telling.

If field work is not for you can learn more by viewing resources provided by the United Nations. The United Nations annually celebrates the [International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples](https://www.un.org/en/observances/indigenous-day) on [August 9](https://www.un.org/en/observances/indigenous-day) <https://www.un.org/en/observances/indigenous-day>. They also have a free course to explore <https://www.ohchr.org/en/indigenous-peoples/e-learning-tool-rights-indigenous-peoples>. You can also learn by exploring this interactive map <https://native-land.ca/>

For workday offerings you can see the farm volunteer signup sheet. They have slots for 10 people. It is offered all Saturdays and Sundays through October 8.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0b4ba9ab28a2f85-munsee#/>

You can learn more about the farm from their video from a couple years ago <https://youtu.be/WIyoNLddxg> which towards the end shares their story and vision and message.

Contact Julie at juliekayecrawford@gmail.com if you are interested by Sunday July 16th so the planning can begin