



The first Hospitality of the Americas,
Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality
North American Volunteers,
is a Public Association
of the Christian Faithful,
tax-exempt 501(c) 3 charity
founded as a non-profit in 2002:

*“To extend the invitation of
the Immaculate Conception
as given to Bernadette
in the Grotto at Lourdes;
to serve the sick and suffering
at Lourdes and at home
following the loving example
of St. Bernadette in simplicity,
humility and obedience.”*



Fifteen times each year our
Volunteer, Youth Catechesis with Service
and Special Needs Pilgrimages
join millions of international pilgrims
from around the world at Lourdes.

Guided Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experiences
bring the grace and Message of Lourdes to
tens of thousands annually at home and beyond.

Guadalupe House

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Love makes this house beautiful...

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An American Oasis of Hospitality in Lourdes



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“Our American Home-Away-From-Home”



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Guadalupe House

Our historic Guadalupe House overlooks the doorway where on the March 25, 1858 Feast Day, St. Bernadette Soubirous told Abbé Peyramale the identity of the beautiful lady appearing in the Grotto as “I am the Immaculate Conception.”



This spacious 5,000 square foot residence is well suited to meet the needs of the first American Lourdes Hospitality. Guadalupe House will be the home and office to members of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers.

Home Amenities

Guadalupe House will accommodate Association members offering:

- gracious courtyard
- welcome area and living room
- spacious fully equipped kitchen
- dining room and a large dining area
- 8 large en-suite bedrooms
- 9 full bathrooms; 2 half-baths
- laundry and storage facilities
- meeting and private prayer room
- offices with modern technology

On-site with Guadalupe House, St. Juan Diego will be a private separate dwelling for our priests.

Hospitality*

- Volunteers
- Specialized Needs
- Hospice Family Respite
- Home Schooling Families
- Seminarians in Sanctuary Service
- Youth and Young Adult Volunteers
- Priest and Religious Respite-Retreats
- Healing Retreats for Interior Suffering

**Guadalupe House is a private residence available only to Association Members for pilgrimage overnight stays.*



Recognizing the increasing need for an American presence in Lourdes, our home-away-from-home named for the Patroness of the Americas will offer greatly needed accommodations and office space as well as comfortable amenities to our members. This guarantee year-round availability will increase service to our special needs pilgrims and student youth and young adult pilgrimages as well as to our members in service to the Lourdes Sanctuary.

Renovation

The Guadalupe House Renovation Committee has developed the conceptual idea into detailed architectural blueprints, a timeline and budget. A practical project management plan provides oversight throughout the zoning application processes to self-sustaining functional occupancy.



The quaint charm of this French 18th century private home with six functional fireplaces was maintained in the renovation plan. The new reconstruction renovation includes handicapped sensibilities and modernized safety standards by incorporating contemporary needs and comforts within the existing historic charming design.



Make Our House a Home

Please contact us before your travel to arrange a visit and tour of Guadalupe House in Lourdes.

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