

**Farm Hand– Full Time**  
**The Province of St. Joseph of the Capuchin Order**  
**Capuchin Soup Kitchen - Earthworks**

*Inspired by the gospel of Jesus and the example of Francis of Assisi, the Capuchin friars of the Province of St. Joseph, together with our partners in ministry, prayerfully build sister-brotherhood in the world. We attend simply and directly to the spiritual and other basic human needs, especially those of the poor and disenfranchised, promoting justice for all.*

The Earthworks program of the Capuchin Soup Kitchen is currently seeking a Farm Hand. The Farm Hand will work on a variety of tasks within the Earthworks organic farm program including starting seedlings, planting, weeding, harvesting and preparing produce for use in our kitchens. We offer on the job training and a generous benefit package.

Responsibilities:

- Demonstrate, exemplify and support the Capuchin Charism and Provincial Mission, Vision and Values throughout all professional responsibilities and activities
- Assist in managing greenhouse seedlings, planting, washing and storing produce
- Work with staff and volunteers to maintain compost and fields with watering and weeding
- Assist in Earthworks services, programs and activities
- Following sustainable harvesting practices assist with harvest throughout seasons
- Comply with Province and ministry policies, procedures, guidelines and standards

Qualifications: High School Diploma or GED, interest in learning about organic farming, able to use farm hand tools, ability to travel locally, work a flexible scheduled including weekends and holidays, able to lift and move up to 50 pounds.

Interested candidates can apply in any of the follow 3 ways:

1. Pick up an application at the Meldrum Soup Kitchen site.  
**Submit letter of interest and resume to:**
2. [employment@thecapuchins.org](mailto:employment@thecapuchins.org) Include Farm Hand in the subject line.  
(Or)
3. Attention: Human Resources  
Farm Hand  
4390 Conner  
Detroit, MI 48215