

Volunteers registering with us help to reduce Louisiana's debt to the federal government with in-kind contributions at the rate of \$20.25 per volunteer hour.



The people of Louisiana and the United Methodist Church say to all the people who have demonstrated generosity and compassion...

**Thank You!**

**We cannot rebuild without YOU!**

**Take advantage by volunteering!**

**God bless you as you consider registering!**



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**Come**

**Let Us Rebuild**

**Volunteers Needed**

*"Then I said to them, 'You see the trouble we are in, how Jerusalem lies in ruins with its gates burned. Come, let us rebuild the wall of Jerusalem, so that we may no longer suffer disgrace.'"*

**Nehemiah 2:17**

**LA United Methodist Disaster Response**

# Come, Help Us Rebuild

## *A message from the Manager of Volunteers...*

Volunteers like you have been the key element of this vital ministry which is helping to repair and rebuild homes, churches, and lives damaged by the disasters in South Louisiana.

The homes you help repair or rebuild are owned by people and by volunteering this gives you an opportunity to meet the needs of the disaster survivors with the dignity and respect of God's love.

Volunteers are needed and you can make a difference. Just a few hours can change a person's life and yours.

If you represent a business, rotary club, corporation, service club, congregation, or other group, consider helping others by clicking on "I Want to Help" at our website [www.laumcstormrelief.com](http://www.laumcstormrelief.com) or by calling Rev. Yvonne P. Dayries at 225-346-5193.

## *Rebuilding and Recovery*

This work involves painters, carpenters, plumbers, electricians, and other skilled labor. Building skills are important and highly valued; however specialized skills are not required. It helps the rebuilding process when a team has at least one skilled volunteer to every five unskilled volunteers.



## *Preparation Training*

Volunteer team members that are interested in improving their construction skills prior to volunteering can check at Lowe's and Home Depot for free classes on drywall taping and floating, texturing walls, applying molding, installing doors, tiling, and carpeting.



**Hosted more than 64,853 volunteers.  
Provided more than 2.9 million hours  
of labor for a combined value of  
more than \$52 million.**

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