



Newberry Camp July 19 – 24, 2026

Salkehatchie Summer Service is a servant ministry where youth and adults from different walks of life come together to serve our community by repairing homes for those who cannot afford to or are not physically able to do it themselves. Our goal is to make these homes warm, dry, safe, and more comfortable for the families living there while doing so with a Christian attitude and sharing the love and caring of Jesus with these families and their neighbors, many of whom may never have been exposed to His example.

Volunteers are provided opportunities for personal growth and service, as well as spiritual enrichment through evening programs held at the camp. Youth, ages 14 and up, live together for a week. Supervised by adults, they eat, sleep, work, sweat, worship, and play together. Most return home realizing that they have received much more than they have given, and many have made life-changing decisions in regard to their faith, family relations, or career goals. *Salkehatchie is for everyone. You do not have to be a member of or affiliated with the United Methodist Church to register and participate or support this ministry.*

Many ask ... “What can I do?”

- **Join us!** Youth (at least age 14 + by start of camp) and adult volunteers are needed! Skilled adults are especially needed! Online registration opens on March 1. The cost is \$250 and helps to cover the cost of supplies and materials to repair homes during camp.
- **Volunteer!** Local churches and groups help feed us during the week. Can't provide a meal? Monetary donations go a long way to help with a meal.
- **Spread the word!** Take information back to your churches and friends. Salkehatchie is for everyone. You do not have to be a member of or affiliated with the UMC to participate or support our ministry.
- **Donate!** We rely on monetary donations from local churches, businesses, and groups to help with the cost of building supplies. Registration fees cover only a part of what we do, especially with the increase in cost of supplies and materials.
- **Collect!** Bottled Water, Gatorade, Powerade, and Snacks are important to keep volunteers hydrated and energized during the work week. Donations can be dropped at the Central UMC Family Life Center the week before and during camp.
- **Most importantly ... PRAY!** Please pray for our camp, community, and volunteers as we endeavor to carry out our mission.

→ Please contact us with questions or for more information about Salkehatchie Summer Service. ←

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Website

www.newberrysalkehatchie.org
(Our website is filled with information for volunteers!)