

Why We Do What We Do

"All I wanted was a floor in my house so I could move back in. But the Lord sent angels who are doing way more than that," said Mary Wilson. DRS volunteers are in Manning, South Carolina helping Mary and others repair damage from 2015 flooding.

Pray for World Renew Around the World

In Alberta inmates at the Bowden Institution are walking to end hunger by raising funds for a World Renew partner, the Canadian Foodgrains Bank. More than half of the institution's inmates have committed to walking hundreds of kilometers around the prison yard for the annual Walk-a-Thon fundraiser. Pray that God will provide for needy people and encourage these inmates through this opportunity for charity, discipleship, and fellowship.

DRS Managed Reconstruction Sites

Individuals and couples, volunteer for one to three weeks.

- Tarboro, North Carolina
 - Team #4 (11/11-12/2): RV spots open.
 - Team #5 (1/13-2/3): RV spots open.
 - Team #6 (2/3- 2/24): CS needed. Bedrooms and RV spots open.
 - Team #7 (2/24-3/17): OSM & CS needed. Bedrooms and RV spots available.
- San Marcos, Texas
 - Team #3 (11/4-11/25): One RV spot open.
 - Team #4 (11/25-12/9): One RV spot open.
 - Team #5 (1/6-1/27): RV spots open.
 - Team #6 (1/27-2/17): Bedrooms & RVs.
 - Team #7 (2/17- 3/10): OSM & CS needed. Bedrooms & RV spots open.
- Rio Grande Valley, Texas
 - Team #1 (10/7-10/28): With or without RV spots open.
 - Team #2 (10/28-11/18): FULL
 - Team #3 (11/18-12/9): 2 RV spots open. One bedroom open for single male.
 - Team #4 (1/6-1/27): FULL
 - Team #5 (1/27-2/17): Bedrooms & RVs.
 - Team #6 (2/17- 3/10): Bedrooms & RVs.
- Tangipahoa Parish, Louisiana—2018
 - A building crew/prep team will be needed during the first week or two of January to help get the site and living facilities ready for our teams.

-Home repair work is expected to begin January 20 or 27th. We are waiting on more information before we can move forward with scheduling volunteers. Specific dates will be available in the November Opportunity Link.

Group Mission Trips

- Hurricane response: In addition to the clean-up needs in Texas, our partners in Florida are asking for help following Irma. This more likely will be rebuilding. There are opportunities any time going forward. Be in touch as the situation is quite fluid.
- Facilitated group site - South Carolina: Through November 4 we will have World Renew DRS leaders on site hosting group mission trips in Manning, SC. One-week groups of up to 20, as well as couples and individuals, are welcome and needed.
- Other group opportunities: North Carolina, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Missouri, California, and more.
Get started on your winter and spring planning now! Find details worldrenew.net/volunteer.

HURRICANE RESPONSES

Rapid Response

Groups and individuals are needed to help with clean-up and home repairs. Please contact us with your availability.

Needs Assessments

Given the magnitude of recent hurricanes we anticipate quite a few needs assessments in the months ahead. Please contact us with your availability.

Visit worldrenew.net/drs to learn more about the response.

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