



Sierra Service Project

July 11-18, 2026

Sierra Service Project (SSP) has been inspiring youth to put their faith and energy into action across the western US. *UMCTO has been part of this incredible mission for two decades, and this year, we're doubling our impact by sending **two separate teams out to serve!** Our high schoolers are serving in July and our middle schoolers are serving in August.*

6 Ways to Support Our High School Group!

Participate in Church Blessing on 7/5:

Join us during Sunday worship for a special commissioning and blessing of our team.

Send Mail by 7/6:

Send letters to [Name], c/o Sierra Service Project, General Delivery, Crescent City, CA 95531.

BONUS - If it arrives, they have to dance to get it!

Deliver Snacks by 7/9:

Drop off road-trip goodies to the church office.

Show Up at Their Sendoff on 7/11:

Cheer them on at the church parking lot at 7:45 AM.

Pray Ceaselessly from 7/11 to 7/18:

Hold our team in your prayers during their service.

Join Us for SSP Worship & Potluck on 8/23:

Come for a youth-led worship and a post-trip potluck to hear their stories.

UMCTO July 2026 SSP High School Trip Team

Youth - Taylor Bacon, Connor Barwick, Parker Barwick, Johnny Butler, Nick Elsemore, Sydney Elsemore, Sebastian Johnson, Erich Nguyen, Evelyn Pacheco, Elena Park, Ty Phillips

Adults - Michele Ackerman, Patrick Barwick, Tim Snyder