



SEPA Synod  
of the ELCA

# Join the Adventure!

**Summer Mission Trip 2025**



## What We'll Experience

- ✓ 5-night stay in cabins on camp property
- ✓ Sunday dinner through Friday lunch
- ✓ Disaster relief projects Monday - Wednesday
- ✓ All tools and supplies are provided!
- ✓ Fun/Adventure Day on Thursday!
- ✓ Nightly camp fires and activities
- ✓ Evening devotions and reflections
- ✓ Travel by passenger van in one-day trip (Sun & Fri)
- ✓ New connections with others and deeper relationships with your peers and leaders.

## Lutheridge Christian Camp, NC

We're heading to Lutheridge in Arden, NC (near Asheville) to help flood recovery from Hurricane Helene. This ELCA Lutheran Christian Camp sustained significant damages to their property and needs our help with cleanup and reconstruction!

**\$500 per person**  
+ travel costs (~\$200)

**\$50 will save your spot!**



## Trip Dates:

**July 13-18, 2025**

Available for High School Youth: current 8th grade and older, and adults of all ages!

Adults must have clearances on file. Congregations with 3 or more youth should include a registered adult.

\$50 per person to reserve! Registration and payment schedule coming soon.

# Summer Mission Trip to Lutheridge Camp

## Good Things to Know

Dates:	Depart 6:30am, Sunday, July 13 from Christ Lutheran, Harleysville 2211 Mainland Rd, Harleysville Return Friday, July 18 estimated arrival 10pm
Location:	Lutheridge Camp, Arden, NC 2511 Hendersonville Rd, Arden NC 28704
Trip Leaders:	Karolin Brechbill, Christ Lutheran Harleysville <a href="mailto:kbrechbill@christlc.org">kbrechbill@christlc.org</a> Janet Hilsmier, St James Lutheran Limerick <a href="mailto:kidsconnect@stjameslimerick.org">kidsconnect@stjameslimerick.org</a> \$500 per participant for the mission plus travel expenses
Costs:	Travel estimated \$100-200 per person due July 1 (amt to be invoiced before July) Scholarships may be available; please check with your congregation first, then reach out to the trip leaders. Participants can pay by credit/debit card online or by check payable to St James Lutheran Church (Limerick); memo: Summer Mission 25
Payments:	Youth in grades 8 and above College students/Young Adults (age 18-20) *
Who can go?	Adults (21 and over) * Maximum 30 people! Register right away! Register open now through Sunday, April 13, online at <a href="https://bit.ly/sepasummer25">https://bit.ly/sepasummer25</a> or scan the QR.
Forms?	Additional forms for medical insurance, covenant etc will be made available and collected at a later date.



- Travel via 15-passenger vans (driven only by adults 25yrs+)
- Cabins will sleep 10-12 people; housing determined by our group leaders
- Participants need to bring bedding, towels, and personal items
- A packing list will be sent closer to the trip
- Lutheran Disaster Relief will supply tools and organize our workdays
- If we need additional tools/supplies, we will pass that along at the pre-trip meeting
- We'll be planning an adventure day and trips in the area
- A required pre-trip meeting will be scheduled May/June timeframe
- \* Clearances are required for anyone over 18yr. (PA State Police Criminal Background and Childline PA Child Abuse History Clearance) **The link for all clearances and instructions are available at the [pa.gov/keepkidssafe](http://pa.gov/keepkidssafe) website**