



Sustaining Survivors' Long-Term Recovery

The United Methodist Response to the Hurricanes of 2005

After the Headlines ...

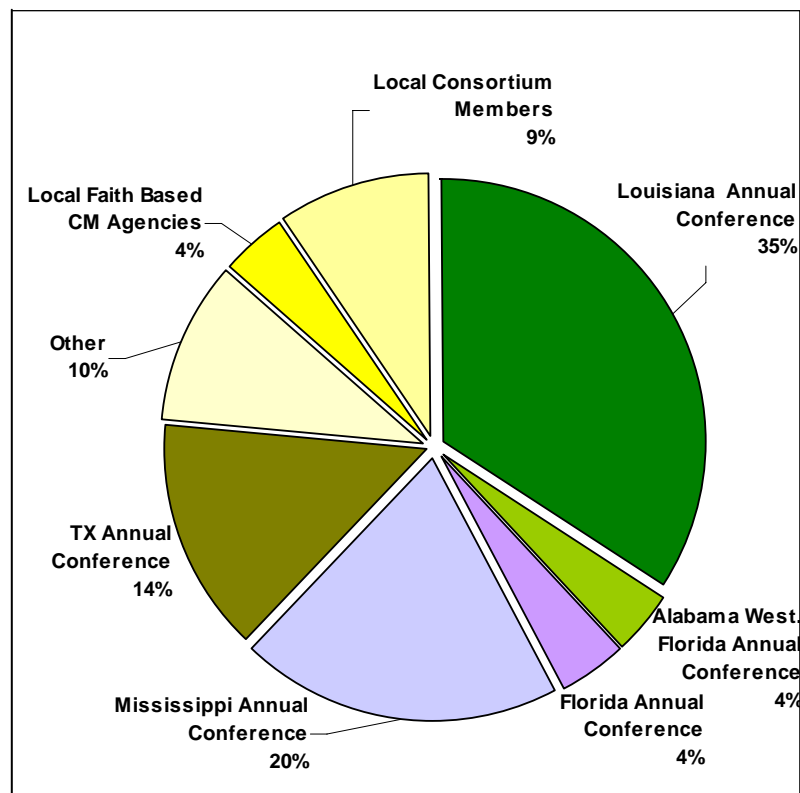
For survivors of the devastating hurricanes in 2005—Dennis, Katrina, Rita, Stan, Wilma—the past three years have been filled with every imaginable challenge for recovery. United Methodists have been there with them, dedicated and committed to the long-term response needed to rebuild homes, communities, and lives.

- The response has taken many forms: direct financial and material assistance, spiritual and emotional care, case management and coordination of services, in-kind donations of building and relief supplies, dormitory housing on United Methodist church sites to support more than 125,000 volunteers who have served the region during the recovery, and tens of thousands of meals served.
- Gifts received for Hurricanes 2005 (UMCOR Advance #982523) continue to sustain this response through recovery work in several Annual conferences.
- The UMCOR Katrina Aid Today national consortium completed its FEMA grant-funded program in March 2008, serving 68,872 survivor households representing 182,960 individuals.
- Sustaining survivors has been a story about relationships that grew out of an unprecedented disaster. The story involves people from all walks of life making tremendous efforts to reach out, to be courageous, to be helpful, to be hopeful.

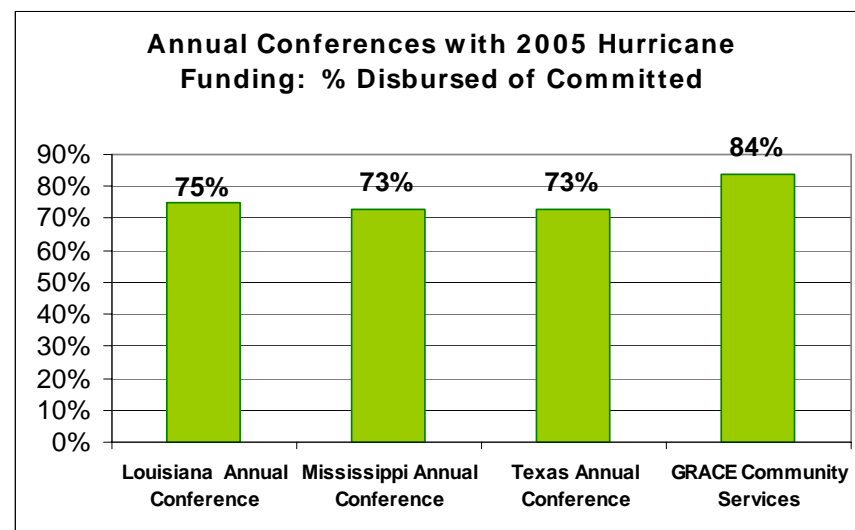
| Response / Partner Funding Committed / Disbursed | Assistance and Number of People Helped From Inception to June 2008 |
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| Louisiana Annual Conference \$23,762,389 / 17,820,963 | Rebuilding, case management and initial relief: 71,509 people (24,916 households) Housing: 731 rebuilds and 4,686 repairs |
| Mississippi Annual Conference 14,217,353 / 10,431,549 | Rebuilding, case management and initial relief: 7,560 Housing: 18,961 rebuilds and repairs. |
| GRACE Community Services (Houston) 4,084,186 / 3,425,413 | 1049 cases managed; 1506 training participants; 55 workshop participants; 4157 youth participants (lunch program and other activities). |
| Texas Annual Conference 5,551,477 / 4,059,688 | Case management and rebuilding: 6,104 Housing: 962 rebuilds and repairs |
| Alabama West Florida Annual Conference 2,017,420 / 2,017,420 | Case management: 251 Housing: 116 funded for home repairs and mobile home placement |
| Florida Annual Conference \$ 2,148,156 / 2,148,156 | Rebuilding, case management and initial relief: 31,338 Housing: 6,480 rebuilds and repairs |
| Other Annual Conferences \$336,650 / 336,650 | Direct relief and assistance to annual conferences that hosted evacuees |
| Other Institutions United Methodist \$497,088 / 497,088 Non UM \$244,500 / 244,500 | Support to 33 institutions for Katrina related services ranging from housing to case manager positions to general relief efforts |

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| UMCOR Training and Disaster Program Support \$1,511,896 / 875,186 | Establish the infrastructure for coordinated disaster response and recovery for 2005 Hurricanes and future disasters. |
| Local Faith Based UMCOR affiliated CM agencies and Consortium Members \$7,122,541 / 7,099,355 | Case management and recovery assistance provided through agencies and a consortium of 16 grassroots organizations to 5,036 households |
| Katrina Aid Today Set Up \$70,428 / 70,428 | Case management through consortium of 9 national agencies provided to 68,782 households |
| Other Responses \$3,198,266 / 3,198,266 | Includes international responses, United Methodist Social Service Properties, volunteer housing, and People's Institute for Survival and Beyond. Assistance supported service agencies serving vulnerable populations, and training volunteer networks. |
| Total Through May 2008 Funding Committed / Disbursed \$64,762,350 / 52,224,662 | Funds Pending Board Approval \$2,064,881 (Reallocations due to cost savings and program shifts in client needs.) |

Distribution of 2005 Hurricane Resources



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