

## GATEKEEPERS WORKCAMP WE ARE STRONGER TOGETHER Ecclesiastes 4:9-10 July 6-11, 2025

Gatekeepers Workcamp began at Lakeside Baptist Church in 1992 as a missions partnership of Rocky Mount churches. In this, the 34<sup>th</sup> year of Gatekeepers Workcamp, we had about 55 youth and 22 adults from 12 area churches. Special thanks to those from the Lakeside family who invested so much of themselves at our work sites throughout the week: Andy Barker, Dick Berry, Bo Browder, Catherine Cobb, Wayne Cotton, Millie Crumley, Sammie Crumley, Cindy Davis, Daniel Edwards, Isabella Haire, Barnes Haley, Gus Haley, Dan Herring, Brenda Hurdle, Chase Joyner, Mary Douglas Robillard, Will Robillard, Riley Stussie, Chuck Taylor, William Underwood, Ramsey Ward, Andrew Williams, Abigail Yamba, and Juliet Yamba.

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