

**HURRICANES HARVEY AND IRMA RELIEF** – Clean up supplies as well as hygiene kits are desperately needed for both Hurricane Harvey and Irma relief. Rev. Dr. Rob Lowry of Fondren Presbyterian Church in Jackson has taken one load of items from the Mississippi Presbytery to the distribution point in Arkansas for Church World Service but more is needed. Dr. Lowry will be making more trips to Arkansas this month and will be glad to take items so you don't have to pay postage! Home Depot has donated a large quantity of 5-gallon buckets for **clean up kits** which need to be filled. Please deliver items to the our church office on State Street. We will coordinate delivery to Dr. Lowry. Requested items are:

- 1 — 5-gallon bucket with resealable lid
- 5 — scouring pads
- 7 — sponges, assorted sizes
- 1 — scrub brush
- 1 — pkg. cleaning towels (18 reusable, like Easy Wipes®)
- 1 — box dry laundry detergent, 50-78 oz.
- 1 — liquid concentrated household cleaner (like Lysol®), 12 oz.
- 1 — bottle liquid disinfectant dish soap (like Dawn®), 24-28 oz.
- 1 — 1 pkg. clothespins, 48-50 Clothesline, two 50 ft. or one 100 ft.
- 5 — dust masks
- 2 pair — latex gloves (like Playtex®)
- 1 pair — work gloves
- 1 — 24 to 28 count roll heavy-duty trash bags (30-45 gallon, remove from carton)
- 1 — bottle insect repellent (pump, drops or lotion; not aerosol), 6-9 oz.

Please purchase all liquids in plastic bottles. Send only new, unopened materials. [For those who already have the buckets: Put all items in the plastic bucket, packed securely to avoid damage during shipment, and seal lid with packing tape.] People are available to put together the kits if you want to send various items in bulk.

**Items for Hygiene Kits:**

- 1 — hand towel (approximately 16" x 28", no fingertip or bath towels)
- 1 — washcloth
- 1 — wide-tooth comb (remove from package)
- 1 — nail clipper (UPDATE: nail clippers with metal files or emery boards attached are now accepted; remove from package)
- 1 — bar of soap (bath size in wrapper)
- 1 — toothbrush (in original packaging)
- 10 — Band-Aids® or other adhesive bandage strips

Seal all items in a one-gallon plastic bag with a zipper closure.

We remember all the help that poured in after Hurricane Katrina and other disasters; now, is our turn to help others.