

# TROPICAL STORM HARVEY

You can make a difference!



Many waters cannot quench love, neither can floods drown it. *Song of Solomon 8:7*

**Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA)** is working with presbytery leadership in New Covenant, Mission, and South Louisiana Presbyteries. As you know, historic flooding has forced rivers and streams from their banks and submerged homes, churches, businesses and roads, stranding thousands of people. We are relying on your generosity to provide financial and hands-on support to help the whole church stand with these communities.

**HOW CAN YOU HELP?** Give. Act. Pray.

**GIVE:** 100% of donations go toward PDA's emergency response and long-term recovery work. Make checks out to Siesta Key Chapel with the memo line: **Hurricane Harvey**.

**ACT:** Consider organizing a group to provide *Gift of the Heart kits for survivors* in the affected areas. Hygiene kits and cleanup buckets are especially needed. For volunteer opportunities, call (866) 732-6121 or email [pda.callcenter@pcusa.org](mailto:pda.callcenter@pcusa.org).

**PRAY!** Keeping your prayers up-to-date through [presbyterianmission.org/pda](http://presbyterianmission.org/pda) or [facebook.com/PDACARES](https://facebook.com/PDACARES)

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

**Is PDA tax exempt? Yes.**

The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), A Corporation, is a federally recognized, tax exempt organization pursuant to section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Its tax ID number is 13-3462549. Receipts will be issued for charitable contributions made to the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), A Corporation, for disaster-related or other mission work.

**How much of gifts are used for PDA's administrative fees?**

**Zero... nothing... nada**

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance uses **all** designated funds it receives to support relief and recovery efforts. It does not charge or receive administrative fees on designated gifts for disaster response. Generous gifts to the *One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS)* offering and other undesignated gifts cover PDA's non-program related activities such as salaries and other program administrative overhead or communications.

**What is the mailing address for gifts to PDA?**

Presbyterian Church (USA)  
PO Box 643700  
Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700

**Can I give through Siesta Key Chapel?** Yes, always. Simply mark your check's memo line "Hurricane Harvey".



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