

Beginning Sunday October 13, the Social Witness Ministry began its efforts to collect items for muck-out buckets and hygiene kits to assist hurricane and flood victims. Sign-up sheets and the lists of items needed are available at our Ministry Table in the Gathering Space each Sunday through November 3. Individuals and small groups may participate. Cash is accepted or checks can be made payable to FPCHHI with Muck-out Bucket on the memo line. You can also give online through the website: [fpchhi.org](http://fpchhi.org). The Give button is in the upper right-hand corner and then follow the prompts. After selecting “Disaster Assistance/Hurricane,” there is a Memo line, where you enter Muck-out Buckets.

For your convenience, the Social Witness Ministry has negotiated the purchase of a fully pre-packaged Muck-out Bucket at our local ACE Hardware for the total price of \$96.13, which includes tax and substantial discounts of anywhere from 10% to 40% on the individual items. If you wish to purchase this pre-packaged Muck-out Bucket, please sign up at our table in the Gathering Space on Sunday (or email us) and we will place the order early each Monday morning for all those who have signed up. The Muck-out bucket will be available the following Thursday for you to purchase directly at the store on 3 Northridge Drive on HHI. If you do not want to purchase and pick up the buckets in person, please let us know that you have paid through FPC for the pre-packaged Muck-out Buckets, and we can pick them up. To be clear, if you have paid through the Church, do not pick up the Muck-out buckets at the store; we will do that.

We believe the purchase of the needed items on the Hygiene Kit list will cost approximately \$15 and may be a wonderful way in which families and children can more easily participate.

All items and buckets you purchase directly from the stores should be brought to the Church on Sundays through November 3rd and left at our Ministry Table. If you bring them in during the week, please place individual Hygiene Kits and items for the Muck-out Buckets in the workroom opposite the reception desk in our box marked “Hygiene kits and Bucket Supplies” and also leave completed buckets (with your name on it) in the workroom, after signing a sheet at the reception desk. We will deliver the items to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance in the Charleston area on November 4.

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