Presbyterian Disaster Assistance



2018 Projects

NATIONAL RESPONSE

Alabama \$22,500 Presbytery of Sheppards & Lapsley March-Calhoun Co, Jacksonville, AL, tornado Presbytery of North Alabama April – Decatur and Morgan Counties, storm/wind shear Presbytery of South Alabama October – Houston Co, Dothan, AL, Hurricane Michael Alaska \$12,500 Presbytery of Yukon November – Anchorage/S. Central AK earthquake Eagle River Presbyterian Church earthquake damage **Arkansas** \$15,000 Presbytery of Arkansas March – Ferncliff Camp and Conference Center Healing Camp anniversary April – Initial community grant; Mountainburg, tornado July – Westminster Presbyterian, Little Rock, church fire Arizona \$44,500 Presbytery of deCristo March – Southern AZ Sanctuary Coalition, border ministry – refugee June – Casa Mariposa and Florence Project, border ministry – refugee October - Keep Tucson Together Community Immigration Clinic administrator - refugee Presbytery of Grand Canyon August – Kayenta Presbyterian in Kayenta, Native American congregation, sinkhole California \$150,000

\$3,604,432

Synod of Southern California & Hawaii

January- Matthew 25 coordinator, refugee

Presbytery of Pacific

June – Los Angeles, Al Otro Lado, refugee services

November – Border ministry, Central American refugees

Woolsey/Hill wildfire

Thousand Oaks shooting

Presbytery of Sacramento

November – Butte Co, Camp Fire

Presbytery of San Fernando

December 2017 – Los Angeles, wildfires

November – Woolsey/Hill wildfire and Thousand Oaks shooting

California (cont)

Presbytery of San Joaquin

July- Calvin Crest Christian Conference Center/Camp, Ferguson Fire

Presbytery of Santa Barbara

January – Montecito/Santa Barbara area, mudslides

November- Thousand Oaks, shooting

Presbytery of Stockton

August – Mariposa Co, Ferguson and Wagner Fires

Colorado \$7,500

Presbytery of Pueblo

June – Spring Creek Fire, FPC in Alamosa assisting

Connecticut \$5,000

Presbytery of Southern New England

May – Valley Presbyterian in Brookfield, microburst/tornados

Florida \$330,750

Florida presbyteries (six)

Annual support of Florida Disaster PDA Network (FLAPDAN)

Presbytery of Central Florida

June – Church damage; First Presbyterian, Titusville; Washington Shores Presbyterian and New Hope Presbyterian in Orlando – Hurricane Irma (2017) damage

July – Lake and Sumter Emergency Recovery (LASER) case manager- Hurricane Irma

November – Orange County Long Term Recovery Group (OCLTRG) – Hurricane Irma Presbytery of Florida

October – Initial community grant – Hurricane Michael response

Maximum church damage grant for damage to nine churches – Hurricane Michael

Blountstown, Chipley, Lynn Haven, Marianna, Panama City (3), Port St. Joe, Wewahitchka

December - Dogwood Acres Presbytery Camp, Chipley - Hurricane Michael damage

Presbytery of Peace River

May – Church damage; Hope United and Buckingham, Ft. Myers – Hurricane Irma (2017)

June – Buckingham hosting seed grant – Hurricane Irma long term recovery

July – Church damage; Moorings, Naples and First, Port Charlotte – Hurricane Irma

Presbytery of St. Augustine

February- Church damage; Countryside, Ocala and Korean PC, Jacksonville – Hurricane Irma (2017)

July – Northeast Florida Long Term Recovery Org. (NEFL)- Hurricane Irma (2017)

Presbytery of Tropical Florida

June – Monroe County long term recovery – Hurricane Irma (2017)

December – Miami-Dade long term recovery (FRIEND) – Hurricane Irma

\$7,500 Georgia Presbytery of Flint River October – Initial community grant for Hurricane Michael damage; cities, Albany, Bainbridge, Cairo, Cuba and Donalsonville Hawaii \$30,000 Presbytery of Pacific April- Oahu and Kauai Islands, flooding May – Kilauea volcano eruption August – Hilo, Hurricane Lane September – Maui, Hurricane Olivia Illinois \$32,500 Presbytery of Blackhawk February – Ottawa & Naplate – community recovery 2017 tornado July – Ottawa & Naplate – 2017 tornado – long term recovery Presbytery of Chicago February – Cook and Lake County July 2017 flooding Presbytery of Southeastern Illinois December – Taylorville 2018 tornado Indiana \$10,000 Presbytery of Ohio Valley February – First Presbyterian, Jeffersonville, showers Presbytery of Wabash Valley March – Presbyterian Church, LaPorte, flood damage \$56,500 Iowa Presbytery of Des Moines June -flooding in Ankeny and Des Moines July – Bondurant and Pella tornado Presbytery of East Iowa November – Iowa Welcomes Immigrant Neighbors (WINs) - refugee Presbytery of North Central Iowa July – Marshalltown tornado, First Presbyterian Church tornado damage Long term recovery seed grant Kentucky \$7,500 Presbytery of Western Kentucky February – Henderson Co, flooding Louisiana \$10,000 Presbytery of South Louisiana October – First Peoples' Conservation Council capacity bldg. – BP Oil Spill (2010)

New Mexico

April - Ghost Ranch, wind storm damage

Maryland \$10,000 Presbytery of Baltimore May – Grace Presbyterian in Baltimore, flooding Catonsville Presbyterian in Catonsville, flooding Massachusetts \$15,000 Presbytery of Boston January – Legal aid clinic for Brazilian community - refugee Michigan \$65,000 Presbytery of Detroit January – Southwest Immigration and Refugee Center (SWIRC) volunteer engagement Presbytery of Lake Michigan February – Initial community damage, St. Joe flooding, Niles July – First Presbyterian, Niles, hosting seed grant Long term recovery grant for St. Joe flooding, relief coordinator and community Presbytery of Mackinac June – Houghton County initial community damage, flooding **Mississippi** \$7,500 Presbytery of St. Andrew February – Washington Co flooding Montana \$15,000 Presbytery of Glacier February – Blackfoot Reservation Snow/Wind emergency April – Harlem and Chinook – Milk River Flooding **New Hampshire** \$15,000 Presbytery of Northern New England January – Legal aid clinic for Indonesian community - refugee **New Jersey** \$27,400 Presbytery of Monmouth January - Ocean Co. Long Term Recovery Group (OCLTRG) – Hurricane Sandy 2012 Presbytery of Newark August – First Presbyterian, Caldwell, flooding

\$10,000

New York \$25,000

Presbytery of Geneva

August – Seneca, Finger Lakes region, Lodi community

Presbytery of New York City

January – assistance for Puerto Rican and US Virgin Islands evacuees from Hurricane Maria New York Disaster Interfaith Services (NYDIS) -Long Term Recovery (LTR) program August – NYDIS Puerto Rican Evacuee Service Coordinator

North Carolina - Hurricane Florence September 2018

\$101,000

Presbytery of Coastal Carolina

September – Initial community and damaged church assistance for 9 churches

December – Robeson Co. Long-Term Disaster Recovery Director (Matthew 2016 and Hurricane Florence 2018)

Presbytery of New Hope

September – Initial community assistance

October –Neuse Forest Presbyterian, New Bern, church damage

November – Pastoral resilience grant

Atlantic Korean-American Presbytery, non-geographic

September – Korean Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, church damage

Ohio \$12,500

Presbytery of Cincinnati

February – Initial community damage, Ohio river flooding

Cranston-Memorial Presbyterian, New Richmond, OH church damage First Presbyterian, Aurora, IN church damage

Oklahoma \$10,000

Presbytery of Indian Nations

March - Oklahoma Conference of Churches (OCC) capacity building

Oregon

Presbytery of Cascades

\$7,500

October- Typhoon Yutu (Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands)

Pennsylvania \$40,000

Presbytery of Donegal

July-Lancaster County, Case Management for Puerto Rican evacuees (refugee)

Presbytery of Huntingdon

September - Philipsburg flooding

Presbytery of Lake Erie

July – First Presbyterian in Girard, church fire

Presbytery of Pittsburgh

June-Pittsburgh, South Hills flooding

Pennsylvania (cont.)

Presbytery of Pittsburgh (cont.)

July - Fox Chapel Presbyterian, Pittsburgh, church damage, flooding

Presbytery of Redstone

June – Union Presbyterian, Murrysville, church damage, flooding

Puerto Rico (LTR Response to Hurricane Maria (September 2017)

\$1,752,518

Sinodo Presbiteriano Boriquén en Puerto Rico

March – Vieques Island Recovery, hosting seed grant

June - Cooperative of Guayanes Fisherman, Yabucoa

August - Vieques and Yabucoa Islands, long term recovery

September – Campamento El Guacio, host site facility renovation

Presbiterio del Noroeste

March – Church damage – 30 congregations

Disaster Long-Term Recovery Coordinator hired

April – Children Mission Camp (June), El Guacio

June – Community Kitchen, Montaña, Aguadilla, long-term recovery

June – Pastor/family retreat, Mayaguaz

September – Community Core Church Mission fairs – 13 communities

October – Community Mental Health workshops – 4 locations

Presbiterio del Suroeste

March – Church damage – 11 congregations

Disaster Long-Term Recovery Coordinator hired

La Posada de Àngeles (Hostel for Angels), Anasco host site renovation

September – La Posada de Àngeles host site coordinator

Presbytery of San Juan

January – La Casona de Monteflores, host site renovation

March – Church damage – 14 congregations

April – Villa Carolina Presbyterian – church and school repairs

September – Evangelical Theological Seminary – project manager

October – La Casona de Monteflores host site Coordinator

Fideicomiso Project – OGHS joint project; SDOP, PHP and PDA

Rhode Island \$5,000

Presbytery of Southern New England

November – Woodbury-Union Presbyterian in Warwick, church fire

South Carolina \$66,500

Presbytery of Charleston-Atlantic

March – Long term recovery from flooding (2015) and Hurricane Matthew (2016)

May – renewal of Disaster Recovery Coordinator (DRC) position

Presbytery of New Harmony

September – Initial community damage from Hurricane Florence (2018)

Texas

Mission Presbytery February – Parkway Presbyterian host site renovation (H. Harvey 2017) April – Coastal Bend Presbytery Recovery Coordinator (H. Harvey 2017) May – Interfaith Welcome Coalition (IWC) – refugee needs in San Antonio June – Corpus Christi, Rio Grande Valley flooding First Presbyterian Beeville – church damage, flooding July – San Pablo Presbyterian, Weslaco; Goliad Presbyterian, Goliad; First Presbyterian, Yorktown – church damage, flooding July – Shower buildings for McAllen, TX (refugee), shower buildings (H. Harvey 2017 and Flood Recovery 2018) August – Nicea Presbyterian, Victoria, church damage (H. Harvey 2017) TX southern border – Courts & Ports program, asylum seekers October – Coastal Bend Thanksgiving event (H. Harvey 2017) Texas Hill Country flooding November – Disaster Preparedness facility at Mo-Ranch, Hunt, TX and trailer Presbytery of New Covenant February – Upper Galveston Bay- Fuller Center Rebuilders #1 (H. Harvey 2017) March – St. Andrews Presbyterian host site and construction manager (H. Harvey 2017) April – Parkway Presbyterian, Corpus Christi host site renovation (H. Harvey 2017) September – Baytown Area & Chambers County Disaster Recovery LTR (H. Harvey 2017) November – Pines Presbyterian, Houston, host site renovation (H. Harvey 2017) December – Upper Galveston Bay- Fuller center Rebuilders #2 (H. Harvey 2017) Presbytery of Tres Rios November – Grace Presbyterian El Paso – refugee project Virginia \$12,500 Presbytery of Peaks April – Elon/Amherst counties, tornado Atlantic Korean American Presbytery – non-georgraphic March – Eden Korean Presbyterian Church, Herndon, church damage West Virginia \$102,500 Presbytery of West Virginia January – Greater Greenbrier Long Term Recovery – June 2016 flooding September – Paige-Kincaid water system failure – human-caused October – WV VOAD Bridge Project – 2016/2017 flooding Wisconsin \$7,500 Presbytery of John Knox August – SW Wisconsin; Crawford, Richland, Vernon counties, flooding

\$555,264

PARTNERSHIP OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

\$150,047

Action by Churches Together (ACT) Alliance

Church World Service (CWS)

Growing Hope Globally (formerly Foods Resource Bank)

Memberships with InterAction, National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (NVOAD), State VOADs

PDA REFUGEE RESPONSE (U.S.)

\$42,400

- 1) Support for US emergency assistance (CWS cases)
- 2) In partnership with CWS, support for Immigration Refugee program

Note: National partnership grants funded are listed per state in the national grant information

PDA NATIONAL RESPONSE TEAM

\$299,488

The Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) National Response Team (NRT) members represent PDA following a disaster in the United States. They provide support, long-term recovery and compassion fatigue training, and provide emotional and spiritual care to affected presbyteries and synods as they assess the impact of the disaster on both the church and the community. They also assist in connecting presbyteries to local, regional and national resources. In 2018, PDA worked in partnership with 64 Presbyteries within 15 Synods. The NRT assisted with disaster recovery in at least 22 states and Puerto Rico to 28 natural and human caused disasters in 2018 and assisted in 8 long-term recovery locations for disasters dating back from 2015. NRT provided over 22 multi-day trainings and workshops throughout the country.

PDA HOSPITALITY PROGRAM

The Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) Hospitality Program became a permanent program area in 2012 in response to requests from mid-councils and local congregations to provide hospitality to volunteer work teams following disasters. A network of trained hospitality volunteers works with the mid-councils and partner agencies to assess hosting sites and help determine the hospitality model that will best match their facility to the recovery coordination. In 2018, more than 10,000 work team volunteers served through 40 PDA-related volunteer hosting sites in 17states. Of these 40 host sites, the PDA National Call Center managed calendars for 21 host sites that housed volunteers donating more than 500,000 hours of labor for disaster recovery. The monetary equivalence of this labor is valued at over \$12 million; however, as the church we know the value of our service is not limited to financial support—by bearing the witness of Christ's love, our gifts of service are multiplied.

INTERNATIONAL RESPONSE

2,095,376.40

Caribbean \$122,575

Hurricanes Irma and Maria

Supported an assessment in the Caribbean region (Dominica, Barbuda, Saint Martin, U.S. Virgin Islands, Cuba, Haiti and the Dominican Republic) to design a capacity building project for the prevention and mitigation of disasters.

Democratic Republic of Congo

\$9,127

Kasai Crisis

Kasai food security project

Greece \$15,000

Migrants in Europe

Ecumenical workshop for refugees and refugee camp solidarity grant

Guatemala \$10,000

Volcano eruption

CEDEPCA solidarity grant

Haiti \$337,759

Hurricanes Matthew, Irma and Maria

Hurricane Matthew recovery projects, Caribbean assessment and mitigation project

India \$544,077

Tsunami and floods

Tsunami and flood rehabilitation projects

Indonesia \$45,856.66

Tsunami and earthquake

Tsunami and earthquake rehabilitation projects including clean water provision, health services and non-food items

Iraq \$10,000

Ongoing support

Desalination equipment

Israel/Palestine \$10,000

Gaza strip support

Gaza hospital solidarity grant

Kenya \$54,110

Food security and drought

Emergency drought response

Latin America \$10,000

Migrant caravan

ACT Alliance appeal

Lebanon

See Syria

Liberia \$65,025

Ongoing support

Community Resilience Project and Trauma Transforming and Healing Churches with the World Council of Churches (a \$45,000 grant that supported both Liberia and South Sudan)

Malawi \$11,000

Malawi hunger relief and food crisis

Livelihood and disaster mitigation project

Nepal \$375,006.74

Nepal earthquake (2015)

Earthquake recovery projects including WASH, skills trainings for young adults, agricultural empowerment programs, medical camps, water buckets with filters and more.

Peru \$9,000

Peru floods

Climate change project

Philippines \$10,000

Typhoon Mangkhut

Typhoon Mangkhut solidarity grant

Sierra Leone \$44,920

Freetown flooding

Flood recovery and compassion fatigue projects

South Sudan \$231,520

South Sudan Violence

Refugee relief projects (\$120,000 in grants supported South Sudanese internally displaced persons in addition to South Sudanese refugees in Kenya and Uganda), psychosocial rehab projects and Food Resource Bank project

Spain	\$5,000
Migrants in Europe	
Solidarity grant for the Evangelical Church of Spain supporting refugees	
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Syria	\$65,400
Syria Conflict	
School projects and winter relief support	
Uganda/Nigeria	\$20,000
Refugee support	φ20,000
Organization of African Instituted Churches first fruits project	
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Venezuela	\$20,000
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Border cross emergency	\$20,000
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Border cross emergency Church World Service appeal	
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