

Tornado Disaster Response
Joplin, Missouri / Tuscaloosa, Alabama / and North Carolina

The Presbytery of Charlotte's Global/National Missions and Disaster Response Team will be hosting several trips to tornado disaster sites.

We encourage members of the Presbytery to join with us either by traveling with us or by setting up your own church - or cluster of churches mission teams.

The information is as follows:

TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA

Host Site for Missions Teams - First Presbyterian Church, Tuscaloosa
900 Greensboro Avenue, Tuscaloosa, AL 35401-2310
Church phone # 205-752-3531

Contact at the church is Nick Reed - 205-752-3531 nreed@fpctusc.org for questions - BUT to schedule a mission team CALL PDA (Presbyterian Disaster Assistance), Ashley Gail 866-732-6121. Ashley will schedule mission teams and send you paper work and assignments.

The POC's Disaster Team will hopefully host a trip to Tuscaloosa the week of September 17th thru September 24th - pending on confirmation from PDA.... If you are interested in participating please contact Debbie Wilkinson - 980-207-5217 or Debbie.wilkinson@presbyofcharlotte.org

JOPLIN, MISSOURI

Host Site for Mission Teams - First Presbyterian Church, Joplin
509 S. Pearl Avenue, Joplin, MO 64801-2597
Church phone # 417-624-2433

Contact Church Scheduler - Pam George @ 417-781-6630 or cell 417-529-5663 for questions and/or to schedule mission team housing. To schedule work team assignments currently you contact AmeriCorp 314-623-2860. Website to get paperwork and see a you tube video of the destruction and "where the streets have no name" and the need for volunteers go to ... www.fpcjoplin.com and click on tornado response.

The POC's Disaster Team will host two trips to Joplin - the week of August 27th thru September 3rd AND October 22nd thru October 29th. If you are interested in participating please contact Debbie Wilkinson - 980-207-5217 or Debbie.wilkinson@presbyofcharlotte.org

We are looking for volunteers to lead and also participate in these mission trips. For more information - please contact Debbie at the Presbytery office....

NORTH CAROLINA

We are in conversation with PDA and local churches as to when they will be accepting mission teams and will be updating everyone as we receive the information....