



PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE

Gift of the Heart kits or other kits are an excellent "hands on" project for youth groups and other groups that want a tangible way to be involved. Hope-in-a-Box Kits, School Kits, and Health Kits are often the most in demand.

Health Kit

- 1 — hand towel
- 1 — washcloth
- 1 — comb
- 1 — metal nail file or nail clipper
- 1 — bar of soap (bath size)
- 1 — toothbrush
- 1 — tube of toothpaste (4-7 oz.)
- 6 — band-aids

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

Value: \$12.00

Hope-in-a-Box Kit

- 1 — Clear plastic shoebox with lid, 6.5 qt.
- 1 — small stuffed bear
- 1 — small soft ball
- 1 — harmonica, or other small musical instrument
- 1 — 6'x9' non-spiral bound pad of regular or construction paper (60-100 sheets)
- 1 — Slinky® (metal or plastic)
- 1 — yo-yo
- 1 — 7-foot child's jump rope
- 1 — comb
- 1 — toothbrush
- 1 — tube of toothpaste (4-7 oz.)
- 1 — box of 24 crayons
- 1 — large eraser
- 6 — new pencils with erasers
- 1 — pencil sharpener
- 1 — 30-centimeter ruler (12")
- 1 — pair blunt child's scissors

Place all items inside the plastic shoebox, close lid, and tie securely with ribbon.

Value: \$24.00

Clean-up Bucket

- 1 — 5-gallon bucket with sealable lid
- 5 — scouring pads
- 7 — sponges, assorted sizes
- 1 — scrub brush
- 1 — pkg. cleaning towels (reusable, like Easy Wipes®)
- 1 — box dry laundry detergent, 50 oz.
- 1 — liquid household cleaner (like Lysol®), 12 oz.
- 1 — bottle disinfectant dish soap (like Dawn®), 28 oz.
- 50 — clothes pins
- Clothesline, two 50 ft. or one 100 ft.
- 1 — pkg. dust masks (like Benchtop®), 5 count
- 2 pair — latex gloves
- 1 pair — work gloves
- 1 — roll heavy-duty trash bags (33-45 gallon), 24 count
- 1 — bottle insect repellent (drops or lotion, not aerosol), 6-14 oz.

Package in the 5-gallon bucket with sealable lid.

Value: \$45.00



Baby Kit

- 6 — cloth diapers
- 2 — shirts
- 2 — washcloths
- 2 — gowns or sleepers
- 2 — diaper pins
- 1 — sweater or sweatshirt
- 2 — receiving blankets (one can be a knitted blanket)

Wrap items inside one of the receiving blankets and secure with diaper pins.

Value: \$35.00

School Kit

- 1 — pair of blunt scissors
- Pads or notebooks of ruled paper approximately 8-1/2" X 11" containing 150-200 sheets of paper
- 1 — 30-centimeter ruler (12")
- 1 — pencil sharpener
- 6 — new pencils with erasers
- 1 — large eraser
- 12 — sheets colored construction paper
- 1 — box of 24 crayons
- 1 — cloth bag, approximately 12" X 14", with cloth handles and a closure (Velcro, snap, or button)

Pack all items in the cloth bag and secure contents with the closure.

Value: \$11.00

Packing and Sending "Gift of the Heart" Kits

- Complete Kits should be packed in boxes with only one type of Kit in each box. However, if you are shipping a small number of different kinds of Kits, they can be combined in one box.
- Clearly mark the outside of the box with the contents.
- Include the name and address of the church, group, or individual sending the kits at the top before sealing the box.
- Secure the boxes with packing tape.

Ship all Kits prepaid to:

Church World Service
Brethren Service Center Annex
601 Main Street
New Windsor, MD 21776-0188
Telephone number: (410) 635-8794

Funds are needed for processing and shipping, suggestion \$3.00 per kit. Funds should be sent to:

Church World Service
28606 Phillips Street
P. O. Box 968
Elkhart IN 46515

Please note:

Some groups prefer to take special offerings to support a project. Financial gifts should be mailed to the address below with the Gift of the Heart Kit account DR000151 specified. Make checks payable to PC(USA):

Presbyterian Church (USA)
Individual Remittance Processing,
P.O. Box 643700
Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700.



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