

Join the IOCC Disaster Bucket Brigade!

IOCC is the humanitarian aid agency of the Assembly of Canonical Orthodox Bishops. In the spirit of Christ's love and without discrimination, the IOCC offers emergency relief and development programs to those in need worldwide. The IOCC strengthens the capacity of the Orthodox Church to provide aid with programs such as care calls, action teams, frontliners, and emergency kits. For more information, go to www.iocc.org



One of these programs is assembling Disaster Buckets to help survivors with clean-up after natural disasters. The supplies in the buckets enable people affected by disasters such as hurricanes, fires, and flooding to begin the overwhelming process of cleaning up their homes and communities. Each bucket is assembled in the US, and then shipped to people in need around the world. The emergency kits and buckets are administered by IOCC's partner, Church World Services.

1.) Sts. Peter and Paul will be providing 10 disaster buckets to the IOCC/Church World Services. Here is a link to a list on Amazon used to purchase and keep track of items needed for the buckets: [Amazon wish list](#)

2.) Once we have all the specific and required items, we meet as a community to assemble the buckets.



3.) Lastly, when the buckets are filled, we bring them to the Church World Services warehouse in New Windsor MD.

It is good to come together and provide much needed help to people who can be set adrift by tragedies and disasters.



Please consider being a part of this IOCC project with our Philoptochos.