



The Mississippi Conference of the United Methodist Church is holding a Fall Ministry Campaign to collect Cleaning Buckets for UMCOR. The campaign begins on Sunday, September 4, with a deadline of Sunday, October 9. All kits should be dropped off in the church office by October 5th. Due to the Spring tornadoes and floods, UMCOR is running very short on Cleaning Buckets. During the Spring of 2011, more than 9300 cleaning buckets were distributed, many in Mississippi and Alabama. Now there is great need on the East Coast as victims clean up from Hurricane Irene—and hurricane season

Cleaning Bucket Contents

- 5-gallon bucket with resealable lid (no ads on the outside; none that have stored chemicals such as paint or pool cleaner)
- 5 dust masks
- 1 pair work gloves (cotton or leather)
- 50 clothes pins (remove from packaging)
- Clothes line (two 50 ft. or a 100 ft.; cotton or plastic)
- 5 scouring pads (remove from wrapper)
- 7 sponges (remove from wrapper)
- 1 scrub brush (plastic or wood handle)
- 18 cleaning towels (reusable wipes; remove from packaging)
- Liquid** laundry detergent (two 25 oz. or one 50 oz)
- 1 household cleaner, (12-16 oz. that can be mixed/with water) (Lysol **CONCENTRATE** (makes several gallons)
- DISINFECTANT** dish soap, 16-28 oz.
- 2 pr. latex or rubber gloves (remove from packaging)
- 24-bag ROLL of heavy-duty trash bags, 33-45 gallon; if boxed, remove from box
- 1 insect repellent spray, 6-14 oz. (with protective cover) (pump spray is best)
- 1 air freshener, 8-9 oz. Can

Approximate Cost \$50.00 plus \$1.50 to cover shipping cost.

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Place all items in the bucket. It is tight, but it will fit. Place the bottled items and the trash bags standing up on the bottom; then fill in with the other items. If the requested item size is not available, go down to the next available size. If nothing is available in the requested or smaller size, put masking tape on the outside of the bucket saying, "This bucket contains no _____"

All cleaning agents must be liquid and in plastic containers; NO powders. All items included in kits must be NEW items except for the bucket and lid. Cleaning buckets are only used within the United States. They are not opened to verify the contents unless there is indication some items have been omitted. Please enclose an envelope containing at least \$1.50 per bucket to cover the cost of shipping. Checks may be made the Mississippi UMC Conference; **please indicate Relief Kit Ministry in the "for" line.**



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