

Dear church body (local and regional),

Thank you for today's support. With the help of many we were able to disperse food/water and began the process of setting up temporary storage sheds on site. We currently have three out of eight sheds set up and will need continued assistance with getting the five remaining sheds set up.

Here are the latest on updates from Friday. **There appears to be rain coming so if there are emergency needs to tarp or cover homes please let me know!**

1. **Work Crews:** We still need the following work crews. We will gather at the church to consolidate cars and then carpool to the worksite.
 - a. **Tonight (4-8 p.m.)** We will gather to head to Jason and Catherine Coffey's home (4030 Timber Trace Drive Ooltewah, TN 37363). In addition to heading to the Coffey's home, some folk will head to the Jones' house (9187 Dayflower Drive Ooltewah, TN 37363 USA) to assist. Jason has food provided but we'll send water bottles.
 - b. **Tomorrow – Saturday, April 18 (9 a.m.)** We will gather and split into three work crews. One will head to John and Becky Pearce's neighborhood (2413 Ranch Hills Rd Chattanooga, TN 37421). One crew will go to the home of Sakhan and Pholy Han (2815 Oak Leaf Ln. Chattanooga, TN 37421) – who are connected to Loren Hartley, a RE at First Pres. A third group will go to the home of Bobby Claborn (2237 Peterson Drive) to assist with their needs. Food/water will be brought to the work crews.
 - c. **Tomorrow – Shed Building:** Beginning at 9 a.m. a group is going to continue setting up the five remaining storage sheds.
 - d. **Next Saturday, April 25** We will gather and go out to assist the Bradleys with their home (2801 Rio Grande Road Chattanooga, TN 37421).
2. **Contributions/Funding:** The CPC officers have established a Disaster Relief Fund which will go directly to those affected by the tornado. If you would like to contribute you may find the contribution form here: www.cpcchatt.org/relief. Updates for ministry opportunities and needs will also be administrated on this page.
3. **Food/Water Needs:** Tomorrow we will start to focus on distributing food and water to our work crews. We have plenty of water right now, but Gatorade appears to be in high demand.
4. **Storage Shelter/Bins/Boxes:** We have received many bins/boxes and are currently able to share them with whomever may need them. Please let us know if you need these as well as any long-term storage needs. We are equipped to be able handling these now.
5. **Updates:** You can find the latest updates at www.cpcchatt.org/relief.

Thank you for your continued prayers.

In Jesus,

Jake Bennett, Executive Pastor