

Presbyterian Women (PW) Outreach Opportunities

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Are you a collector of “stuff”? You will find PW Outreach boxes just below the officers’ mailboxes, located in the office hallway. Involve your children in collecting for these service projects!

1. **Thornwell Home for Children:** Lists of qualified products can be found with the drop-off box:
 - **Campbell’s “Labels for Education”**
 - **Tyson Chicken product labels**
 - **General Mills Box Tops for Education**
2. **The Duvall Home** in Florida. The home, an affiliate of the Presbyterian Church (USA), cares for people with physical and mental disabilities.
 - Any **postage stamps** with or without the cancellation mark can be used.
3. **Area Churches Together Serving (ACTS)**
 - **BI-LO Bonuscards** can be registered with the BI-LO Boosterplus program to have 1% of your purchases donated to ACTS. An ACTS enrollment scan card is needed to register your BI-LO Bonuscard; these are available on the shelf just below the officers’ mailboxes in the office hallway.
4. **Cumbee Center**
 - **Hotel size bath products (soap, shampoo, conditioner, moisturizer)** are collected and donated to the Cumbee Center.
5. **St. Jude’s Ranch for Children**
 - **Recycled Greeting Cards:** All types of cards, excluding Hallmark, Disney, and American Greeting cards, are acceptable. Only the card front can be used and the backside should be clear of any writing.

Are you crafty? If you knit, crochet, or sew there is a ministry for you and time for fellowship too. Join us the third Tuesday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in the PW Productions Room (moving to room 29 the first of June).

- **Baby Caps:** Knitted or Crocheted Caps donated for infants at Aiken Regional Medical Center and Presbyterian hospitals overseas.
- **Knit for Kids:** Kids’ sweaters for ACTS and DHEC.
- **Prayer Shawls:** Shawls are the primary focus of the third Tuesday gathering at 10:00 a.m. Contact is Robbie Knox.
- **Crocheted Necklaces:** Catherine Vandegrift’s popular Formula for Life ministry benefits babies born to HIV mothers in Mwandu. Proceeds are used to purchase infant formula.
- **Special Sewing Projects:** Current projects include Tote Bags for Christ Central summer camp program and Pillow Slip Dresses for the Africa Project.
- **Baby sets:** For babies of parents and grandparents of the congregation.