

Gettysburg Presbyterian Church (GPC) Missions

Gettysburg Presbyterian Church (GPC) is in its 275th year, and has always had a strong commitment to supporting missions. This year (2016/2017) we have budgeted over \$100,000 to provide assistance to missionaries throughout the world; and local, national and international trips to build houses, churches, schools, etc with monetary donations to support various programs here and abroad.

Here in Adams County GPC volunteers support 8 projects to build or repair homes, provide weekend back packs filled with food for hungry children, or shelter for homeless individuals and families. Also, we donate money to 6 local organizations such as the Homeless Shelter, the Rescue Mission, CARES, migrant workers, Habitat for Humanity, and the county prison chaplain.

Every year we send volunteers to participate in 4 national and two international mission trips. Additionally, we provide cash donations to 5 separate organizations like Clean Water and Reach Ministries.

GPC also supports 6 missionaries – 2 in Africa, 2 in Asia, 1 in Central America and 1 in Central Asia.

Scripture: *...give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.* Luke 6:38 (NRSV)

Prayer: Lord we are your servant to do your work here and throughout the world. If the treasure we give or the helping hand we extend is useful to change one person's life, we give it in your name and ask for nothing in return. Amen