



# 2017 BIRTHDAY OFFERING *of Presbyterian Women*

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The Birthday Offering of Presbyterian Women celebrates Presbyterian women's history of mission giving. It was launched in 1922 to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Presbyterian Church in the United States (PCUS). Since that time, it has become an annual tradition and has funded nearly 100 major mission projects that continue to make a difference in the lives of women and children. While the projects and donation amounts have changed, Presbyterian Women's commitment to improving the lives of others has not. We continue to need broad, consistent support from Presbyterian women and others in order to continue funding mission projects like the ones selected for 2017.

In 2017, we will offer our prayers and financial support to the following recipients:

- **First Hand Aid Rural Clinic Development Initiative—CUBA**

PW's only international grant for 2017, your gift will help build, fund, stock with supplies and staff six medical clinics located in Presbyterian churches in impoverished rural Cuba. The clinics will supply food and medicine to some of the neediest people of Cuba.

- **The Family Justice Center Safe Haven for Domestic Violence—SOUTH CAROLINA**

The Family Justice Center is the only domestic violence shelter that serves victims of abuse in the counties of Georgetown and Horry. Their current capacity of 11 people is not enough and they need to expand. Your gift will help them build a new shelter that will be able to serve 30–35 individuals in ten suites.

- **Navajo Water Project—NEW MEXICO**

Your gift to the 2017 Birthday Offering will provide running water systems to 40 families who live on the Smith Lake Navajo Reservation in New Mexico. Instead of storing water in pots, pans and 55-gallon drums, households will have cisterns, pumps, sinks, and showers. Access to water is an issue of social justice, health and sanitation.

The grant amounts will depend on gifts contributed during 2017. Please promote prayerful, generous support of the Birthday Offering in your presbyteries and congregations, using the following tools:

- Promotional booklet—mailed to every PC(USA) congregation (addressed to "PW/Women's Group") as well as moderators, commodore, treasurers and Celebration Giving representatives at every level of PW.
- The January/February 2017 issue of *Horizons*—announces the Birthday Offering grant recipients, offers a dedication service and lists resources available for promoting the offering.
- PW's Birthday Offering web pages ([www.presbyterianwomen.org/birthday](http://www.presbyterianwomen.org/birthday))—free downloads of the dedication service, booklet, order form, promotional video, history/FAQ, grant application and a list of past recipients; links to order additional materials.

Learn more at [www.presbyterianwomen.org/birthday](http://www.presbyterianwomen.org/birthday) or contact Kathy Reeves at 844/PW-PCUSA (844/797-2872), ext. 5402, or [katharine.reeves@pcusa.org](mailto:katharine.reeves@pcusa.org).





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### PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS ORDER FORM

QUANTITY	PDS#	ITEM	PRICE	REMITTANCE
_____	PWR12501	<b>Group giving envelope</b> (pkg. of 25) Traditionally used in PW circles and congregations	free	_____
_____	PWR16456	<b>Individual giving envelope</b> (pkg. of 10) For those outside PW circles, those who want to give over and above their normal offering and those who wish to give with a credit card	free	_____
_____	PWR17452	<b>Bulletin cover</b> (8½"x14"; pkg. of 20)	free	_____
_____	PWR17450	<b>Bulletin insert</b> (pkg. of 20; 1 design)	\$3/pkg.*	_____
_____	PWR17453	<b>Placemat</b> (English/Spanish; pkg. of 25)	\$4/pkg.*	_____
_____	PWR17454	<b>Poster</b> (English/Spanish; 11"x17")	free	_____
_____	PWR17458	<b>Promotional video</b> (English/Spanish)	free	_____
_____	PWR17457	<b>Promotional materials order form</b> (distribute at all presbytery and synod events)	free	_____
_____	PWR17451	<b>Promotional materials packet</b> Contains information and resources you'll need to celebrate the Birthday Offering at PW gatherings in the congregation, presbytery and synod, including a poster, impact stories, invitation letter, overview of grant recipients, dedication service (in English and Spanish), ways to support the Birthday Offering, the order form and more.	free	_____
_____	PWR00507	<b>Book: Messages of Reconciliation and Hope: 75 Years of Birthday Offerings, 1922-1997</b> by Catherine Stewart Vaughn	\$12*	_____

SUBTOTAL

SALES TAX

(APPROPRIATE SALES TAX IS REQUIRED FOR THOSE RESIDENTS OF CA, DC, KY, NY AND PA WHO ARE ORDERING ON PERSONAL ACCOUNTS.)

\*SHIPPING/HANDLING

(ADD 10% OF ORDER TOTAL, \$5.25 MIN., \$65 MAX.;

NO SHIPPING CHARGES FOR FREE/PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS)

TOTAL

### SHIP TO

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

(Please use a street address—UPS cannot deliver to a PO Box.)

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To order by mail, complete this form, make check payable to **Presbyterian Women**, and mail to:

**Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)**  
**PDS Prepaid Processing**  
**PO Box 643674**  
**Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3674**

To order by phone, call 800/524-2612.

To order online, go to [www.pcusa.org/store](http://www.pcusa.org/store) (type "Birthday Offering" in the search box).