Resource Guide

Generated November 28, 2026 · 3 open facilities · closed facilities are not listed · call before you go: details change quickly

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POD, Park Avenue Baptist Church

Supply POD · Open

605 Park Ave., Moody, AL 35004

Phone 205-640-5279
Web www.pabcmoody.com/index.html
Service Temporary

6/14/11: Updated needs list. Lpar

Listed as a Hub served by the Jefferson Co. Warehouse in Birmingham.
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms; Hearts With Hands
Updated Jun 22, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8384

EMA, Emergency Management Agency, St. Claire County

Info/Hotline · Open

EMA
1610 Cogswell Ave., Pell City, AL 35125

Phone 205-884-6800
Service Permanent

Services offered: Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Businesses; Information Resource, Disaster Prep, Residents; Information Resource, Weather Updates/Warnings; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Walker; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Wheelchairs, Misc. ; Medical, Equipment, Durable Medical Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes-Floods-Wind Storms; EMA (Emergency Management Agency) Regional/County; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is not a member, but is "affiliated")
Updated May 6, 2011 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/8235

Samaritan's Purse (2011/2012 Alabama Tornadoes)

Info/Hotline · Open

HQ: P.O. Box 3000; Boone, NC 28607, Trussville, AL

Phone (828) 262-1980
Web www.samaritanspurse.org
Service Temporary

1/26/12 VOAD Conf. Notes
Working out of Northpark Baptist Church. Tarping, chainsaw, skidder available

1/23/12 VOAD Conf. Notes
Samaritan's Purse Disaster Relief Unit deployed to the Trussville area.

FROM THE SITE:

April 29, 2011
Alabama Tornado Response

Samaritan's Purse is helping victims of the violent storms that ripped through the state

Samaritan's Purse has workers and equipment in Alabama to help victims of a series of violent tornadoes that pummeled the state Wednesday.

We have deployed two of our Disaster Relief Units, tractor-trailers fully stocked with emergency tools and supplies, to serve as command posts for staff and volunteers in the hardest hit areas. One unit is based at Garywood Assembly of God in Bessemer, about 12 miles southwest of Birmingham, and another is being set up in Tuscaloosa today.

"Authorities here have opened the doors and given us the ability to do what we've been called here to do, and to get volunteers in here and allow them to bless people and give them hope in what looks like a hopeless situation to them," said Rick Cobb, who is leading our team in the Birmingham area.

Our staff is mobilizing volunteers to begin removing debris, making emergency repairs on houses, and demonstrating God's care and concern to tornado victims.

"There were blocks and blocks wiped out, trees just snapped off and stripped," Cobb said. "It's just total devastation. People will have to completely start over."

The severe storms Wednesday spawned tornadoes and winds that wiped out homes and businesses across Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia, and Virginia. Entire towns were leveled, and hundreds of thousands of people were without power. At least 297 people were killed, including 210 in Alabama.

The National Weather Service received reports of more than 150 tornadoes around the regions, including 66 in Alabama and 38 in Mississippi. The worst tornado outbreak in U.S. history occurred in April 1974, when 148 twisters touched down in 13 states over a 16–hour period.

The loss of life is the greatest from an outbreak of U.S. tornadoes since April 1974, when the weather service said 315 people were killed by a storm that swept across 13 Southern and Midwestern states.

WAYS YOU CAN HELP
PRAY:

For the people affected by the storms.
That God would direct our staff to where we are most needed.
That God would be glorified through our work.

GIVE:

Go to the site to help provide the resources needed to help families whose homes have been damaged or destroyed.

GET INVOLVED:

Samaritan's Purse will schedule volunteers to help with this response. More details will be made available as we determine where to work.

Services offered: Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Donations, Disaster Fund; First Response Supplies/ Items * (ANY/ALL Types); Heavy Equipment, Skid Steers; Tarps; Tools * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2011 Alabama Tornado; 2011 Spring – Tornadoes–Floods–Wind Storms; 2012 Alabama Tornado; Samaritan's Purse; VOAD, NVOAD (National Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster – this org is a member)
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