We as a church want to make tangible differences for those in need. It's hard to know what impact you can make around the world so through this, we know we are helping those who have been displaced, are refugees, or disaster victims and when you have that helpless feeling during these times, I can look at what CWS is doing and can say, 'hey, I can support that!'"

— REVEREND LUKE HYDER
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, EVERETT, WA

68,760 blankets

33,240 school kits

83,760 hygiene kits

4,642 emergency cleanup buckets

780 welcome backpacks

“Volunteering for Church World Service as a Kit Depot Coordinator brings me joy! I enjoy meeting and talking with the other kit donors who are involved with CWS. I am always impressed seeing all of the faithful donors and many kits they assemble each year. It really is amazing and astonishing—so thank you!”

— PHYLLIS METZ, CWS KIT DEPOT COORDINATOR
ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH, ZELIENOPLE, PA