



# S.T.O.R.M. Report

Short-Term Outreach, Relief & Missions

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## Summer STM Photo Blitz

*For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes...Romans 1:16 (ESV)*



*From Team Haiti 2018 Photo Gallery*

Tons of photos have been pouring in from short-term mission fields this summer!

They are all posted at [OPCSTM.org](http://OPCSTM.org). Simply scroll down on the homepage and click on "Photos and Testimonials."

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## Current Opportunities

For short-term service in the OPC

### Ministry Team Openings at the Boardwalk Chapel in Wildwood, NJ:

This is a great opportunity for church groups! Rev. Jim Jordan from Church of the Covenant OPC (Hackettstown, NJ), who recently led a Ministry Team to the Boardwalk Chapel, said, "While many churches focus on bringing their youth group, ***I see this as a great opportunity for church members of all ages*** to be trained in evangelism and grow in boldly speaking of Christ. Not only is it amazing to see what the Lord is doing through the ministry on the boardwalk in Wildwood, but team members return home with a greater enthusiasm to practice evangelism in their community."

### Disaster Response: Puerto Rico Hurricane Relief Teams:

We are looking for people interested in volunteering for disaster relief work in Puerto Rico in the next 2-3 months, in response to last year's Hurricane Maria. Service will include manual labor requiring varying degrees of skill, and perhaps helping the OPC churches there with community outreach. Please contact [MariaVolunteers@opc.org](mailto:MariaVolunteers@opc.org) to express your interest.

### Disaster Response: Site Coordinators Needed in Houston in the Fall

Short-term Hurricane Relief Site Coordinators will be needed to serve in Houston, Texas, starting in the fall of 2018. The qualified man will have experience in the skilled trades, and be able to provide leadership to volunteer teams working on a variety of projects.

The Site Coordinator's responsibilities will be:

- Serve as a liaison between the Regional Disaster Response Coordinator, the Volunteer Coordinator, the volunteers, and the homeowners.
- Understand and communicate the goals of the OPC Disaster Response Ministry.
- Oversee all aspects of indoor and outdoor projects being undertaken on a daily basis.
- Keep homeowners informed of the progress of the work on their homes.
- Welcome, orient, and oversee the work of volunteers.
- Determine the number of volunteers needed, the skills needed, and the dates they are needed for each particular project, and communicate this to the Volunteer Coordinator for recruitment.
- Report to the Regional Disaster Response Coordinator, giving regular updates on the status of each project, and requesting materials, funds or anything else needed for each project.

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for details on these and other opportunities

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