Lutheran Disaster Response

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS SURVEY

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How prepared is your congregation? Which of these do you have?

- Phone tree or automated calling system
- o Battery operated weather radio
- Emergency and first aid supplies on hand, including AED
- Annually review your church insurance policy
- Annual fire/tornado drills (including the nursery and playschool)
- o Fire extinguishers throughout the building and inspected regularly
- Emergency contact information and probable evacuation locations for members
- A preparedness plan in place
- Emergency instructions posted
- Parish register and other records protected from storm or fire damage
- o Computer and financial records backed up with a copy kept off-site
- Several people (including staff and members) who live nearby and know where the breaker boxes, gas and water cut-off valves are located
- o A plan for checking in on shut-ins and those who live alone in an emergency

0	Other	

How is your congregation prepared to help others? Which of these do you have?

- Trained disaster team
- Prayer shawl ministry
- Quilting ministry
- Personal care kits, flood buckets, or other emergency supplies packed
- Health ministry including parish nurse
- Cook team
- Emergency generators
- Showers
- Storage place for emergency supplies
- Tool trailer
- Certification as Red Cross shelter
- o Other _____

What would your congregation like to know more about?

- Congregational Safety and Security Plan
- Congregational Disaster Preparedness
- Personal Disaster Preparedness
- How to become an emergency shelter

Other		
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Do you know people who would like to volunteer for this ministry?

Would you be willing to be trained and serve as a disaster response chaplain? _____

How would your congregation like to be involved?

Name: ______ E-mail: _____

Congregation Name: _____ City: _____

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