

Preparing our Southeastern District Congregations for Disaster

"Where there is no counsel, the people will fall; but in the multitude of counselors there is safety." Proverbs 11:14

HOME EMERGENCY SUPPLY KIT CHECKLIST

A crisis can come in any form at any time. Being ready can provide you, your family and your congregation a greater ability to respond and care for each other. You must be prepared to *Ready...Pack...Go* to a basement, interior room, public shelter, or other safe area.

READY: Know and post these important telephone numbers

- Emergency: 911
- Local County/City Emergency Info: _____
- Utilities _____
- Church _____
- Physicians _____
- Schools _____
- Other _____

PACK: Suggested list of items for your *Home Emergency Supply Kit*

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| -Water (1 gal/person/day) | -Cash |
| -Non-perishable food (3 days) | -Cell Phone |
| -Prescriptions/Medications | -Contact List |
| -First Aid Kit | -Family Documents |
| -Flashlight | -Financial Documents |
| -Battery Powered Radio/TV | -Infant Supplies |
| -Batteries | -Pet Supplies |
| -Blankets/Bedding | -Small Face Mask |
| -Personal Hygiene Items | -Tools/Duct Tape |
| -Extra Seasonal Clothing | -Garbage/Storage Bags |
| -Pen/pencil and Paper | -Map of Local Area |
| -Extra Keys | -Can Opener |
| -Bible/devotional materials | -Paper Plates/Paper Towels |

GO: For the latest emergency information, follow media outlets, call the county/town hotlines, and subscribe to any local Emergency Networks. Follow their instructions for the safety of you and your family.

For more information, contact Deaconess Liz DeMik, SED Disaster Recovery Assistant, at 1-800-637-5723 Ext. 215 or go to www.se.lcms.org.