



# National Faith-Based Disaster Service Organizations

Although faith-based organizations are the primary long-term disaster assistance providers, their contributions to disaster work are as varied as their spiritual practices. Below is a partial list of organizations that have program and contact information available to the public.

- **\*Adventist Community Services (ACS)** – Disaster Response; National Office: Silver Spring, MD
  - Services: emergency goods/supplies and warehouse operations
  - Contact: [acsnydirector@hotmail.com](mailto:acsnydirector@hotmail.com), [www.nadadventist.org/acs/disaster-response.htm](http://www.nadadventist.org/acs/disaster-response.htm), 877.227.2702, 301.680.6438.
- **American Baptist Men (ABM)** – Disaster Relief; Headquarters: Springfield, IL
  - Services: housing assessment, debris removal, and housing cleanup
  - Contact: [www.abmen.org](http://www.abmen.org), 800.222.3872 x2452.
- **American Jewish World Service (AJWS)** – Headquarters: New York, NY
  - Services: fosters civil societies sustainable development and human rights for all internationally
  - Contact: [www.ajws.org](http://www.ajws.org), 212.792.2900 or 800.889.7146.
- **American Red Cross (ARC)-Spiritual Response Team (SRT)** – Headquarters: Washington, D.C.
  - Services: volunteer chaplaincy for aviation incidents
  - Contact: [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org), 202.303.4498.
- **\*Catholic Charities USA** – Headquarters: Alexandria, VA
  - Services: multi-service agency; distribution of funds to support long-term case management
  - Contact: [www.catholiccharitiesusa.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org), 703.549.1390.
- **Christian Contractors Association (CCA)** – International Headquarters: Brooksville, FL
  - Services: home construction/rebuilding
  - Contact: [www.ccaministry.org](http://www.ccaministry.org), 800.278.7703, 800.270.4227 or 352.799.7856
- **\*Christian Reformed World Relief Committee (CRWRC)** – DRS; US Head Office: Grand Rapids, MI
  - Services: needs assessment, home reconstruction, work camps and training for recovery organizations
  - Contact: [www.crwrc.org/relief](http://www.crwrc.org/relief), 800.848.5818, 800.552.7972 or 616.241.1691
- **Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** – LDS Philanthropies; Headquarters: Salt Lake City, UT
  - Services: warehousing & distribution of emergency goods
  - Contact: [www.lds.org/ldsfoundation](http://www.lds.org/ldsfoundation), 800.525.8074, 801.240.5567 or 801.240.3544.
- **Church of the Brethren** – Emergency Response/Service Ministries; Headquarters: New Windsor, MD
  - Services: childcare for impacted families and volunteer home reconstruction
  - Contact: [www.brethren.org/genbd/ersm](http://www.brethren.org/genbd/ersm), 800.451.4407 x4.
- **\*Church World Service (CWS)** – Emergency Response Program (ERP); Headquarters: New York, NY
  - Services: support & training to long-term recovery organizations and staff, warehousing & distribution of donated goods, and maintenance of extensive online training and preparedness resources
  - Contact: [www.cwserp.org](http://www.cwserp.org), 800.297.1516 x222 or 212.870.3151.
- **\*Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD)** – Headquarters: New York, NY
  - Services: redevelopment and recovery program funding
  - Contact: [www.er-d.org](http://www.er-d.org), 800.334.7626 x5129.
- **Friends Disaster Service (FDS)** – Headquarters: Peninsula, PA
  - Services: volunteer labor coordination and victim advocacy
  - Contact: [www.friendsdisasterservice.org](http://www.friendsdisasterservice.org), 717.859.2210.
- **International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC)** – Headquarters: Baltimore, MD
  - Services: funding to long-term recovery organizations, and emotional and spiritual care
  - Contact: [www.iocc.org](http://www.iocc.org), 410.243.9820 or 877.803.4622.
- **\*Islamic Circle of North America-Relief (ICNA Relief)** – Headquarters: Jamaica, NY
  - Services: long-term recovery case management & humanitarian aid
  - Contact: [www.reliefonline.org](http://www.reliefonline.org), 718.658.7028.

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- **\*Lutheran Disaster Response** – Headquarters: Chicago, IL
  - Services: long-term recovery case management and work camp coordination
  - Contact: [www.ldr.org](http://www.ldr.org), 773.380.2748.
- **\*Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS)** – Bi-National Office: Akron, PA
  - Services: housing cleanup, home repair, and reconstruction
  - Contact: [www.mds.mennonite.net](http://www.mds.mennonite.net), 717.859.2210 or 800.241.8111.
- **Mercy Corps** – USA Headquarters: Portland, OR
  - Services: emergency relief
  - Contact: [www.mercycorps.org](http://www.mercycorps.org), 800.292.3355.
- **National Disaster Interfaith Network (NDIN)** – Headquarters: New York, NY
  - Services: a network of local, regional, and state interfaith disaster organizations
  - Contact: [www.n-din.org](http://www.n-din.org), 212.669.6100
- **Nazarene Disaster Response (NDR)** – Headquarters: Kansas City, MO
  - Services: volunteer labor coordination and long-term recovery support
  - Contact: [www.ncm.org/min\\_ndr.aspx](http://www.ncm.org/min_ndr.aspx), 888.256.5886
- **Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA)** – Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.); Headquarters: Louisville, KY
  - Services: work camp coordination, recovery program funding and capacity building
  - Contact: [www.pcusa.org/pda](http://www.pcusa.org/pda), 888.728.7228 x5839 or 800.872.3283
- **\*The Salvation Army** – Headquarters: Alexandria, VA
  - Services: emergency relief and feeding, long-term case management, and distribution of goods
  - Contact: [www.salvationarmyusa.org](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org).
- **\*Sikh Coalition** – National Headquarters: New York, NY
  - Services: civil rights/liberties advocacy and backlash mitigation education
  - Contact: [www.sikhcoalition.org](http://www.sikhcoalition.org).
- **\*Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVDP)** – Headquarters: St. Louis, MO
  - Services: long-term recovery case management and distribution of clothing & donated goods
  - Contact: [www.svdpusa.org](http://www.svdpusa.org), 314.576.3993.
- **Southern Baptist Convention (SBC)** – NAMB Disaster Relief Program; Headquarters: Alpharetta, GA
  - Services: feeding programs and coordination of home repair/rebuilding
  - Contact: [www.namb.net/dr](http://www.namb.net/dr), 800.634.2462 or 770.410.6000.
- **\*Taiwan Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation** – Northeast Regional Office: Flushing, NY
  - Services: distribution of food and donated goods, support for medical services, and counseling
  - Contact: [www.tzuchi.org](http://www.tzuchi.org), 718.460.4590.
- **\*United Jewish Communities (UJC)** – National Office: New York, NY
  - Services: funding for Jewish long-term recovery and redevelopment organizations
  - Contact: [www.ujc.org](http://www.ujc.org), 877.277.2477 or 212.284.6500.
- **United Church of Christ (UCC)** – Disaster Response; Headquarters: Cleveland, OH
  - Services: funding and capacity building for environmental and technological disasters and long-term recovery organizations
  - Contact: [www.ucc.org/disaster](http://www.ucc.org/disaster), 216.736.3211 or 866.822.8224 x3211.
- **\*United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR)** – Headquarters: New York, NY/Washington, D.C.
  - Services: long-term recovery case management, warehousing and distribution of donated goods, home rebuilding and repair
  - Contact: [www.umcor.org](http://www.umcor.org), [umcor@gbgm-umc.org](mailto:umcor@gbgm-umc.org), 800.554.8583.
- **\*United Sikhs** – Headquarters: New York, NY
  - Services: humanitarian relief and coordination of recovery volunteers
  - Contact: [www.unitedsikhs.org](http://www.unitedsikhs.org), 888.243.1690 or 646.338.5996.
- **\*World Vision** – Headquarters: Federal Way, WA
  - Services: warehousing and distribution of donated goods
  - Contact: [www.worldvision.org](http://www.worldvision.org), 888.551.6548

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