



Hope After the Storm: Capacity Building for Faith-Based Disaster Relief Organizations

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Grants List

Lilly Endowment approved grants to 30 faith-based organizations from across the United States to help them strengthen their capacity to pursue disaster relief efforts and assist their volunteers, staffs, donors and affiliated religious communities in living their faith more fully as they address the immediate needs of their neighbors.

Grants range from \$500,000 to \$5 million

ORGANIZATION	LOCATION	AMOUNT
Adventist Community Services North America	Columbia, MD	\$500,000
Board of Incorporators of the African Methodist Episcopal Church (Department of Global Witness and Ministry)	Nashville, TN	\$1,000,000
American Baptist Home Mission Society	King of Prussia, PA	\$1,000,000
Church of the Brethren	Elgin, IL	\$500,000
Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation	San Dimas, CA	\$1,000,000
Catholic Charities USA	Alexandria, VA	\$1,000,000
The General Assembly of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)	Indianapolis, IN	\$500,000
Church World Service	New York, NY	\$3,500,000
COGIC Charities	Memphis, TN	\$500,000
Convoy of Hope	Springfield, MO	\$3,500,000
Cooperative Baptist Fellowship	Decatur, GA	\$1,000,000

Episcopal Relief and Development	New York, NY	\$1,000,000
Fuller Center Disaster ReBuilders	Americus, GA	\$500,000
Habitat for Humanity International	Americus, GA	\$3,500,000
International Disaster Emergency Service	Noblesville, IN	\$500,000
International Orthodox Christian Charities	Baltimore, MD	\$1,000,000
Islamic Relief USA	Alexandria, VA	\$2,000,000
Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod	St. Louis, MO	\$1,000,000
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America	Chicago, IL	\$1,201,603
Mennonite Disaster Service	Lititz, PA	\$1,000,000
Mercy Chefs	Portsmouth, VA	\$1,000,000
PCA Mission To North America	Lawrenceville, GA	\$1,000,000
NECHAMA - Jewish Disaster Response	St. Paul, MN	\$500,000
Operation Blessing International Relief & Development	Virginia Beach, VA	\$1,000,000
Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), A Corporation	Louisville, KY	\$1,000,000
Send Relief	Alpharetta, GA	\$1,000,000
Disaster Services Corporation, Society of St. Vincent de Paul USA	Irving, TX	\$1,000,000
United Church of Christ Board	Cleveland, OH	\$1,000,000
World Renew	Byron Center, MI	\$1,000,000
World Vision	Federal Way, WA	\$5,000,000