

90% of people in crisis ask, "Where is God in this?" Are you ready to respond?

The evidence is clear—God is in the process of waking up the world to the fact that it cannot live without Him.

- Can you give an answer for the hope you have in Christ in any situation?
- Is your church ready to respond to a natural or man-made disaster?
- Can you meet people at a point of need and guide them into recovery and restoration?

CEN is a network of Christian volunteers, community leaders and emergency professionals uniting to equip the church to be aware and ready to respond to crisis and disaster.



The Christian Emergency Network Invites You to Become Ready to Respond



The vision of Christian Emergency Network (CEN) is a locally and globally connected network of Christians - individuals, organizations, businesses and churches - ready to respond to any crisis or disaster.

Christian Emergency Network is a biblically-based readiness training ministry rallying Christians to be aware of God's purpose in uncertain times. As the body of Christ becomes ready spiritually, emotionally, mentally and physically they will stand strong responding in any crisis. When courageous, mature Christ-followers are praying, caring and sharing effectively in emergencies God transforms the heart for all eternity. The network includes individual Christians, thousands of churches, local and national Christian ministries and organizations. CEN trains Christians to self-organize locally, to self-sustain church and citywide responses, and to mobilize the greatest biblical response to emergencies.

Biblical Readiness

Biblical readiness is being spiritually, emotionally, mentally and physically ready to respond to emergencies as faithful Christ-followers by praying, caring for survivors, and sharing the hope we have in Jesus Christ.

Training Programs



ReadyChristianSM

Have peace of mind you have done all you can to help your family and friends become Biblically ready to respond - spiritually, emotionally, mentally AND physically to emergencies both large and small.



ReadyChurchSM

Equip leaders to: assess your church's own level of readiness, discover how God has uniquely called your church to respond in your community, and to self-organize and sustain for a total church emergency response.



ReadyCitySM

Mobilize churches and Christians in your city to respond together. Develop skills in leader recruitment and development, citywide networking, crisis communications and how to lead readiness initiatives.

Why Be Ready?

Readiness is essential to fulfilling our mandate to share the hope of Christ.

Facts are:

- More and more emergencies demand our attention today whether they are economic, increasing natural disasters, or man-made threats. We live in an increasingly dangerous time.
- Preparedness will dictate how we survive, recover and help others.
- The basis of biblical readiness is one's spiritual health going into any crisis.
- Community-wide emergencies, crises that affect everyone around you like a teen suicide, public scandal by a leader, collapse of the economy and disasters tap out the personal reserve of the unprepared, leaving the hope-filled and ready Christian to lead people into recovery and restoration.
- Biblically ready people have personal resiliency and a better survival chance.
- ReadyChristiansSM are God's ambassadors to others in crisis, bringing hope and calm to a totally out-of-control situation.



ReadyChristianSM

- Discover how you can become a source of hope and light in crisis.
- Protect your family.
- Grow the impact of the Church in your community.
- Prepare to pray for needs, care for survivors, and share the hope of Christ in response to crisis and disaster.

ReadyChurchSM

- Catalyze member participation. Members discover areas of giftedness and a passion to serve.
- Build new relationships within the community whereby the Church is seen in a new light - a partner to the community and its leadership.
- Organize your church around taking action for Christ.
- Relieve the pastor and elders of emergency preparation responsibilities.

ReadyCitySM

- Lead Christians in your area to give a biblical response to crisis and disaster.
- Assess the Church for capacity.
- Fill gaps in preparedness.
- Mobilize during emergencies.

Why Network?

The Church's capacity to respond to crisis and disaster is vast, yet remains largely untapped due to lack of coordination, infrastructure and training. CEN solves this by networking Christians who are ready to respond to emergencies, big and small through:

- Readiness Training
- Crisis Communications
- Resource Sharing
- Leadership Development

Network Resources

Information distribution to 7,000 Christian organizations, 80 plus denominations and 27,000 local churches. Extended network includes 300,000 churches.

Response network including 250 reporters delivering up-to-the-minute information to 1600 print outlets, 20,000 email advisory subscribers, 1200 Christian radio outlets, and a website that received 20,000,000 hits on one single day during a response.

Online preparedness training and *add-on* resources to customize your response.



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