2021 December, US Tornadoes: Resource Guide

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KY

Centre Point Church, Supply Distribution Site

Warehouse · Open

1000 Roselawn Way, Bowling Green, KY 42104

Phone 270–715–0035
Web centerpointebg.com
Service Temporary

Self–serve Kerosene, while supplies last

Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/CPCBG/

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. (WBKO) – The CenterPointe Church in Bowling Green is coordinating efforts to restore the Bowling Green and surrounding areas after the deadly tornado Saturday morning.

Jacob and Kristen Holmes of CenterPointe Church have mobilized to help those near the U.S. 31 W Bypass and T.C. Cherry block to help those affected by the storms.

“We just want to let the community know that we’re here to help. Specifically, we have a number of people surrounding our county. So, we have people from Lexington, Ohio, people from Richmond, Kentucky who are bringing trucks to our church,” said Jacob Holmes.

Kristen Holmes says one of the main things they currently need is kerosene heaters to keep people warm during the cold nights.
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“Kerosene heaters and kerosene are big commodities right now. So, we’re trying to get our hands on as many of those as possible. We may have a few left as of today,” Kristen Holmes said.

The church has non–perishable food items, water, diapers, wipes, and clothing.

“Our building is about 38,000 sq. ft., and we’ve got a lower level that is filling up really fast with a lot of supplies,” Kristen said.

The church served over 70 families Tuesday and bought over $11,000 worth of heaters and kerosene.
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Jacob says a lot of people have heaters, but they’re running out of kerosene.

“So, I get a call from a church – Richmond House of Prayer in Richmond, Kentucky and they’re bringing a 500–gallon drum of kerosene to set up at our church so people could come and get free kerosene and we’re going to have this for quite sometime,” Jacob said.

Churches from not only Bowling Green, but surrounding cities and even states are coming together, regardless of differing religions, to help those in need.

“Churches are working together. I have pastors who will call me and say, ‘Hey, here’s what I need. Do you have it?’ and I’d say yeah we’ve got it. We’re all working hand–in–hand. Living Hope, Hillview, New Life Church, Near Church, Bowling Green Nazarene, First Christian Church, Bowling Green Christian,” Jacob said.

source: https://www.wbko.com/2021/12/15/centrepoint–church–offering–shelter–heaters–supplies–tornado–victims/

Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, NEW Only * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Fuel, Oil, Kerosene Oil; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water); Wipes, Antiseptic Wipes
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
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International Center, tornado response, helping 60–70 families

Walk–in Resource · Open

806 Kenton St, Bowling Green, KY

Phone (270) 781–8336
Service Temporary

icofky @ outlook.com

While this site has been focused on resettling refugees, in the aftermath of the tornados, we hear that it's also become a site helping 60–70 families devastated by the tornadoes

Services offered: Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 16, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10501

Tornado Response, Lost River Creamery: Excavator/Bobcat and crew

Volunteer Camp · Open

Bowling Green/Russellville, KY

Service Temporary

Lost River Creamery offering immediate assistance with excavator, Bobcat, and a crew. Russellville, KY or 270-725-7771

source: https://forwardky.com/tornado-places-to-give-or-get-help/

Services offered: Construction, Heavy Equipment Operator, Volunteer; Heavy Equipment, * (ANY/ALL Types); Heavy Equipment, Excavator; Heavy Machinery, Bobcat
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 14, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10494

Tornado Volunteer Coordination Center, Bremen Fire Department

Volunteer Camp · Open

51 College St., Bremen, KY

Service Temporary

People interested in volunteering in Muhlenberg County can go to the Bremen Fire Department at 51 College St.

source: https://www.ocala.com/story/news/local/2021/12/11/how-help-mayfield-kentucky-communities-affected-tornadoes-fundraisers-donations/6477051001/

Services offered: Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
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Lyon County Courthouse, Donation Gathering, Tornado response

Warehouse · Open

500 W. Dale Ave, Eddyville, KY

Service Temporary

Lyon County Courthouse

People with supplies to donate in Lyon County can drop them off at the courthouse, 500 W. Dale Ave., Eddyville. Officials are requesting trash bags, coffee, disinfectant wipes, work gloves, safety glasses and gift cards.

source: https://www.ocala.com/story/news/local/2021/12/11/how-help-mayfield-kentucky-communities-affected-tornadoes-fundraisers-donations/6477051001/

Services offered: Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
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Tornado Response Donations Gathering Site at Consolidated Baptist Church

Supply POD · Open

1625 Russell Cave Road, Lexington, KY

Phone (859) 299-8559
Web www.consolidatedbaptist.org/contact-us
Service Temporary

People who want to donate supplies to those affected by the tornadoes that struck Western Kentucky last weekend can bring items to Consolidated Baptist Church this week.

The city of Lexington announced Tuesday that it is opening a donation center at the church, at 1625 Russell Cave Road, from noon to 6 p.m., Wednesday through Friday and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. this Saturday.

The only items that will be accepted are: large plastic storage containers with lids; large trash bags; flashlights with new batteries; LED lanterns; new, empty gas cans; pull-up training pants for toddlers; new space heaters; new kerosene heaters, and horse feed.

No other items will be accepted “because storage facilities are extremely limited in the tornado-ravaged communities,” the city said in a news release.

source: https://www.kentucky.com/news/local/counties/fayette-county/article256599471.html
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10498

Donation Gathering, Veteran's Club Inc

Volunteer Camp · Open

Fern Creek Christian Church; 9419 Seatonville Road, Louisville, KY

Service Temporary

Veteran's Club Inc.

Veteran's Club Inc. will be collecting donations to send to Western Kentucky from noon to 7 p.m. Monday at Fern Creek Christian Church, 9419 Seatonville Road.

Suggested donations include "water, medical supplies, non–perishable food, heaters, warm clothing, large tents and pet food."

Donations will be transported to Mayfield.

source: https://www.ocala.com/story/news/local/2021/12/11/how–help–mayfield–kentucky–communities–affected–tornadoes–fundraisers–donations/6477051001/

Services offered: Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
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Lowes, Shower and LaundryTrailers

Walk–in Resource · Open

in front of their Paris Rd location, Mayfield, KY
Service Temporary

Lowe's has shower and laundry trailers in front of their Paris Rd location!

source: Mayfield–Graves County Fairgrounds Facebook page

Services offered: Facilities: Laundry, Mobile Laundry Trailor Unit; Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 24, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10509

Mayfield–Graves County Fairgrounds [Relief Supply Distro, water, toiletries, etc]

Walk–in Resource · Open

1001/1004 Kentucky 121 to get supplies; and 400 Opportunity Way, Mayfield KY 42066. This building is next door to Hoskins BBQ., Mayfield, KY
Phone 270–705–5888 Sandra Delk
Web business.facebook.com/pg/mayfieldgravescountyfairgrounds/posts/?ref=page_internal
Service Temporary

12–16–21: We have lots of volunteers during the day, but we would like to have an evening shift from 5–8pm. We do a lot of restocking during that time. We also need a few folks who like "Dirty Jobs" such as cleaning the bathrooms, sweeping after hours, and picking up trash.

12–16–21: Please alert everyone bringing donations of the new delivery address: 400 Opportunity Way, Mayfield KY 42066. This building is next door to Hoskins BBQ.

The Fairgrounds Relief Center has updated hours. The Fairgrounds will now be open for pickup from 8 am to 8 pm every day.

Disaster survivors can get water and toiletries, canned goods, water and other supplies at the site.

We need size 5,6 and 7 diapers and all sizes of pull–ups.

Auctioneers! We need tents!
We need them before the rain!
Help out us out here at Mayfield Fairgrounds!
Give me a call! 270–705–5888!

We need a night shift of volunteers to restock our tables tonight from 7pm to whenever. We also have semi's arriving during the night that need to unloaded. Thank you to everyone. Stay strong!

So many essentials have been distributed including lots of canned goods, however we need can openers. Also, all the flash lights and batteries are gone. Please help get the word out.

source: https://business.facebook.com/pg/mayfieldgravescountyfairgrounds/posts/?ref=page_internal

source: https://www.newsmax.com/us/kentucky–tornado/2021/12/14/id/1048687/

At lunchtime on Tuesday, hundreds of people converged on Mayfield–Graves County Fairgrounds, where a loosely organized group of volunteers with food trucks came from hundreds of miles away to provide free meals. The area has become a magnet for a range of relief efforts.

Services offered: Diapers * (ANY/ALL Types/Sizes); Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Toiletries * (ANY/ALL Types); Toiletries, Personal Hygiene Products * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Warehouse, Warehouse Space; Water, * Bottles (ANY/ALL Types of Bottled Water)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10496

Mercy Chefs, Kentucky Tornado Response [meals]

Walk–in Resource · Open

His House Ministries; 1250 KY–303, Mayfield, KY

Service Temporary

The nonprofit that serves meals following natural disasters has set up at His House Ministries, 1250 KY–303, Mayfield, Kentucky, and will distribute food over the next few days. Donate funds at https://mercychefs.com/donation.

source: https://www.yahoo.com/now/want–help–kentucky–communities–affected–205453564.html?soc_src=social–sh&soc_trk=ma

Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes; Mercy Chefs

Updated Dec 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10497

Northside Baptist Church, need Spanish Translator

Walk–in Resource · Open

611 West Lockridge Street, Mayfield, KY

Phone 270–247–4861

Service Temporary

Josh Blanton ‼ Northside Baptist Church In Mayfield needs a Spanish translator ‼ Anyone ?!?
ETA I was passing the information along, I'm not physically there. The address and contact info is below. I feel like if they need the assistance that others might as well. Just another unique way to help. ❤

611 West Lockridge Street · Mayfield, KY 42066 · 270–247–4861

source: https://m.facebook.com/comment/replies/?ctoken=2405757306221897_2405797109551250&count=2&curr&pc=1&ft_ent_identifier=2405757306221897&gfid=AQDxzGpy6tGj_7_ThUQ&refid=52&ref=Footer&__ft__=mf_story_key.2405757306221897%3Atop_level_post_id.2405757306221897%3Atl_objid.2405757306221897%3Acontent_owner_id_new.1124655794332061%3Aoriginal_content_id.2107463422763556%3Aoriginal_content_owner_id.100004997564578%3Athrowback_story_fbid.2405757306221897%3Apage_id.1124655794332061%3Astory_location.4%3Aott.AX8WCb8rJ0mC3ukF%3Atds_flgs.3%3Athid.1124655794332061&__tn__=R

Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes

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Red Cross Shelter at the Church of the Nazarene

Shelter · Open

1200 West Broadway, Mayfield, KY

Service Temporary

Per contacts at the Mayfield–County Faigrounds: The Red Cross has a Shelter at the Church of the Nazarene at 1200 West Broadway. Meals are being served, there are warm places to sleep with electricity. Shower trailers are in route. They also provide Disaster Health/Medical Services, Disaster Mental Health, and Disaster Spiritual Care. Folks can also call 1–800–Red Cross (1–800–733–2767). They will comment below when the showers arrive!

Services offered: Counseling, Spiritual; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Mental Health Services; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Showers, Mobile Shower Trailor Unit

Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes

Updated Dec 17, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10503

Shower trailers at the Walmart parking lot and at the YMCA

Walk–in Resource · Open

Mayfield, KY

Service Temporary

Shower trailers are at the Walmart parking lot and at the YMCA

source: Mayfield–Graves County Fairgrounds Facebook post 12–18–21

Services offered: Facilities: Shower Facilities * (ANY/ALL Types)

Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes

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Tornado Response Supply Gathering Site, High Point Baptist Church

Walk–in Resource · Open

220 W Farthing St., Mayfield, KY 42066

Service Temporary

Some of the most needed items include flashlights, new bedding, air mattresses, diapers, towels, and water. Jones said a crew of volunteers will be heading to Kentucky on Thursday; to drop off supplies at High Pointe Baptist Church.

source: https://www.waff.com/2021/12/15/marshall–county–organization–collect–donations–tornado–victims–kentucky/

Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes

Updated Dec 15, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10499

Green River Distillery, Tornado Response Donation Gathering Spot

Open Business* · Open

10 Distillery Rd, Owensboro, KY
Service Temporary

Green River Distillery

Owensboro residents who want to donate supplies can take them to Green River Distillery, 10 Distillery Road, beginning at 10 a.m. Monday. Most needed items include water, baby formula, diapers, sanitizing wipes, sanitizer, gloves and trash bags.

source: https://www.ocala.com/story/news/local/2021/12/11/how-help-mayfield-kentucky-communities-affected-tornadoes-fundraisers-donations/6477051001/

Services offered: Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
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Graves County Tornado Response Hotline, free supplies delivered to survivors

Warehouse · Open

KY
Phone 270 727 5114
Service Temporary

Anyone who is unable to travel to the MGC Fairgrounds can call the Graves County Tornado Relief Hotline for food, water, tarps, generators, blankets or other items can call the Graves County Tornado Relief Hotline. They answered quickly when I called!

source: Mayfield-Graves County Fairgrounds Facebook page 12-18-21

Services offered: Food * (ANY/ALL Types); Generators * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Tarps
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 19, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10508

TEAM RUBICON, KY Tornado Response

Volunteer Camp · Open

KY
Phone 424-750-2971
Web teamrubiconusa.org/mission
Service Temporary

Team Rubicon Disaster Response is in the community to serve our residents. They are veterans and first responders who are here to help you. All the services they provide are 100% FREE.
Services they offer: Debris Management
Chainsaw Work
Roof Tarping
Recovery Tarping (Personal belongings)
They will need the property owner or the resident of the property to be on site to fill out a permission waiver before they can do any work on your property.
Call 424-750-2971 for help.
teamrubiconusa.org

source: Mayfield-County Fairgrounds Facebook post.

Services offered: Cleanup, Chainsaw Operator, Volunteer; Cleanup, Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, Disaster Debris Removal, Volunteer Services; Cleanup, * Volunteer Services (ANY/ALL Types); First Responder, Gulf Region; First Responder, Nationwide (All U.S. Regions); LOAN ONLY, Chainsaw; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Disaster Response; Tarping Homes, Volunteer; Tarping Homes, Volunteer Services; Tarps; Tools, Chainsaw * (ANY/ALL Types)
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes; 2021 Hurricane Ida; Team Rubicon
Updated Dec 19, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10484

Tornado Response: Meals, supplies and other resources

Info/Hotline · Open

KY
Service Temporary

City Location and/or notes

Auburn Auburn, KY families contact Mrs. Hope, FRYSC Director 270-542-6398, hope.strode@logan.kyschools.us

Benton God's Promises, at 1300 Main Street, Benton, KY, will be open today for anyone needing supplies, clothing or blankets! 270-703-2499

Bowling Green Bowling Green Community Action at 171 Center St, Bowling Green or (270) 782-4437

Bowling Green Cotton BBQ offering free meals, open by 11:30am in the parking lot of Rians Fatted Calf at 1104 Broadway, Bowling Green

Bowling Green Fayrouz Market offering free meals for first responders 1950 Cave Mill Rd Suite B, Bowling Green, KY 42104

Bowling Green First Christian Church at 1106 State St. Bowling Green or (270) 843–3191

Bowling Green Gasper Brewing Company opening at 12 pm CT with free food and a safe place. 302 State Street, Bowling Green. (ALSO VOLUNTEER HERE TO SERVE FOOD)

Bowling Green Higgins Center for Non–Profits 958 Collett Ave BGKY contact

Ashley 270–202–6082

Bowling Green Lost River Creamery offering immediate assistance with excavator, Bobcat, and a crew. Russellville, KY or 270–725–7771

Bowling Green Mutual aid form for Bowling Green https://linktr.ee/riseandshinebgky

Bowling Green Sign up to volunteer for clean ups/aid at South Warren with the Red Cross at 8140 Nashville Road, Bowling Green or (270) 467–7500

Bowling Green TC Cherry Elementary School- 1001 Liberty Way, Bowling Green, KY

Bowling Green W.R. McNeill Elementary— 1800 Creason St, Bowling Green, KY

Cave City Cave City Community Center (Senior Center) 105 Duke St, Cave City, KY 42127

Greenville If you are looking to volunteer, please meet with an official at the Bremen Fire Department @ 51 College St. There'll be plenty of assignments for volunteers, but please be orderly and coordinated, as they'll be doing a more thorough search of the widespread damage.

Mayfield CASA Graves County at 229 W Walnut St, Suite 2, or 270–251–2060

Mayfield Applebees in Mayfield has secured cooking equipment and we are going to cook everything in our cooler to feed the community starting at 12:45. We have water and food, for those of you that need a meal today please come see us. We will do this until we run out.

Mayfield Emergency Management is using Catalyst Church as their emergency volunteer hub to bus volunteers where needed- 114 Kings Dr, Mayfield, KY (270) 356–1191

Owensboro Matthew's Table Sunday 12/12/21 119 West 24th St. Owensboro, KY 42301

source: https://forwardky.com/tornado–places–to–give–or–get–help/

Services offered: Directories, Directory of Services, Regional; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, Cooked Meals; Meals, On Site Meals Served to Disaster Survivors; Meals, On Site Meals Served to First Responders
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
Updated Dec 14, 2021 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/10495

Philippines

Evacuation Centre, Typhoon Odette/Rai

Shelter · Open

Dapa town, Siargao island
Service Temporary

source: https://www.aljazeera.com/news/2021/12/16/thousands–evacuate–as–typhoon–odette–approaches–the–philippines
Campaigns: 2021 December, US Tornadoes
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TN

Tornado Shelters, and other Relief sites

Info/Hotline · Open

Mayfield, TN
Service Temporary

How You Can Help, Where Shelters Are, Family Unification: Multi–Agencies Responding To Tornado Disaster

December 13, 2021 @ 8:42 am
Shannon McFarlin

Mayfield, Tenn.–The Regional Emergency Operations Center at Mayfield is coordinating a multi–agency response to the catastrophic tornado that caused major damage in Mayfield/Graves County, areas of Marshall County and created power outages and communication issues in surrounding counties.

Rescue and recovery efforts continue at the Candle Factor on Mayfield's west side.

The EOC is continuing to refine contact numbers and drop–off locations for donations and points of contact for families in need of assistance.

Please review the following information as there are significant changes and new information that will be helpful to the public.

Shelter
An initial assessment determined that more than 400 people are likely to seek emergency overnight shelter and many will require shelter for a week or more. Saturday night there were approximately 100 individuals who sought shelter. There is concern about families who are out side of the tornado path who are staying in their homes who do not have electricity or an alternate heat source, but may need assistance with food and other items.

The Red Cross has established shelters at the following locations:

First United Methodist Church
100 Church St.
Hickman, KY 4205
Justin Jackson
270–254–0261

Wingo Old Cumberland Presbyterian Church
334 Lebanon St, Wingo, KY 42088
Contact: Pastor RB Mays
270–983–0333

The Way Center
449 Lebanon Street, Wingo, KY, 42088
Contact: Pastor Ike Murphy
270–564–0699

Fancy Farm Knights of Columbus Hall
20 KY Hwy 39
Fancy Farm,Kentucky, 42039,
Contact: Todd Hayden, Commissioner
270–705–1051

Lone Oak First Baptist Church
3601 Lone Oak Road, Paducah, KY 42003
Contact: Pastor Hank Garner
704–699–3473

The EOC has identified a need for a shelter with support for those with medical needs. Efforts to meet this need have started.

These shelters will also feed families impacted by the storm.

His House Church has food at their facility at 1250 KY Hwy 303/Cuba Road in Mayfield, KY. Contact the church for additional info at 270–247–7772.

Food and Supply Dropoff Locations
A food, supply, and cash donation drop–off has been established at Heartland Worship Center off I–24 Exit 7 in Paducah. For info call 270–331–0945.

Donations
Individuals who have material donations or wish to donate cash may call 270–297–7772 or 270–331–0945.

Mayfield–Graves County Tornado Relief Fund
An account to handle cash donations has been set up through Independence Bank. Donations may be directed to the fund via Independence Bank, P.O. Box 9, Fancy Farm, Kentucky 42034. An electronic donation system will be organized as soon as possible.

Volunteers - General
At this time the response effort has sufficient volunteers. Volunteers should be part of an organized group that has a specific mission in mind. In the coming weeks volunteers will be needed to assist individual home and business owners with cleanup efforts. Groups who are organizing volunteers to assist with cleanup efforts in coming weeks should call the Tornado Volunteer Hotline at 270–727–5114 to be directed to a Google Forms site to provide information on the number of volunteers in your group, types of assistance you can provide, and times your group can be available.

Volunteers– Medical
There is a need for a shelter directed at individuals with medial needs. Volunteers with medial skills may call 270–804–1742 to contact the health department for info.

Transportation
Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) District 1 crews from Ballard, McCracken, Crittenden, and Livingston counties are on–site assisting the Graves County Highway Maintenance Crew with efforts to clear as many city streets and county roads as possible over the next week. The county road departments from Graves County and Ballard County are also providing personnel and equipment. They will be working closely with local utility personnel to assure the safety of crews and the public when power lines are encountered. Initially, crews will only remove material along the roadway and sidewalks. Removal of debris from private property will wait until later. Efforts are now focused on clearing streets to facilitate a damage assessment survey. Streets where crews are working will be closed to all traffic as required. We would like to emphasize that this operation is for street clearing only. Efforts to remove debris from private property will be organized at a later date.

Photo Documentation for Insurance and FEMA
Prior to removing any debris from their property, residents with tornado damage should take photos to have for insurance documentation. These photos will also assist community leaders as they seek disaster assistance from FEMA and other agencies.

Traffic Signals
Due to power outages we have a number of traffic signals out of service across the region. 4–Way Stop signs have been placed at these intersections. There have been a number of crashes around the region at these locations when drivers did not exercise patience. When you encounter a 4–Way Stop use appropriate caution. Look and look again before entering the intersection.

Family Unification
His House Church is establishing a center to assist those with missing family members. The center will collect basic information to be shared with police agencies who are attempting to more accurately determine the number of missing. His House Church is located at 1250 KY Hwy 303/Cuba Road, Mayfield, KY.

Electric Utilities
West KY RECC reports 80 percent of their customers now have power. However, more than 150 utility poles are damaged or destroyed. Some substantial progress has been made toward restoring power. Initially, nine of the system's 13 sub stations were damaged or otherwise not energized. Today, power was restored to all but two of the sub stations. Those are awaiting power to be restored to the TVA transmission lines that supply them. Customers may check the WKRECC Facebook page for more info. WKRECC has 25 mutual–aid crews on–site to assist with restoring power – an effort that could take a week or more to complete. Each crew will be escorted by a local utility representative. WKRECC crews and emergency response crews will be assisting Mayfield Electric & Water on Monday. A Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) survey of cross–country transmission lines indicates there are some significant transmission issues. Crews are mobilizing– there is no estimated repair schedule.

Water Utilities
The City of Mayfield is under a boil water order that will likely last at least a week or more. With use of generators to operate pumps, the city is producing water at a trickle rate to provide flow for basic use. Residents are urged to conserve water until normal water production capacity is restored. The boil order will remain in place until appropriate water production and pressure can be restored.

Security
50 National Guard members are on–site to assist law enforcement with security. More are expected to arrive on Monday. There is a 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. curfew for Mayfield and parts of Graves County impacted by the tornado. Police will aggressively enforce this curfew.

Medical Services
Jackson Purchase Median Center is at capacity. Additional ambulances will be stationed at the hospital to assist with patient transfers should the need arise.

Special Note on Use of Generators
Homeowners using generators should be aware of the potential for carbon monoxide poisoning. Keep generators away from windows and doors. Use caution when fueling to avoid the opportunity for fire. Use caution to prevent generators from back feeding along power lines. Homeowners should also be aware of the hazards associated with the use of unvented space heater and other alternate heat sources that can create hazardous conditions or cause fire. Please use extra caution.

Additional Assistance
Counseling teams will be available for families of victims and those who are in need of trauma counseling due to their experiences during the tornado. A mechanism for contacting the teams is being developed.

Medication and Package Deliveries
Fed Ex and UPS have deliveries of medication and other packages that would normally go to addresses within the damage corridor. They have set up a pick–up location on a lot next to the Linwood Chevrolet dealership on U.S. 45 just north of the Interstate 69 Mayfield Exit 25 Interchange. Fed Ex and UPS will notify the intended recipient through their electronic notification system as packages arrive on–site.

Senior Citizens With Health Issues in Tornado Zone
Senior Citizens who have health issues and live in the tornado corridor or are without power may be eligible to temporarily stay in a nursing home until services are restored to their home. This is for senior citizens on Medicare or Medicaid.

Mayfield City Government Pubic Meetings
By authority of Mayor Kathy O'Nan, all Mayfield City Government meetings are cancelled until further notice – most notably the Dec. 13, 2021, City Council Meeting.

Temporary Flight Restrictions
Mayfield has been issued temporary aircraft flight restrictions. This has been issued for the next four days and will likely be extended. Pilots should contact the FAA for details.

The Regional EOC anticipates an update on this list around midday Monday.

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet and Kentucky State Police are assisting the Regional EOC by providing communication services.

source: https://www.radionwtn.com/2021/12/13/how-you-can-help-where-shelters-are-family-unification-multi-agencies-responding-to-tornado-disaster/

Services offered: Directories of Services & Programs * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types)
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VA

Mercy Chefs – HQ

Info/Hotline · Open

Food Pantry & Mobile Food Program
VA
Phone 1.757.292.4264 – Email us at info @MercyChefs.com and we will try to be of service to you
Web www.mercychefs.com
Service Permanent

https://mercychefs.com/press

2026 Disaster responses –
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FROM THE SITE 10/27/12 (LTel)

From the Desk of:
Gary LeBlanc, Mercy Chefs

Dear Facebok Friends,

A quick update to let you know that our Mercy Chefs team is closely monitoring Hurricane Sandy which is now expected to make landfall along the I-95 Northeast corridor.

The storm could impact 65-70 million people, with millions losing power. Throughout the weekend, I will be in close contact with state emergency management officials as well as our ministry partners to ensure that Mercy Chefs can provide relief as needed to the hardest hit areas.

Tomorrow, we will begin moving Mercy Chefs resources into Virginia. This will allow us to respond to the earliest possible impact while putting us within hours of reaching almost anywhere along the northeast corridor.

If this storm takes the track now projected, we could witness a very serious emergency event impacting the most densely populated region in the entire nation. There is even the possibility of heavy snow on the back side of the storm. This could result in massive power outages inland as well as in coastal regions.

BE PREPARED!

If you live along the northeast corridor, I cannot emphasize enough how important it is to be prepared. Storms of this magnitude can be extremely dangerous. And once power is lost, the world changes dramatically. FEMA has many useful resources posted, including emergency kit checklists. Go here:

http://www.ready.gov/hurricanes

I will be sending you email updates as events warrant. The fastest way to get the latest information from Mercy Chefs is to through our Facebook page.

Finally, thank you so much for your prayers and support. I am so grateful for friends like you who make it possible for our team to provide the comfort of a hot meal to those whose lives have been turned upside down by disasters.

May God bless you.

Gary LeBlanc
Founder/President
Mercy Chefs Inc.

P.S. As I noted, we are moving our kitchen resources into position and will be staged in Virginia so we can respond as quickly as possible as events warrant. Much of our expenses occur prior to deployment as we stage and equip our Mercy Chefs facilities. If you would like to make a tax–deductible gift today to help us prepare, please visit our website: www.mercychefs.com/donate

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