

Disaster Preparedness Community & Fellowship Plan (Outline)

1. Spiritual Foundation

- Establish a shared commitment to prayer, unity, and trust in God (Matthew 18:20).
- Appoint prayer leaders/intercessors to cover the group consistently.
- Create a Scripture list of encouragement, strength, and hope for group use.

2. Roles & Responsibilities

- Identify individual strengths (medical knowledge, cooking, teaching, technical skills).
- Assign roles: security, medical care, food prep, spiritual encouragement, communications.
- Rotate responsibilities to prevent burnout.

3. Communication Strategy

- Create a contact list (phone, radio channel, walkie-talkie codes).
- Establish check-in times during crisis (morning/evening updates).
- Designate an emergency gathering location if separation occurs.

4. Resource Pooling & Sharing

- Agree on shared supply contributions (extra food, water, first aid, tools).
- Create a central inventory system for accountability.
- Develop guidelines for distribution based on need, not favoritism (Acts 2:44–45).

5. Training & Drills

- Schedule quarterly preparedness meetups (practice cooking with stored food, using radios, first aid basics).
- Teach biblical lessons on stewardship, resilience, and community support.
- Encourage family participation, including children, so all know what to do.

6. Care & Outreach

- Plan for vulnerable members (elderly, disabled, single parents).
- Establish a “buddy system” for accountability and safety.
- Prepare extra supplies for evangelism and relief—Bibles, food packs, hygiene kits.

7. Spiritual Encouragement During Crisis

- Daily devotionals, group prayers, and Scripture sharing.
- Use the crisis as an opportunity for testimony and ministry.
- Remind the group: **preparedness is wisdom, but our trust is always in the Lord.**