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Disasters In The Southeast – How We As Sons Can Help

- 1. Brothers, by now, you are all well aware of the tragic events that occurred as a result of Hurricane Helene throughout the Southeast. And just yesterday, Hurricane Milton's wrath has befallen Florida. The devastation is unimaginable and widespread. Currently, we are unaware of any particular Brothers in need, however it is clear that our fellow citizens and their communities are suffering and in dire need of assistance.
- 2. Therefore, I urge all Brothers to look to one of the most important tenets of our Order, Charity, and consider making a contribution to the Hurricane Relief Fund of your choice.
- 3. Additionally, I have directed our National Chaplain, Brother Douglas Jones, to be the point-of-contact for Brothers directly affected by these natural disasters and gather any and all pertinent information regarding their situation and/or needs. Chaplain Jones will update our National leadership team who will work diligently to provide assistance to the fullest extent possible. Chaplain Jones can be contacted via email:

chaplain@suvcw.org

4. Finally, in light of these catastrophes, I call on each Brother to keep the fate of those affected at the fore of our prayers and meditations.

Ordered this 10th Day of October 2024

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