OUR MISSION

To glorify Christ by equipping, empowering, and mobilizing the Church of Greater Austin to shepherd those affected by disaster and meet their physical, emotional, and spiritual needs. (*Luke 10:25-37, Ephesians 4:12-16*)

OUR VISION

To be an active, empowered Life-Sustaining Church Network™, bringing hope into crisis through the transforming power of Jesus Christ to every life and community that we serve. (*Revelation 19:7*)

FOUNDED IN 2009

Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN) is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization that networks more than 180 Greater Austin churches to bring hope into crisis. We stand ready to act when disaster strikes – deploying manpower and providing funds, supplies, transportation, temporary housing, and other services to survivors during and after a crisis.

LIFE-SUSTAINING LOCAL CHURCHES

Each network church prepares with its own pool of trained volunteers to respond with emotional, spiritual, and physical aid to survivors who may have lost everything and don’t know where to turn. ADRN-trained volunteers arrive on the scene of a disaster field with professional credentials ready to jump into action under the direction of government officials and first responders.

Daniel Geraci founded the Austin Disaster Relief Network (ADRN) and currently serves as the Executive Director.

Following Hurricane Katrina in 2005, the Lord inspired Daniel with the vision to build a network of churches in Greater Austin to mobilize, organize, and train together to face similar disasters. What began with a small team of volunteers has expanded to include nearly 45 staff members along with thousands of volunteers dedicated to equipping, empowering, and mobilizing local churches in times of disaster.
SHEPHERD PROGRAM
Following any devastating event, survivors face the daunting task of putting their lives back together. Healing from emotional, physical, and financial devastation requires an intentional, well-developed support system; this is where the ADRN network shines. After meeting survivors’ immediate needs, ADRN-trained Shepherds provide ongoing emotional support to survivors while connecting them with the funds and resources needed to recover. Shepherds walk with survivors for as long as it takes to get them back in a safe and clean home.

GOVERNMENT AFFILIATIONS
ADRN works closely with government agencies to ensure our recovery efforts align with government laws and regulations. Our volunteers also receive nationally-recognized training that earns the trust of government officials.

BUSINESS PARTNERS & COMMUNITY SUPPORT
ADRN fosters professional relationships with a wide variety of business partners to facilitate in-kind and monetary donations such as gift cards, furniture, clothing, and housing for survivors. We also partner with local nonprofits and organizations, utilizing their unique skills and services to connect survivors with available resources.

ADRN Celebrating 12 Years 2009-2021

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