

"TURNING THOSE IN CRISIS TOWARD CHRIST"

Emergency Chaplains

FEBRUARY 2020



CERTIFICATION PROGRAM



We officially launched our new Certification Program! Our goal with this new training is to raise the standard for volunteer Chaplains across the State of North Carolina. This program provides comprehensive training to those interested and already serving in Public Safety and Community Chaplaincy.

We have had a lot of interest in the program. Several people are already involved in the different aspects of the training. Many of these people are currently serving Public Safety and Community Chaplaincy.

Agencies across North Carolina, and are seeking to learn how to develop their chaplaincy skills for the glory of God!

For a limited time, we are offering the first course of our training, *Basics of Community Chaplaincy* for FREE to anyone who is interested. This is a great way to check out the training and investigate chaplaincy. If you would like to take this free course, or if you know somebody who may be interested, you can contact our office at Office@EChap.org or (919) 399-9468 for more information.

Please continue to pray for our staff as we are working with people who are interested in joining the ministry of Emergency Chaplains!

2020 ANNUAL BANQUET TICKETS AVAILABLE

2020 Emergency Chaplains Banquet

Sunday April 26th at 6:00pm

Greystone Church, Durham
(in the Family Life Center)

*Seating is limited
Reserve your tickets today!*

See enclosed card for ticket
and sponsorship information
or go to: EChap.org/Banquet



Please help us raise the funds we need to help the First Responders who serve our community so faithfully.

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HIPAA & BLOODBORNE PATHOGEN TRAINING

In January we hosted training for our Chaplains and local First Responders covering HIPAA & Bloodborne Pathogens. We had close to 30 people attend the training over two days.

Col. Kevin Wilson (Ret.) with Durham County EMS taught the course and helped provide valuable information for our Chaplains and personnel from the Lebanon Volunteer Fire Department.

Our goal is to be able to host this training in an online format in conjunction with our Certification Program.

Offering this training online will enable us to provide it to Chaplains across the state who may need it to meet the requirements of their Public Safety Agency.



CRISIS RESPONSE TEAM DEVELOPMENT

As part of our desire to see a sustainable, Christ-focused chaplaincy presence in all 100 counties of North Carolina, we have Chaplains in several counties that are developing Crisis Response Teams while building relationships with Public Safety Agencies and churches. Pray for these Chaplains and the counties that God has placed them in.

Johnston County– David & Kathleen Glover

Rockingham County– Rick Freeman

Yancey County– Johnny Hewett

Yadkin County– Jerry McFadyen

Hertford County– Howard & Melissa Taylor and Chris Couch

CHAPLAIN FIELD REPORTS

CHAPLAIN RESPONDED to a call where a child died. The Chaplain was able to minister to the family for several hours. The Chaplain was also able to help connect the family to needed resources.

CHAPLAINS PARTICIPATED IN LAW ENFORCEMENT APPRECIATION. Members of our team were able to deliver baked goods to Highway Patrol, Roxboro PD and Person County Sheriff's Dept.

COMFORT PROVIDED FOR FAMILY BY CHAPLAIN after a loved one had committed suicide. The Chaplain was able to provide care and counseling for the deceased's children and other family while the investigation took place.

INDIVIDUAL FOUND THEIR SPOUSE COLLAPSED on their front porch. EMS was called but resuscitation efforts were not successful. Chaplain responded and provided care and counseling for the family on scene.

GRIEVING FAMILY AND NEIGHBORS CARED FOR BY CHAPLAIN after the unexpected death of a loved one. The Chaplain gave counsel to the family. Neighbors stepped in to ensure the family had a place to stay for the night.

TWO CHAPLAINS PROVIDED CARE for a family where a loved one was found deceased. Chaplains were on scene for two hours.