

What is the Twelve (12) Tubs (Recovery Assistance) Program?

The Office of Emergency Operations Collaborative (EOC) is responsible for the Diocese of San Bernardino's humanitarian aid response to natural disasters and other emergency situations.

Up until now, emergency supplies had been stored at a location in the Low Desert Vicariate, however, with the fires in the San Bernardino Mountains and the Earthquake in the High Desert, it was determined that the emergency plan is in need of overhauling.

It was determined that transporting emergency supplies to the High Desert took upwards of six hours one way and with limited number of vehicles, the response was inadequate for what our needs were.

To rectify this logistics issue, the EOC has designed a plan, the Twelve Tubs, whereby emergency supplies can be collected and stored at various churches in all the vicariates and be drawn upon as needed by the EOC should such an emergency arise. Thus their initial emergency aid response time can be shortened with the help of the local parishes with the bulk of the supplies to follow as soon as they can be transported.

Below is a list of the supplies each parish is requested to collect and store in these twelve tubs. They include:

'Parish 12 Tubs Supplies List'

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| 1. 100 yr. Water Cans – can be purchased at Simpler Life, Redlands | 9. Blankets |
| 2. Adult Sweatpants sets | 10. Canned Food/vegetables, fruit etc. with pull top lids |
| 3. Children Sweatpants sets | 11. Canned Meat with pull top lids/metal keys (tuna, SPAM etc.) |
| 4. Diapers | 12. Tylenol Packets (Adult/Children) |
| 5. Canned/Powdered Milk | |
| 6. Toothpaste/Toothbrushes | |
| 7. Hand Sanitizers/Towelettes | |
| 8. Towels/Wash Cloths | |



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Thank you in advance for your support of this 'mission of hope' during this 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope.

We will begin collecting these recovery assistance items during the Season of Lent as part of our effort to be a ray of hope to those who may experience loss during a natural disaster or emergency situation.

***** All Items may be dropped off at the Ministry Center during normal business hours or when specific items are being collected at a parish event (such as Lenten soup suppers). Please watch the Parish Bulletin for more information. *****

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(Post this list on your refrigerator.)

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2. **Adult Sweatpants sets**
3. **Children Sweatpants sets**
4. **Diapers**
5. **Canned/Powdered Milk**
6. **Toothpaste/Toothbrushes**
7. **Hand Sanitizers/Towelettes**
8. **Towels/Wash Cloths**
9. **Blankets**
10. **Canned Food/vegetables, fruit etc. with pull top lids**
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And Thank You!

