



Care Outreach is a Christian organisation that our church supports prayerfully and financially.

THEIR MISSION IS TO CARE FOR THE PHYSICAL EMOTIONAL AND SPIRITUAL WELL-BEING OF PEOPLE IN RURAL AND REMOTE AUSTRALIA.

The recent floods will have a huge impact on the work that Care Outreach does to support the families and communities in rural and remote areas. Every region Care Outreach visit in Outback Western Qld has been affected by this weather event. From Adavale in the northern reaches of CO's visiting area, Quilpie, Thargomindah, Hungerford and down to the most southern areas around Wanaaring in NWNSW. The water levels have broken 50yr old record highs, this flood is leaving major devastation in its wake. It's going to be a long-haul recovery, not just days and weeks, but months and in some cases years, for our farming families and their communities.

Our immediate support is contacting farming families and checking in. Enquiring as to how are they doing, are they safe, providing encouragement and a listening ear, giving reassurance they aren't and will not be forgotten.

The longevity of disaster takes a heavy toll on mental health. Caring for our people is our priority. Trauma, frustration, anger, numbness & anxiety are emotions commonly associated with a disaster of this magnitude.

Right now, our farmers need our prayers.

They need reassurance they are not forgotten. They need time to process their situation. In the days, weeks and months to come, they need physical help, they will need a shoulder to cry on, a listening ear and more encouragement to keep going.

Longer term, when conditions permit and towns and properties are accessible, emergency packs, food hampers and general supplies will continue to be needed. We keep our ear to the ground to find those who may have fallen through the cracks and missed assistance, or where specific individual needs are raised.



If you can assist with finance, we have a designated Disaster Account, 100% goes to the relief effort (no admin or running expenses) and is Tax Deductible.

DIRECT DEBIT

Account Name: CARE OUTREACH LTD
BSB 034 279 A/C 273 107
For receipting, please use your name.

First time donors, please email info@careoutreach.com.au or phone 07 5471 7636 to help us correctly issue your receipt.

Finance enables us assist people where they most need and our focus is to purchase as much in those local communities, supporting businesses.

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