

Find out how you can **Pray**.

Participate.

Provide.

PRAY.

HAPLAIN

Pray the people here will come to faith in Jesus Christ. Pray for protection in a very dark spiritual region where opposition is very obvious at times. Pray there would be a revival in the Northwest so we will be culturally relevant, spiritually healthy and bold in proclaiming the gospel. Pray God will raise up native, mature church leaders. Pray God will continue opening doors for ministry and help us to be ready to respond appropriately. Pray God provide will bring more disaster relief responders to meet the challenges.

PARTICIPATE

Commit to long-term prayer support. Explore the opportunities to extend the reach of your church by becoming a chaplain. Be involved in supporting chaplains and their families. Send notes of encouragement. Talk with a chaplain about his or her ministry context. Send resources that support a chaplain's ministry context. Pray for chaplains and their families.

PROVIDE

NAMB does not provide compensation for SBC endorsed chaplains. However, a general fund is available to receive donations in support of the ministry and pastoral care to SBC endorsed chaplains. To donate, please visit Support Chaplaincy (missionaries.namb.net/projects/full/chaplaincy).

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About the Family

GO CHURCH EAST COUNTY

We live in Sandy, Ore., near Portland, but most of our ministry takes place in Clackamas County. We moved our family to the Portland area in 2002 from Dallas/Ft. Worth to help start new churches in the Northwest to be closer to family members in this area, and because we were already in love with the area where our family had vacationed so many times before.

We brought three children with us, all of whom are grown now. We have three grandchildren.

My work career has been in the information technology (IT) field for most of my life. It helps pay the bills so I can do ministry.

About My Ministry

I serve as an SBC-endorsed chaplain to one of the largest fire districts in Oregon, a statewide organization of board members for fire districts, a search and rescue team, and Southern Baptist Disaster Relief. I also served as a 911 dispatch chaplain for seven years. God has opened doors to serve first responders and others in wildfires, active shooter incidents, mudslides and more.

Pictured above is Oso, Wash., where 43 lives were taken. God also leads me in helping agencies plan for disasters, manmade and natural. I seek to reflect my Savior well as I work to improve my communities and share His love.