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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I hope you and your loved ones are safe after the devastating floods that have affected so many.

Like you, I was shocked to see the destruction the floods brought in such a short time. Like you, I want to help those whose lives have been thrown into disarray. Please join me in providing support to those in need.

My Caring Foundation is accepting donations to help our partner agencies deliver vital help to so many. You can make an **online donation** today so that assistance can get to families quickly.

<https://caringfoundation.org.nz/donate-3/>

Your donation will be used for food, shelter, clothes and other essential supplies and support services.

Already, many of the Foundation's partner agencies are working around the clock to ensure that people are safe and able to get the help that they need quickly.

If you or your loved ones are in need, please get more details on the Auckland Emergency Management website

<https://www.aucklandemergencymanagement.org.nz/major-incident/flooding-2023>

For those who have already donated to the Flooding Relief Appeal, my heart-felt thanks to you. It is humbling to have you on this journey with us.

Please join with me in keeping those in need in our prayers as they start the process of rebuilding their shattered lives.

Yours sincerely in Christ the Good Shepherd

✘ **Steve Lowe**  
**Bishop of Auckland**