

Dear NU Family,

I hope you enjoyed the beautiful Labor Day weekend!

I want to take a moment this morning to thank you all for your generosity. Since we started receiving offerings for Hurricane Harvey relief last Wednesday in Convocation Chapel, you have donated over **\$4,500**. These gifts have been directly given to [Convoy of Hope](#), a reputable, responsible, faith-based disaster relief organization that is actively helping in Texas right now.

If you would still like to give, we are accepting donations through this **Wednesday, September 6**. You can give in the following ways:

- Bring cash or check to the Campus Ministries office in the Pecota Student Center (open 9am-5pm on weekdays)
- Bring cash or check to the chapel on Wednesday for offering (services are at 10am and 11:20am)
- Donate securely with a credit card via PushPay:
 - Text NUGIVE to 77977
 - Open PushPay link
 - Enter donation amount and select "Chapel" from the dropdown "Giving Type" menu
 - Enter credit card and email information
 - Press "Give One Time" to submit

Again, thank you for helping those who are in great need in our country. I personally have two friends who have been affected by this disaster. Thankfully, they and their families have been rescued from their homes, but they have lost everything they own. With over 30,000 displaced people in emergency shelters in the Houston area, I am reminded of what Jesus told His followers in Matthew 25:40. "The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'" (NIV) It is a joy and privilege for the community of Christ to help others in times of need, and it is an action that the Lord honors as well.

COMING UP THIS WEEK

Monday, September 4 | UNIVERSITY CLOSED

Wednesday, September 6 | Chapel: John Mark Comer video | Butterfield Chapel, 10 and 11:20am

Wednesday, September 6 | Church Fair, Part One | Butterfield Chapel, 9:30am-12:30pm

Friday, September 8 | Chapel: President Castleberry | Butterfield Chapel, 10 & 11:20am

Friday, September 8 | Church Fair, Part Two | Butterfield Chapel, 9:30am-12:30pm

In Christ,

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