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EIGHT DAYS OF HOPE RESPONDS TO HURRICANE MILTON

Tupelo, MS – Eight Days of Hope (EDOH) is deploying its Mass Feeding Ministry to the Sarasota, FL, area in the aftermath of Category 3 Hurricane Milton. As of Thursday afternoon, an estimated 3.3 million people in Florida are without power.

“It is humbling to return, once again, to the Sarasota area, where we worked alongside this resilient community and those in Ft. Myers to respond to Hurricane Ian,” says Stephen Tybor III, EDOH President and CEO. “While we wish we were returning to the area for happier circumstances, we are thankful to be able to provide hope in the midst of Milton for days, and even weeks, to come.”

The EDOH Mass Feeding unit is enroute and will finalize set up plans in the coming hours. The first meal served will Friday afternoon on October 11. At this time, EDOH plans to stay in the area for up to eight days with the ability to provide roughly 8,000 meals a day as needed.

The EDOH Rapid Response Ministry is in the area to determine current relief needs for those impacted by Milton. Additional details regarding deployments and volunteer opportunities are available at www.eightdaysofhope.com.

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