

# SITUATION REPORT

# **FIRES IN CALIFORNIA**



FEBRUARY 12, 2018



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In late 2018, wildfires raged across both northern and southern California, destroying thousands of homes and nearly wiping out the town of Paradise, north of Sacramento. Nearly 90 people were reported dead and thousands of people remain displaced from the Camp Fire in the north, which destroyed more than 13,000 homes.



### RESPONSE

Lutheran Disaster Response is working with Lutheran Social Services of Southern California, Lutheran Social Services of Northern California and the California synods to respond to this fire. Your gifts have helped survivors buy essentials like groceries and other basic needs. In the months to come, we will continue to work with our partners to address such longer-term needs as rebuilding homes, replacing lost property, and emotional and spiritual care.



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