The Moravian Board of World Mission (BWM) is closely monitoring the situation in western Alaska after devastating flooding struck multiple communities in the wake of Typhoon Halong, which reached Alaska as a powerful storm system over the weekend.

Several communities with strong Moravian ties have been directly impacted. Early reports indicate significant damage to homes and infrastructure. Hundreds of people have taken shelter in schools and community buildings.

BWM has not yet received direct updates from the Alaskan Province, and much remains unknown at this early stage, but it is clear that the impact of this storm is widespread and severe, and additional Moravian communities may also have been affected.

BWM asks for your prayers for the individuals, families, and entire communities affected by this disaster, and for those who are working tirelessly to bring aid and relief in the aftermath of the storm.

The Board of World Mission, through Moravian Disaster Response (MDR), stands ready to offer support in the weeks and months to come. Your gifts make it possible for MDR to respond quickly to urgent needs, provide resources for rebuilding, and accompany our partners through the long recovery ahead.

You can assist with disaster response efforts by giving online at MoravianMission.org/Give. 100% of your gift will be used to provide direct relief. Please designate your gift to "MDR" to ensure that funds can be directed to the disaster relief efforts where there is the greatest need. If you prefer, you may donate by check, payable to "Board of World Mission" and addressed to:

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