



Giving
Hope
Today

Began in Canada in 1917 in response to the Halifax Explosion disaster on December 6th



The Salvation Army's Emergency Disaster Services program consists of 8 initiatives



1. Crisis Intervention



2. Emotional and Spiritual Care



AFTER THE UNSPEAKABLE
WE SPEAK HOPE



3. Food and Hydration Services



4. Shelter and Reception Centre Support



5. Donations Management



6. Emergency Financial Assistance



7. Clean Up and Reconstruction



8. Emergency Communication (SATERN)



Comox Valley CRT (Community Response Trailer)



Providing hydration and child services



First Responders at the Exhibition

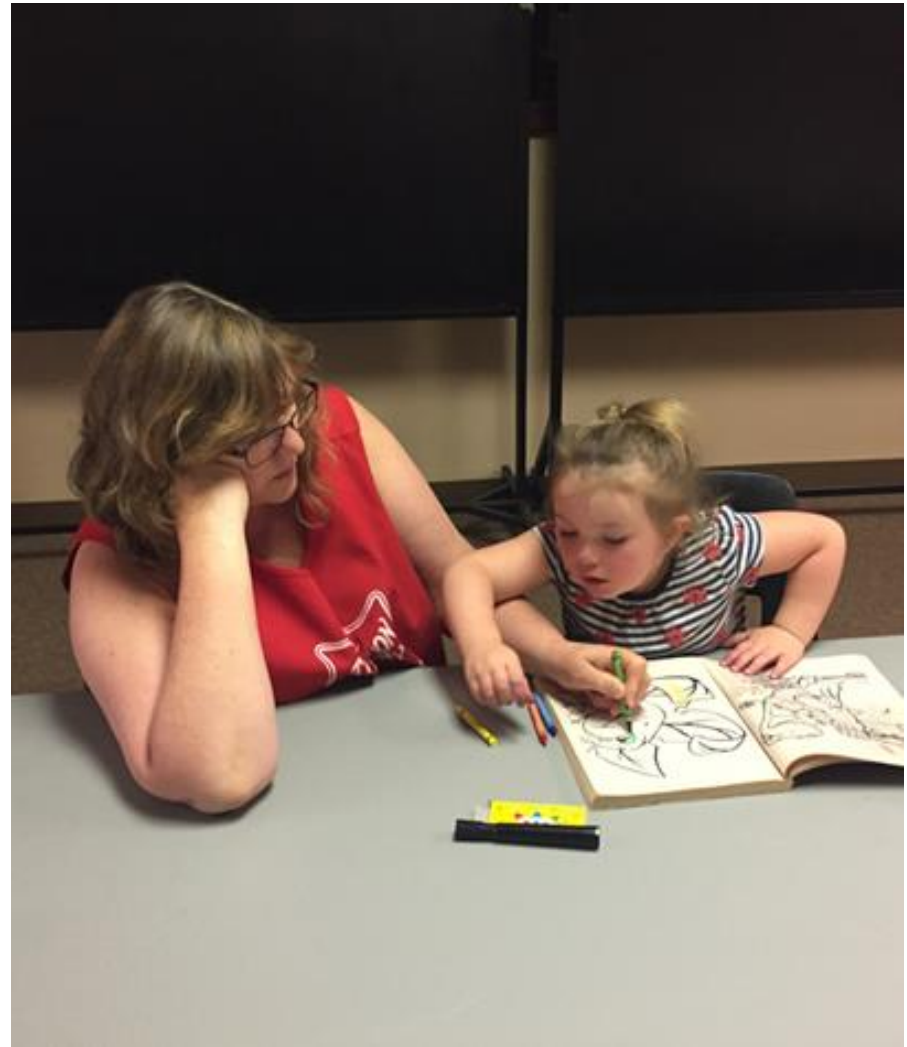
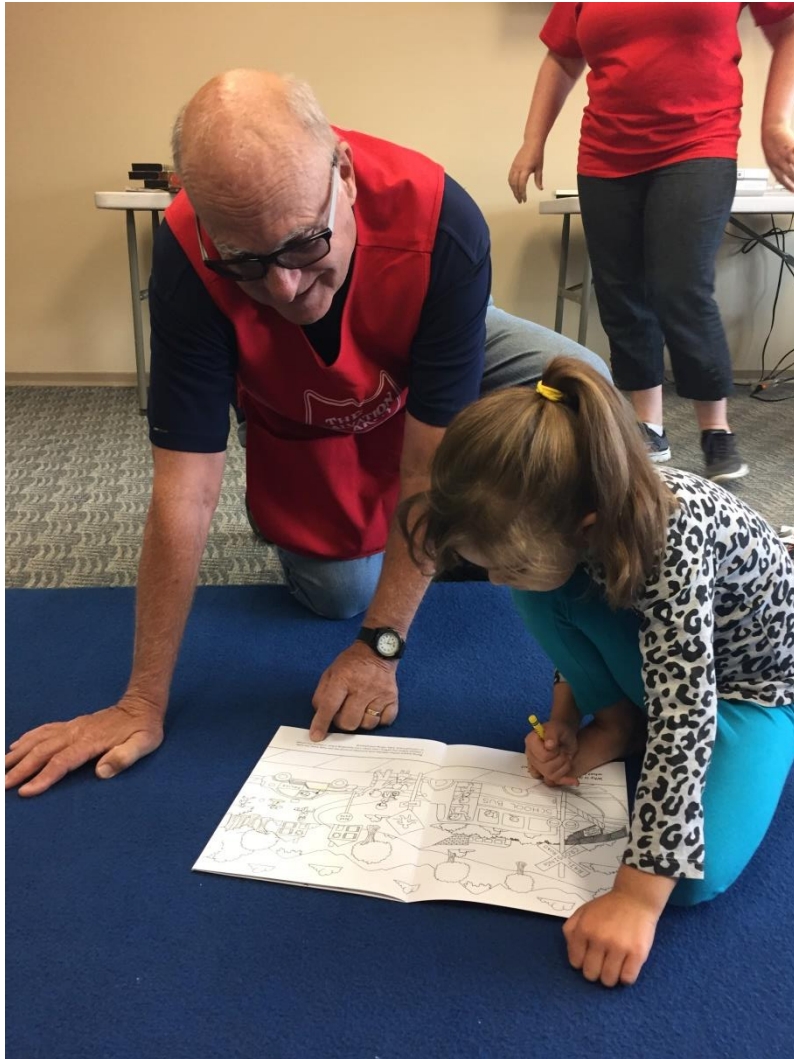


Merritt Deployment

We served 160 meals in three days



Emotional and Spiritual support isn't just for adults!



Prince George Evacuation Centre



Disasters tax families to the breaking point... and sometime beyond!



- EDS teams from 22 BC communities
- Meals served 52,212
- Drinks 120,026
- Snacks 91,627
- Personnel 2,686
- ESC workers 388
- ESC provided 10,310
- CRU's deployed 12 (BC) 1 (Alta)

WE COMBAT
NATURAL DISASTERS
WITH ACTS
OF GOD.

