

## ReThink Hope Ministry

### What To Do Now

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If the **ReTH Ministry** was active in a church in the community where the suicide/shooting occurred, the following activities would have triggered:



- Prayers for the victims would go up.
- **Actions of ReTH Advocates:**  
**\*\*Offer survivors and victim's families comfort in any way possible.**

Contact the **ReTH Development Team** for additional support.

**\*\*Send Flyers and posters into the community calling for prayers, and for persons struggling with depression to contact **ReTH** directly or the closest UMC that is involved in the **ReTH Ministry**.**

**\*\*Seek volunteers (new ReTH Advocates) and places to come together to discuss what to do next to help stop this madness.**

**\*\*Plan to message a billboard near the community where this tragic event occurred with **ReTH Messages of Hope**. Schedule fundraiser to message billboard.**

**Q:** In some communities where these tragedies occur, grief counseling is not provided for schools. What can **ReTH** do to bridge this divide?

Simple answer: Use the church calling for a Town Hall Meeting to connect civic leaders with local professional counseling services.

**\*\*\* ReTH has a special message for drive-by shooters/murders\*\*\***