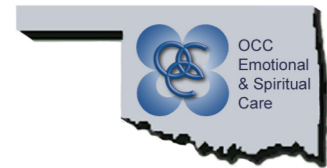
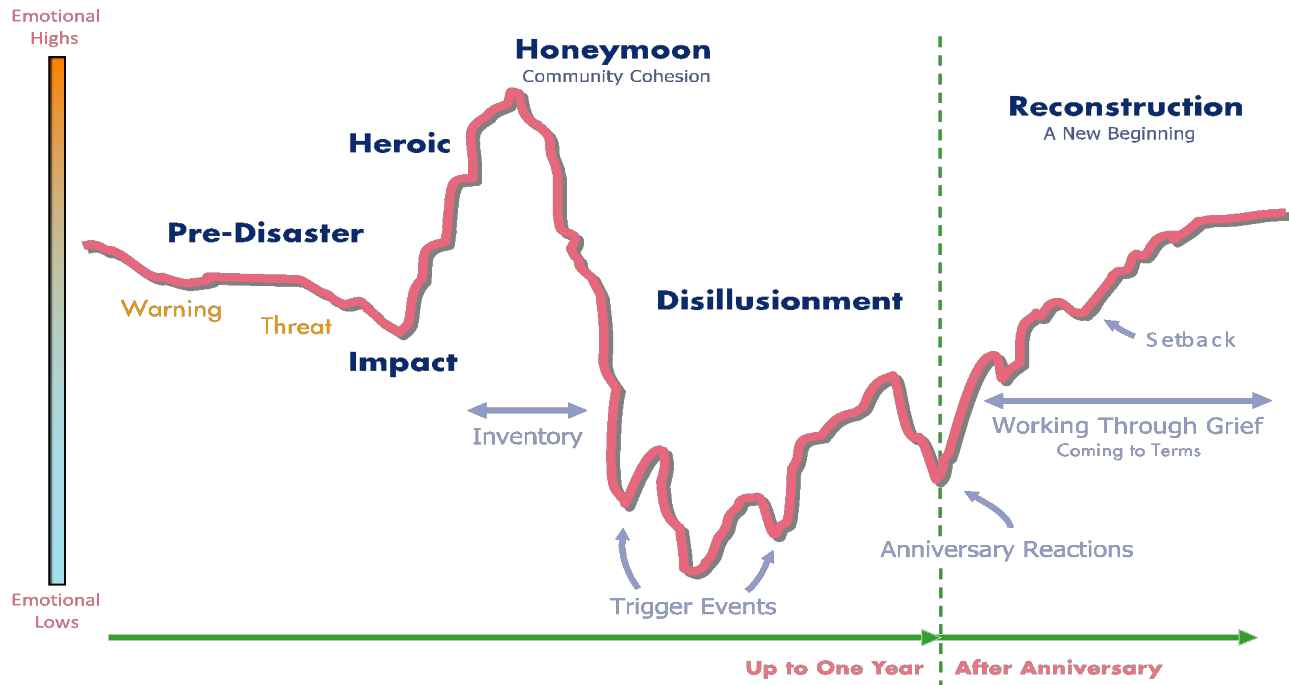


The Pathway Forward



Where are you in your storm recovery?



Adapted from Zunin-Meyers¹

Oklahomans know that disaster recovery can take a long time. Many persons affected by disasters experience a range of emotions, often following a pathway similar to that illustrated above. Identifying where you are along the pathway can provide a sense of normalcy and security as you move forward through recovery and rebuilding.

The fifteen denominations, 1,500 local congregations, interfaith, and community partners comprising the Oklahoma Conference of Churches want you to know you are not alone. For assistance in finding a local clergy, spiritual care provider, or faith community to walk with you along the pathway through recovery, contact:

Oklahoma Conference of Churches
Emotional and Spiritual Care Ministries
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www.okchurches.org

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¹Source: Zunin/Meyers, as cited in U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. (2000). *Training manual for mental health and human service workers in major disasters* (DHHS Publication 90-538). Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Mental Health Services.



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