

Where your offering goes

YOUR WEEKLY OFFERING

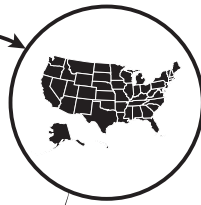
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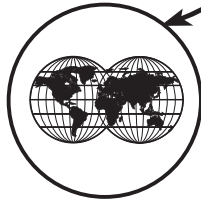
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supports congregations and rostered leaders as they work in their communities and throughout the world.

YOUR CHURCHWIDE ORGANIZATION

responds to local and worldwide ministry opportunities, helping to feed those who are hungry, train future leaders and advocate for justice on behalf of your neighbors around the globe.

Some Mission Support funds may return to your congregation in the form of grants, services, programs or resources.



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- **163 existing congregations** intentionally focused on renewal
- **\$2.5 million in grants** awarded to support ELCA ministries in congregations
- **240 missionaries in 50 countries**, including 50 young adult volunteers
- **Advocacy work with the United Nations and the federal government**
- **26 ELCA colleges and universities**
- **8 ELCA seminaries**
- **Over 180 campus ministries**, with cooperating congregations in campus ministries at an additional 400 campuses nationwide
- **Partnerships** with The Lutheran World Federation, World Council of Churches and the National Council of Churches in Christ

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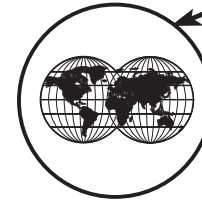
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