

MISSION GOAL: \$2,075,000

2017–2019 MISSION GRANTS

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CURRENT MISSION GRANT HIGHLIGHTS

Providing Food and the Gospel to Starving Children — \$40,000

Mercy Meals of Siouxland is a ministry that packages fortified rice/soy meal and donates all packaged meals to Orphan Grain Train for transportation and delivery to Christian organizations in many countries. With this mission grant, children and families will receive food and hear the Gospel of Jesus Christ in places including India, Haiti, Romania, and Ecuador, as well as to Navajo reservations in the Southwest and Ysleta Mission in El Paso, Texas.

Christian Eldercare Home in Haiti — \$100,000

With this mission grant an Eldercare center will be built on the same property where an orphanage was constructed in 2014. The children will have grandparents and the elderly will have children to make them smile. This would result in a dwelling with clean water, suitable waste containment, beds, food, and care for these forgotten people. This will fulfill the intent of creating a true community for Haitian Lutherans by providing a safe living environment.

Sharing Jesus with People with Disabilities — \$100,000

Bethesda Lutheran Communities desire to enhance the lives of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities with services that share the Good News of Jesus Christ. With over 1,900 people at 300 program sites in 13 states being served, travel is essential in achieving this mission. Relying on the support of donors, Bethesda nourishes relationships and grows their network to support people of all abilities with their faith journey. These mission grant funds are used to support ministry consultant travel.



1. Providing Food and the Gospel to Starving Children	\$40,000
2. Mercy House for Women and Children	\$100,000
3. Christ for Veterans and Their Families	\$27,750
4. Tanzanian Sewing Center	\$25,000
5. Current Missionary Need	\$100,000
6. Lutheran Children's Books for Families Worldwide	\$100,000
7. Christian Hope Through Mass Media in Egypt	\$100,000
8. NOLA 4H: Hearts for the Hungry, Homeless, and Hurting	\$100,000
9. Lutheran World Relief Quilt and Kit Shipping Fund	\$80,000
● 10. Christian Eldercare Home in Haiti	\$100,000
● 11. Training Lutheran Middle Eastern Missionaries	\$93,000
12. Completion of Lutheran School Buildings in Uganda	\$48,000
13. Equipping Youth to Witness for Life—Y4Life	\$25,000
14. Laborers of Love	\$100,000
15. Sharing Jesus with People with Disabilities	\$100,000
● 16. Education Loan Repayment Assistance Grants	\$100,000
17. Nursing Students Serving with Mercy Medical Team	\$25,000
18. Restoration Programs for Native Hawaiians	\$75,000
19. RECONNECT to the Body of Christ, Circuit 28	\$50,000
20. Prison and Jail Ministry 2018 Synod-wide Conference	\$36,500
21. Family Scholarships for Short Term Mission Trips	\$60,000
22. Raising Pastors and Deaconesses	\$97,000

●—grant partially paid; purple highlight—grant paid in full