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Devotion

Christian Hope Through Mass Media in Egypt - \$100,000

And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved (Acts 4:12).

Many souls in our sin-filled world are dying without the saving Word. We as Lutheran Women in Mission have received God's call to tell the story of Jesus, to share the gospel *wherever and whenever He has need of us.*

Sing or Speak: *Listen, God is Calling* (LSB #833, v.1)

Refrain: Listen, listen, God is calling, through the word inviting, offering forgiveness, comfort, and joy.

1. Jesus gave His mandate: Share the good news. He came to save us and set us free.

When we are unable to go to the foreign fields, we can *pray earnestly to the LORD of the harvest to send out laborers...* (Matthew 9:38). And by giving our mites, we enable those far and wide to hear that Jesus loves them; died for their sins; and rose victorious over death and the devil.

Sing or Speak: *Listen, God is Calling* (LSB #833, v. 2)

Refrain:

2. Let none be forgotten, throughout the world. In the triune name of God, go and baptize.

Through the soon to be expanded media broadcasting of Lutheran Hour Ministries in Cairo, Egypt, thousands will hear that in Christ, God has provided the only way to eternal life. Our mites will impact the lives of women and children in refugee camps and families in the Middle East in their homes. As the Holy Spirit works in their hearts, this newly increased media ministry will make an eternal difference in the lives that are touched by the good news.

Sing or Speak: *Listen, God is Calling* (LSB #833, v. 3)

Refrain:

3. Help us to be faithful, standing steadfast, walking in Your precepts, led by Your Word.

Prayer:

Lord God, Heavenly Father, Son and Holy Spirit, You have called us through baptism to be Your servants to reach lost souls throughout the world. Please forgive our lack of compassion for the lost. Give us hearts that yearn to tell the good news to all people. Bless those that hear that You love them through the media broadcasts of Lutheran Hour Ministries in Egypt. Multiply our mites to be an eternal blessing to those who hear it. In Jesus' holy name, Amen.