

LWMLC Sunday

"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace."

As COVID-19 continues to impact our lives, LWMLC faces unprecedented challenges as it spreads the love of Jesus around the world and at home.

During the past year, Foothills Society has donated to Lutheran Bible Translators, Malabar Mission, The Rock Lutheran Inner City Society, the Seminary Guild in Edmonton and Foothills Lutheran Organ Fund (Memorial).

We also organized projects, such as donating used postage stamps for The Canadian Bible Society and used eyeglasses for Optiks International, coloring placemats for Manor residents, and creating valentines for congregational members. Thanks for your participation!

Across Canada and globally, LWMLC missions are supported through LWMLC Mites.

Based on the biblical story of the widow's mite (Luke 21:1-4, ESV): And He (Jesus) said:

"Truly, I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them. For they all contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty put in all she had to live on."

Mites are collected by LWMLC women, above and beyond the support given to the congregation and the synod, amounting to thousands of dollars given toward mission grants and the LWMLC program. Mission grant proposals are voted on at conventions and grants are awarded on that basis.

The Mission Grant commitments for 2021-2024 are listed below. Monies are also allocated to The Mission Opportunity Fund for urgent unexpected projects. By contributing to Foothills Mission of the Month, you can help us honor our commitments. Thank you!

Mission Grants Chosen for 2021-2024

- 1. Street Reach, Regina, SK Rev. DJ Kim–\$12,000–already paid \$4,000
- 2. Vancouver Youth Worker / Samantha Neeb-\$18,900-already paid \$6,300
- 3. Contribution towards land purchase for building first Lutheran Church in Costa Rica-\$10,000
- 4. National Youth Gathering 2022-\$5,000
- 5. Concordia Lutheran Seminary Electronic Library Upgrade-\$15,000
- 6. Translation and Formatting of French Sunday School Materials— \$14,000—already paid \$2,000
- 7. Development of New Mission Site in Lviv, Ukraine–\$12,000–already paid \$4,000
- 8. Jackfish Lutheran Camp, Roblin, MB-\$8,500
- 9. Diaconal Support in Nicaragua, Central America—\$8,600—already paid \$3,000
- 10. Mission Opportunity Fund—\$26,000 (The Mission Opportunity Fund is a permanent feature and delegates chose to fund it with 20% of the total goal)