

LWML-CID Mission Grant Mite Bytes

Zone Officers, Presidents, Pastors & Church secretaries: Please help us to publicize information about the 2025-2026 LWML-CID Mission Grants in your church's bulletins and newsletters throughout the next year. Thank you for your cooperation!

2025-2026

The LWML CID is overjoyed to announce our mission goal for 2025-2026 of \$110,000 with \$82,500 for district grants and the remaining funds to national mission grants. As funds become available throughout the year, the mission grants will be paid in the following order. Updates will be available at www.lwmlcid.org. Praise the Lord for His blessings!

1. Student Aid for Church Workers - \$30,000
2. LCMS Disaster Relief - \$10,000
3. CID Dollars for Mission- \$25,000
4. Healing Spaces for At-Risk Children - \$10,000
5. Just for Moms - \$3,544
6. Our Savior Lutheran School in Uganda – \$3,956

May & June 2025 LWML CID Mission Grant #1 - Student Aid for Church Workers - \$30,000

Due to the high cost of becoming a full-time church worker, many students find it difficult to complete their schooling. This grant will provide partial funding to CID students so they may realize their dreams of becoming full-time church workers. These funds would be distributed through the LCMS CID Scholarship Committee.

How can I help? Pray that God provides men and women willing to become church workers to spread the Gospel message throughout the world. Support this grant by donating to your church's LWML group mite fund.

July and August 2025 LWML CID Mission Grant #2 - LCMS Disaster Relief - \$10,000

LCMS Disaster Relief works with member congregations to immediately give access, relief, and aid in recovery following a disaster. This grant would replenish the funding available to meet the needs to start and enable this process at disaster time.

How can I help? Pray that God provides workers to bring relief and aid during a disaster throughout the US. Support this grant by donating to your church's LWML group mite fund.

September and October 2025 LWML CID Mission Grant #3 - CID Dollars for Mission- \$25,000

The LCMS CID "Dollars for Missions" project supports new church starts, mission-focused augmentations of existing ministries and established CID missions. Every year, the CID Board of Directors chooses one project at a time to fund up to a targeted amount.

How can I help? Pray that God these Dollars for Missions to bring more people to Christ through new church starts and improved ministries. Support this grant by donating to your church's LWML group mite fund.

November and December 2025 LWML CID Mission Grant #4 - Healing Spaces for At-Risk Children - \$10,000

Children who come to Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch have experienced significant abuse, neglect, violence, and other heartbreaking traumas, resulting in psychiatric, emotional, behavioral, and/or developmental challenges. The purpose of this project is to build Zurcher Cottage, a new Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility, a place of care specifically designed to provide Christ-centered care and treatment for the youngest and highest-need children served at Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch.

How can I help? Pray that God provides the funds to build Zurcher Cottage where Christ-centered care can be given to the most challenged of our youth. Support this grant by donating to your church's LWML group mite fund.

January and February 2026 LWML CID Mission Grant #5 – Just for Moms - \$3,544

Almost 4 out of 10 women who receive services from Pregnancy Resources in Moline, IL have no faith background or are of non-Christian faith. Along with this, of professing Christian clients, 48 are at risk for abortion. Pregnancy Resources "Just for Moms" bags help provide a new mom with a holistic wellness approach that considers a person's physical, mental, emotional, social, and spiritual aspects. Each bag offers a Lutherans for Life devotional for mothers, a journal to track emotional needs, post-natal vitamins, and more help to prepare her for the birth and delivery of her baby.

How can I help? Pray that God uses the materials distributed by Pregnancy Resources to bring lost souls to Christ. Support this grant by donating to your church's LWML group mite fund.

March and April 2026 LWML CID Mission Grant #6 - Our Savior Lutheran School in Uganda – \$3,956

The Lutheran Church of Uganda is building Our Savior Lutheran School next to the Lutheran seminary in Magamaga so local children can attend a school not operated by Muslims. Three classrooms have been built so far. These funds would give support for student tuition, room, board, and building costs.

How can I help? Pray that God provides the opportunity for these children to learn about God and His love for them. Support this grant by donating to your church's LWML group mite fund.

DONATIONS TO THE LWML MITES CAN BE GIVEN TO YOUR CHURCH'S LWML GROUP TREASURER ANY TIME DURING THE YEAR!

IT TAKES ALL OF US TO REACH THIS GOAL!

TO GOD GIVE THE GLORY!