

Mission Grants Funded During the 2018-2020 Biennium

1 - Louisiana Foster Care Bed Provision \$2,000.00

FULLY FUNDED - THANKS BE TO GOD!

The grant will be used by James Storehouse in Covington, LA, to purchase bed frames, mattresses, and bedding. These items will bless children and families in the foster care system.

2 - Love2 Homeless Veterans \$5,000.00

FULLY FUNDED - THANKS BE TO GOD!

The grant money will be used to purchase materials needed to upgrade the parsonage into five apartments (with common area) including new flooring, new windows, replacement doors and renovated bathrooms. Appliances will also be upgraded.

3 - Church Organ for Mount Zion \$5,000.00

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The grant money will be used to purchase a new organ for Mount Zion in New Orleans, LA.

4 - Teaching the Teachers to Teach in Ethiopia \$3,000.00

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The Lutheran Heritage Foundation will apply this grant toward the cost of printing 1,000 copies of the Amharic Teacher's Guide for A Child's Garden of Bible Stories.

5 - Lutherans for Life Post-Abortion Crisis Hotline Expansion \$3,000.00

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This grant will be used for Word of Hope - the Lutherans for Life crisis hotline, which addresses post-abortion issues. It is the only one of its kind nationwide that operates from the standpoint of Lutheran doctrine.

6 - LCMS U Campus Ministry \$2,000.00

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This grant will defray costs for the 2019 conference and encourage more students to attend. The cost for registration, lodging, and transportation has been approximately \$700.00 per student. In the past, the costs have been covered by fundraising and the individual funds.

7 - The Hope Expansion Project \$3,700.00

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This grant will be used toward the items necessary for care packages and for volunteer groups hosted in the Hope Centers and at the Mobile Hope Packs.

8 - Reaching Visually Impaired Inmates \$3,800.00

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This grant will enable the Lutheran Braille Workers to open more Large Print Work Centers, so they can reach out with God's Word to inmates who are visually impaired.