

# ELCA WORLD HUNGER

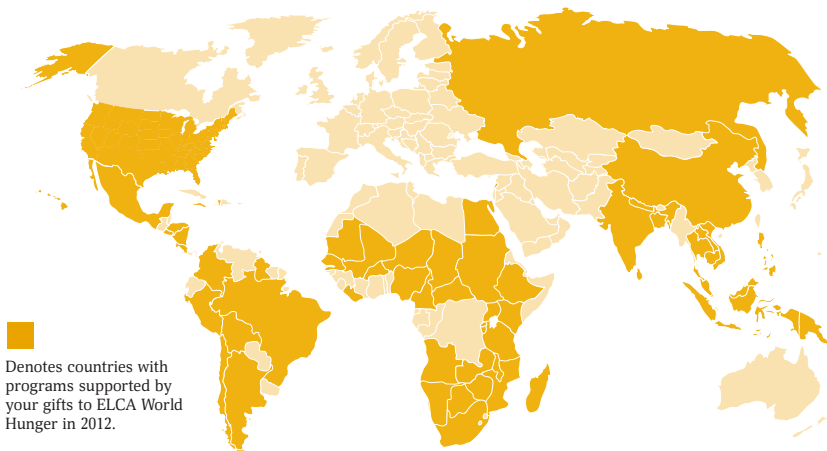
Almost 1 billion of our neighbors – that's one in eight people in our world today – live in poverty. As members of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), we are called to respond. We do God's work in the world – restoring and reconciling communities – not because God needs us to do so, but because our neighbor does.



## GLOBAL NETWORK. LOCAL APPROACH.

Working through Lutheran connections in the United States and nearly 50 other countries around the world, we start by listening to the needs of our

neighbors and getting their ideas to help break the cycle of hunger and poverty. Then we work alongside them to make those dreams a reality.

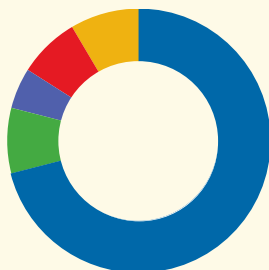


# YOUR GIFTS. YOUR CHURCH. TRANSFORMING THE WORLD.

From microloans to health clinics, water wells to animal husbandry, your gifts to ELCA World Hunger support innovative solutions that get at the root causes of hunger. And they don't stop there. We engage Lutherans in

advocacy and hunger education to act and speak in ways that can make a difference. Through this comprehensive approach, we address hunger from all angles, both locally and around the world.

## HOW YOUR GIFTS ARE USED



*based on 2013 budget*

In 2013, our goal is to raise \$19 million to support projects and programs identified by our partners in the U.S. and around the world. We rely on your gifts – ELCA World Hunger is funded solely by gifts from ELCA members and congregations like yours. Over 90 cents of each dollar you give to ELCA World Hunger directly supports programmatic work; less than a dime is used for hunger program administration and fundraising.

## HOW TO GIVE

### MAIL YOUR GIFTS TO

ELCA World Hunger  
P.O. Box 71764  
Chicago, IL, 60694-1764

### DONATE ONLINE AT

[www.elca.org/hunger/donate](http://www.elca.org/hunger/donate).

### GIVE THROUGH YOUR CONGREGATION'S SUNDAY OFFERING

by making your check payable to your congregation and writing "ELCA World Hunger" in the memo line.



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