

Synod Treasurer's Report

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Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Thank you for the generosity you have shown in sharing God's abundance through your gifts to the Synod's General Mission Support. Because of you, we're glad to report to the 2026 Western North Dakota Synod Assembly that while giving was down slightly from the all-time high of the previous year, the financial position of the Synod remains strong. General Mission Support in the 2025-26 fiscal year was \$1,086,142 — and for that, we give thanks to God. In total, financial support for the Synod's mission and ministry (including the Annual Appeal, gifts earmarked to support Campus Ministry, grants and investment income) was \$1,369,575.



As we live and serve together as the church, support from congregations across our synod is what makes this shared ministry possible. We invite you to take a look at the 2025 FY Congregational Mission Support Report in your Synod Assembly Packet and to prayerfully consider how the Spirit is continuing to call us forward. When a portion of each offering is shared with the Synod, it joins with others to do far more than any one of us could do alone—reaching into our communities, across the country, and around the world.

It all adds up through many hands and faithful hearts, trusting that God can use every gift—large or small—to share Christ's love and grace with all people. We rejoice in the love of God that is so clearly at work in the people and congregations of our synod. And we pray that this love will continue to reach even more hearts through all that we give.



2025 WND Synod Expenses
\$1,346,463

