



## Funding a new vision for a growing and evangelizing church

The **Together in Mission** Fund invites the people and congregations of the Florida-Bahamas Synod to raise funding for new and creative ministries within the synod and the Lutheran Church in Haiti.

### FAQs

**Are gifts to the Together in Mission appeal over and above ongoing Mission Support?** Yes, these are important new ministry initiatives that require gifts above and beyond our regular support of the Florida-Bahamas Synod.

**Can my giving to Together in Mission be designated?** Yes, individual and congregational gifts can be designated as desired to support Together in Mission's work within the Florida-Bahamas Synod, or in support of the Lutheran Church of Haiti, or both. Undesignated gifts are automatically divided 80/20, with 20% toward Haiti.

### What are some of the specific ways the money will be used?

- ⇒ Funding for new and creative ministries
- ⇒ Grants for congregations starting new congregations
- ⇒ Grants to support lay leadership development
- ⇒ Gifts to assist congregations in redevelopment

**How can my congregation apply?** Grant applications are available at [www.fbsynod.com](http://www.fbsynod.com). E-mail your questions to the grant committee at [tim-grant@fbsynod.org](mailto:tim-grant@fbsynod.org).

**How can I donate?** Through your church, or mail your donation designated for Together in Mission to the Florida-Bahamas Synod, 3838 W. Cypress Street, Tampa, FL 33607. Have additional questions? Call: (813) 876-7660.

## Because of Together in Mission...

- Children and youth from Redeemer Lutheran in Lauderdale Lakes spend Friday evenings hearing God's Word, enjoying a hot meal, and learning liturgical dance and instrumental music.



- Hope Lutheran in Port St. Lucie will begin their "Growing Healthy Kids" program. By organizing community gardens, they will plant seeds of God's love in children's hearts while equipping families to grow sustainable, healthy foods.



- Leaders from throughout the synod are equipped with new tools for effective and healthy communication through Post-Call Retreats.

*These and other projects made possible by grants from Together in Mission funds.*