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To: Congregations, Seminaries, Auxiliaries, Listed Service Organizations, and interested others.

RE: 2026 Q1 Gift Report

The attached report summarizes the results of the Gift Planning activity carried out by Lutheran Foundation Canada throughout the first quarter of 2026.

The first page provides a summary of both received and future planned gifts, indicating the total amount allocated to each beneficiary organization, as designated by the donors themselves. Praise be to God!

The detailed "Notes" on the Monthly Detail Report which follows, shows the vast range of gifts, not only by size, but by type, and how they are to be disbursed. Please note that Direct and Bequest gifts are current gifts which have already been received and disbursed, whereas Established or Identified gifts are future planned gifts, yet to be received from the donor's estate at the time of their passing. Current and future mission and ministry is supported and blessed by every one of these gifts.

Following the Monthly Detail Report is a summary of the specific congregations designated by this year's donors to receive a gift either as a current gift or as a planned future gift. These gifts to congregations are incredibly important as they support and enhance the long-term viability of the congregation.

Lastly, is a summary of the gift allocations planned or received over the last sixteen (17) years, totalling just over \$101 million. Whether a lifetime or future planned gift, all allocations are designated by the donors at the time the gift was made, or for future gifts, within a *Gift Allocation Agreement* they signed with Lutheran Foundation Canada.

Gift Coordinators work on behalf of all LCC organizations, promoting, encouraging, assisting, stewarding, and managing the development of planned (estate) gifts or significant lifetime gifts as part of a Christian's overall stewardship plan. Donors are excited about their opportunity to create a charitable gift within their estate supporting a ministry for which they have a passion, and the Foundation is blessed to be able to assist them in its development and fulfilment.

For more information on establishing a gift, visit the Foundation's web site at www.lutheranfoundation.ca, or contact your regional representative. If you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Gift Allocation Summary – YTD Q1 2026

Total gifts, either already received or planned as future gifts, are based on the donors' requested disbursements, as indicated within the NOTES on the Monthly Detail Reports which follow.

Organization	Donor-Designated Allocations	Percentage of Distribution
Congregations - West Region	\$49,370	2.1%
Congregations - Central Region	\$160,000	6.7%
Congregations - East Region	\$41,900	1.7%
Lutheran Church - Canada	\$947,900	39.5%
Concordia Lutheran Seminary	\$2,200	0.1%
Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary	\$315,000	13.1%
Lutheran Laymen's League of Canada	\$94,900	4.0%
Lutheran Women's Missionary League	\$0	0.0%
Concordia Lutheran Mission Society	\$10,400	0.4%
LCC's Mission and Service Organizations	\$281,700	11.7%
Canadian Lutheran World Relief	\$113,800	4.7%
Lutheran Foundation Canada	\$42,800	1.8%
Unspecified *	\$338,300	14.1%
Total YTD Donor-Designated Allocations	\$2,398,270	100.0%

* Unspecified gifts occur when the donors place their gift into a “donor-advised fund”, naming the beneficiary at a later date, or if they choose to not share this information with us.

In total this year, **\$452,570** has already been received and disbursed.



Gift Allocation - Monthly Detail

January

Organization	Allocation Amount	Notes
Congregations - West Region	\$2,100	9
Congregations - Central Region		
Congregations - East Region	\$5,800	13
Lutheran Church - Canada	\$835,600	11,14,15,16
Concordia Lutheran Seminary		
Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary	\$315,000	14
Lutheran Laymen's League of Canada		
Lutheran Women's Missionary League		
Concordia Lutheran Mission Society		
LCC's Mission and Service Organizations		
Canadian Lutheran World Relief		
Lutheran Foundation Canada	\$40,800	1-8, 12
Unspecified	\$300,000	10
Total Gifts – this Month	\$1,499,300	16
Total Gifts – Year to Date	\$577,400	16

NOTES:

1. – 8. A total of 8 direct gifts received totaling \$30,800 to cover premiums on previously gifted insurance policies, now owned by LCCFM, but designated for various organizations through a *Gift Allocation Agreement*, to be disbursed once the payout has been received.
9. A direct gift of shares received of \$2,100 to a West Region congregation.
10. A deferred gift established of \$300,000 to unspecified organizations.
11. A deferred gift established of \$100,000 to LCC's Together One mission initiative.
12. A direct gift received of \$10,000 from an insurance policy transfer to LCCFM.
13. A direct gift of shares of \$5,800 to an East Region congregation.
14. A deferred gift established of \$900,000 divided as follows:
 - \$315,000 to Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary
 - \$585,000 to LCC's Together One mission initiative
15. A direct gift received of \$149,600 divided as follows:
 - \$100,000 to LCC's Together One mission initiative
 - \$49,600 to LCC's Together One Vicarage Placement Fund
16. A direct gift received of \$1000 to LCC's Together One mission initiative.



Gift Allocation - Monthly Detail

February

Organization	Allocation Amount	Notes
Congregations - West Region	\$5,270	1,2
Congregations - Central Region	\$160,000	3,4,5
Congregations - East Region	\$12,100	6
Lutheran Church - Canada	\$12,000	3,8
Concordia Lutheran Seminary	\$2,200	2,3
Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary		
Lutheran Laymen's League of Canada	\$93,900	2,3,9
Lutheran Women's Missionary League		
Concordia Lutheran Mission Society		
LCC's Mission and Service Organizations	\$281,700	2,3,9
Canadian Lutheran World Relief	\$96,100	2,3,9
Lutheran Foundation Canada	\$1,000	3
Unspecified		
Total Gifts – this Month	\$664,270	9
Total Gifts – Year to Date	\$2,163,570	25

NOTES:

1. A direct gift of shares received of \$2,370 to a West Region congregation.
2. A direct gift of shares received of \$7,800 divided as follows:
 - \$2,900 to a West Region congregation
 - \$500 to LLL-C
 - \$2,700 CLWR
 - \$1,200 to CLS
 - \$500 to LAMP
3. A direct gift of shares received of \$21,000, to be divided as follows::
 - \$12,000 to a Central Region congregation
 - \$1,000 to Lutheran Layman's League - Canada
 - \$1,000 to Luth. Assoc. Missionaries and Pilots
 - \$1,000 to Canadian Lutheran World Relief
 - \$1,000 to Concordia Lutheran Seminary
 - \$1,000 to Camp Lutherland
 - \$1,000 to Lutheran Church - Canada
 - \$1,000 to Haiti Luth. Mission Soc.
 - \$1,000 to Luth. Bible Translators
 - \$1,000 to Luth. Foundation Canada
4. A bequest gift received of \$98,000 to a Central Region congregation.
5. A deferred gift identified of \$50,000 to a Central Region congregation.
6. A direct gift of shares received of \$12,100 for an East Region congregation.
7. A direct gift of shares received of \$1000 for LCC's Together One mission initiative.
8. A direct gift of shares received of \$10,000 for LCC's Together One mission initiative.
9. A deferred gift established of \$462,000 to be disbursed as follows:
 - \$92,400 to Lutheran Bible Translators
 - \$92,400 to BC Mission Boat
 - \$92,400 to Lutheran Association of Missionaries and Pilots
 - \$92,400 to Canadian Lutheran World Relief
 - \$92,400 to Lutheran Laymen's League of Canada



Gift Allocation - Monthly Detail

March

Organization	Allocation Amount	Notes
Congregations - West Region	\$42,000	3
Congregations - Central Region		
Congregations - East Region	\$24,000	1,2
Lutheran Church - Canada	\$100,300	1,3
Concordia Lutheran Seminary		
Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary		
Lutheran Laymen's League of Canada	\$1,000	1
Lutheran Women's Missionary League		
Concordia Lutheran Mission Society	\$10,400	1
LCC's Mission and Service Organizations		
Canadian Lutheran World Relief	\$17,700	3
Lutheran Foundation Canada	\$1,000	4
Unspecified	\$38,300	5
Total Gifts – this Month	\$235,700	5
Total Gifts – Year to Date	\$2,398,270	30

NOTES:

- A direct gift of shares received of \$61,700 to be divided as follows:
 - \$10,400 to CLMS
 - \$1,000 to LLL-C
 - \$1,000 to LCC
 - \$22,000 for an East Region congregation
 - \$2,000 for a second East Region congregation
 - \$25,300 for LCC's Together One mission initiative
- An insurance gift established of \$32,000 for LCC's Together One mission initiative.
- A deferred gift established of \$101,700 divided as follows:
 - \$42,000 to a West Region congregation
 - \$42,000 to LCC's Together One mission initiative
 - \$17,700 to Canadian Lutheran World Relief
- A direct gift received of \$1,000 for Lutheran Foundation Canada.
- A direct gift of shares received of \$38,300 to be allocated at a later date.

Gift Allocation - Monthly Detail



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Congregations Designated in 2026 to Receive Current or Future Gifts

Faith – Kitchener, ON
Grace – Osoyoos, BC
Grace – St. Catharines - ON
Grace – Saskatoon, SK
Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd – Calgary, BC
Messiah – Waterloo, ON
New Beginnings – Regina, SK
Our Saviour – Fort Qu'Appelle, SK
Shepherd of the Valley – Salmon Arm, BC
St. Luke – Surrey, BC

**Lutheran Foundation Canada - 17-Year Gift Summary
(2009- 2025)**



The following table shows how the membership of Lutheran Church - Canada has responded to giving opportunities, either in their estate or as a current gift. (Allocations are based upon the expressed wishes of the donors.) May God be praised!
(Due to restructuring, previous District amounts have now been added to the Region/Congregation amounts.)

Beneficiary	2009 Gift Total	2010 Gift Total	2011 Gift Total	2012 Gift Total	2013 Gift Total	2014 Gift Total	2015 Gift Total	2016 Gift Total	2017 Gift Total	2018 Gift Total	2019 Gift Total	2020 Gift Total	2021 Gift Total	2022 Gift Total	2023 Gift Total	2024 Gift Total	2025 Gift Total	17 Year Gift Total	% of Total Gifts
West Region/Cong.	\$457,270	\$1,356,010	\$654,849	\$729,867	\$4,437,200	\$666,475	\$281,440	\$368,625	\$643,285	\$342,800	\$363,215	\$321,440	\$155,610	\$240,225	\$92,075	\$625,200	\$505,605	\$12,241,191	12.09%
Central Region/Cong.	\$70,000	\$141,310	\$213,500	\$190,800	\$852,200	\$646,550	\$229,550	\$1,069,010	\$166,225	\$728,154	\$923,345	\$1,215,280	\$910,680	\$21,265	\$771,500	\$793,049	\$1,183,130	\$10,125,548	10.00%
East Region/Cong.	\$551,000	\$1,220,926	\$946,527	\$957,475	\$1,237,360	\$1,711,325	\$893,780	\$1,304,690	\$1,090,800	\$428,925	\$100,220	\$1,482,765	\$181,080	\$203,830	\$749,900	\$320,300	\$1,321,550	\$14,702,453	14.52%
LCC	\$392,100	\$670,000	\$274,100	\$299,125	\$1,188,855	\$137,500	\$431,420	\$140,434	\$151,380	\$1,455,183	\$405,175	\$95,155	\$2,184,055	\$1,008,510	\$1,126,425	\$1,219,969	\$3,102,150	\$14,281,536	14.11%
CLS	\$167,500	\$1,282,025	\$396,106	\$335,766	\$2,186,500	\$666,242	\$511,850	\$1,514,025	\$353,950	\$1,821,833	\$572,525	\$1,048,450	\$289,385	\$45,000	\$286,400	\$368,469	\$429,690	\$12,275,716	12.13%
CLTS	\$85,600	\$247,710	\$307,888	\$295,425	\$239,055	\$309,408	\$763,300	\$441,730	\$104,200	\$100,740	\$0	\$24,000	\$654,150	\$2,200	\$33,900	\$3,800	\$851,900	\$4,465,006	4.41%
LLL-C	\$38,200	\$778,600	\$273,400	\$445,600	\$814,255	\$393,000	\$498,300	\$303,900	\$308,000	\$452,465	\$298,300	\$281,750	\$30,230	\$6,725	\$97,750	\$262,055	\$434,425	\$5,716,955	5.65%
LWML-C	\$20,000	\$204,360	\$0	\$150,750	\$182,000	\$205,125	\$15,000	\$5,050	\$61,600	\$85,000	\$3,750	\$4,000	\$0	\$37,500	\$0	\$135,000	\$97,000	\$1,206,135	1.19%
CLMS	\$40,000	\$86,333	\$333,384	\$98,750	\$259,000	\$331,450	\$262,870	\$273,000	\$476,925	\$85,200	\$59,590	\$1,152,165	\$163,200	\$72,180	\$283,000	\$37,750	\$646,100	\$4,660,897	4.60%
LSO's	\$160,575	\$248,920	\$174,500	\$95,125	\$433,420	\$608,725	\$596,450	\$110,780	\$81,950	\$814,560	\$219,440	\$485,200	\$132,590	\$66,700	\$38,600	\$199,880	\$360,660	\$4,828,075	4.77%
CLWR	\$20,000	\$1,122,196	\$49,605	\$238,917	\$244,055	\$403,000	\$407,700	\$60,000	\$712,375	\$789,000	\$194,685	\$26,850	\$114,200	\$23,120	\$133,000	\$108,605	\$219,960	\$4,867,268	4.81%
LCCFM	\$280,000	\$200,000	\$147,897	\$218,050	\$118,150	\$480,050	\$2,286,326	\$177,300	\$486,260	\$303,640	\$80,230	\$224,785	\$138,735	\$104,330	\$1,086,000	\$591,945	\$467,330	\$7,391,028	7.30%
Unspecified	\$20,000	\$0	\$165,000	\$50,000	\$55,000	\$380,000	\$50,000	\$737,300	\$50,000	\$100,000	\$2,091,770	\$51,015	\$119,810	\$132,920	\$266,670	\$43,740	\$166,945	\$4,480,170	4.43%
Total Gifts	\$2,302,245	\$7,558,390	\$3,936,756	\$4,105,650	\$12,247,050	\$6,938,850	\$7,227,986	\$6,505,844	\$4,686,950	\$7,507,500	\$5,312,245	\$6,412,855	\$5,073,725	\$1,964,505	\$4,965,220	\$4,709,762	\$9,786,445	\$101,241,978	100.00%
Total Rec'd To Date	\$115,750	\$537,165	\$545,800	\$641,400	\$693,050	\$2,147,850	\$1,512,986	\$2,137,164	\$1,716,250	\$934,500	\$1,522,245	\$1,064,855	\$2,197,325	\$1,087,005	\$1,763,720	\$2,044,562	\$3,597,945	\$24,259,572	23.96%

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