

# St. Paul Endowment Fund

## 2020 Grant Recipients

The St. Paul General Endowment Fund has awarded \$18,000 in grants, as part of the fund's 2020 grant-making process. All eligible applications were reviewed by the Endowment Committee, with four programs selected to receive financial support for projects aligning with St. Paul Church's mission of *Connecting People to Christ*.

The Endowment Committee recognizes that grantees may need to adjust their projects to meet the new reality created by the coronavirus pandemic. These changes include postponing activities and integrating virtual approaches.



Feed My Starving Children (FMSC) is a Christian non-profit dedicated to feeding starving children in over 70 countries. Since 2013, St. Paul has hosted FMSC MobilePack™ events that bring hundreds of volunteers together to pack the nutritionally complete meals. Grant dollars will help fund the purchase of ingredients needed for the assembly of 155,500 meals during the church's next scheduled FMSC pack event.



Love in the Name of Christ (Love INC) Sheboygan County mobilizes local Christian Churches to transform lives and communities through relationships, In the Name of Christ. St. Paul is one of over three dozen area churches making this unified partnership model a success by delivering life-changing support and guidance that breaks the cycle of hopelessness. The endowment grant will be utilized for staff training and for essential computer system upgrades.



Sharing God's Word with our Hispanic neighbors and welcoming them into our community of faith is the purpose behind LCMS Sheboygan County Hispanic Outreach. St. Paul along with 16 other LCMS churches sponsor this important ministry that was launched in 2016. Pastor David Blas, serving as minister-at-large, leads Spanish-speaking worship services, Bible studies, and new member classes, and he has helped introduce a bilingual Vacation Bible School. The endowment gift will benefit the mission's continued operation.



**St. Paul Guatemala  
Mission Team**

Members of St. Paul are actively planning a second mission trip to Casa Para Niños Aleluya (CPNA), a children's home in Guatemala. CPNA is a ministry program that currently cares for and raises over 400 orphaned, abused, and mistreated children and relies on volunteers to help maintain and improve its 15-acre campus. To expand its outreach, the mission team intends to provide the labor and supplies that will help families in a nearby Guatemal community, including building a house and distributing Bibles, food, and water filters.

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Since 2012, the St. Paul General Endowment Fund has provided over \$125,000 in funding to numerous Christ-centered programs that have directly touched the lives of thousands—locally, nationally, and world-wide. Professionally managed, the Endowment Fund is a perpetual fund from which only the investment earnings are distributed for needs separate from the church's day-to-day operating budget. If you wish to contribute to the St. Paul Endowment Fund, please contact the church office.