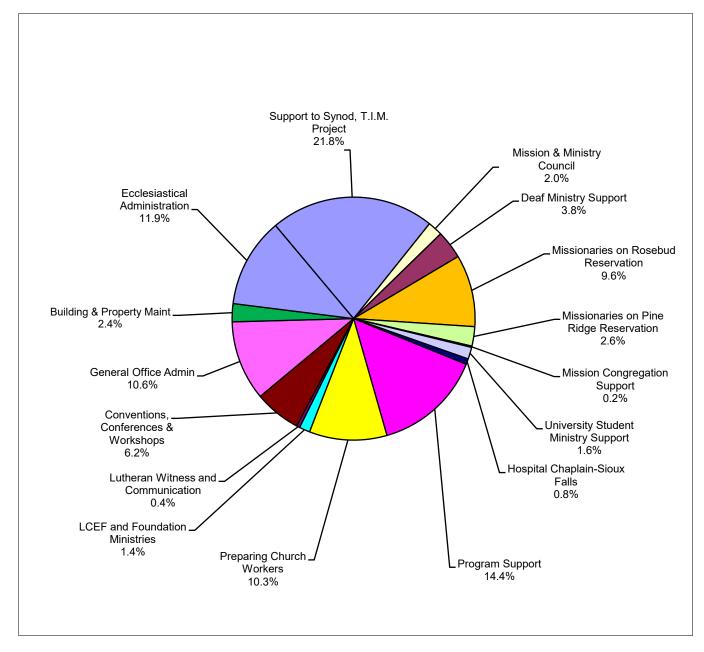
SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT LCMS UNRESTRICTED BUDGET OF EXPENSES

For the Fiscal Year 2026



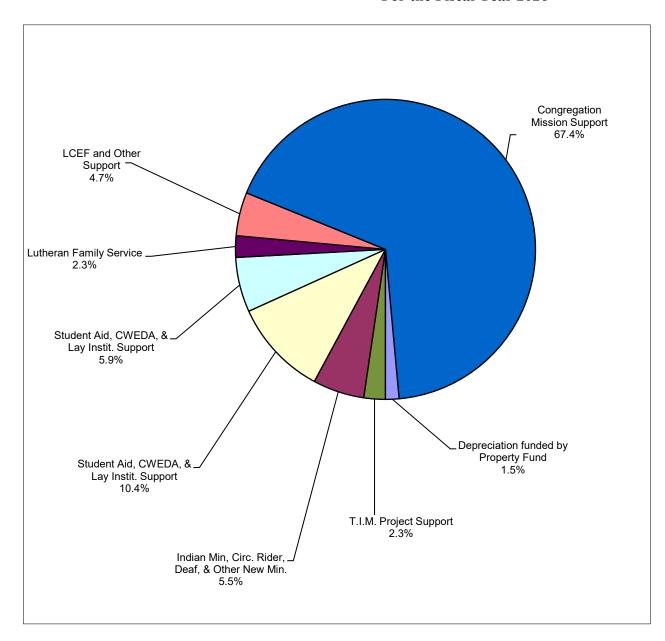
Expenses	
Mission/Outreach:	
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Support to Synod, T.I.M. Project, Other Mission	388,300
Mission Congregation Support	3,000
Missionaries on Rosebud Reservation	170,445
Missionaries on Pine Ridge Reservation	45,952
Deaf Ministry Support	66,846
Mission & Ministry Council	35,000
Preparing Church Workers	183,750
University Student Ministry Support	28,000
51.8%	921,293
Congregational Services:	
Lutheran Witness and Communication	7,800
Program Support	256,609
LCEF and Foundation Ministries	25,200
Conventions, Conferences & Workshops	109,850
Hospital Chaplain-Sioux Falls	13,275
23.2%	412,734
Administration:	
Ecclesiastical Administration	211,638
General Office Admin	188,866
Building & Property Maint	42,708
24.9%	443,212
Grand Total	\$ 1,777,239

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SOUTH DAKOTA DISTRICT LCMS

PROJECTED SUPPORT AND INCOME - UNRESTRICTED BUDGET

For the Fiscal Year 2026



Projected Funding Needed for Budget		
2026 Projected Expenses		\$1,777,239
Less: Restricted Gifts and Income		
Student Aid, CWEDA, & Lay Instit. Support		178,750
Lutheran Family Service		40,000
LCEF and Other Support		80,626
Indian Min, Circ. Rider, Deaf, & Other New Min.		95,500
T.I.M. Project Support		40,000
Conv. & Conf. Registration		101,600
Depreciation funded by Property Fund		25,000
Balance Needed From Congregations	•	\$1,215,763
Anticipated Congregations Mission Support	\$	1,161,000
Budget Deficit	\$	54,763

Funding Support Needed From Congregations		
Number of Communicants	20,513	
Average Number of Worshippers/Wkly	7,430	
Per Communicant Member/Yearly	\$59.27	
Per Communicant Member/Weekly	\$1.14	
Per Avg. Worshipper/Yearly	\$163.63	
Per Avg. Worshipper/Weekly	\$163.63 \$3.15	

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