

World Mission Budget (Unusual Opportunities)

Our Heavenly Father works in wonderful ways to open doors to spread His message of love and faith around the world, and our offerings are shared to meet the needs of many new ministries.

But have you ever wondered what happens when carefully planned evangelistic meetings are successful way beyond expectations? Suddenly, existing churches overflow, and new churches must be built, rented, or purchased—fast. But that costs money—much beyond the planned amount the Church had set aside before the evangelist meetings began. How can the Church provide the local church buildings, Bibles, leadership training, and more so that new believers can grow spiritually?

God has impressed the church to make a way to prepare for the unexpected by establishing the Unusual Opportunities Fund, whose resources may be used when such unexpected blessings come to God's people. If your territory has adopted the Combined Offering Plan, a portion of all your regular and systematic unassigned offerings will be allocated to the World Mission Unusual Opportunities Fund. But if, in addition to your tithes and Promise Offering, you want to do more for the mission of the church, you can give directly to this fund so that the Church is ready when God says “yes” to our prayers. Together, we can make giant leaps for mission.

Appeal: The Seventh-day Adventist Church's system of tithes and offerings is a powerful way for us to unite in God's worldwide mission. Alone, our offerings don't go far, but together, we are changing the lives of millions of people. As you return your tithe and Promise offerings, let us put our desires last, and God first.

Local Church Budget

Unsung Heroes

Global Mission pioneers are some of the unsung heroes of Adventist Mission. Around the world today, hundreds of these dedicated laypeople are entering new areas and reaching previously unreached people groups to start new Seventh-day Adventist congregations.

Many of the places they go are areas where the church has struggled or never succeeded in the past—but no one has told the pioneers that it can't be done.

Living on a modest stipend, they move into these communities and put Christ's method of ministry into practice. They mingle with the people, working alongside them in the rice fields or playing soccer with children in the city. They show sympathy, meet practical needs, and earn the confidence and those they serve. Then, they invite them to follow Jesus.

Like Jesus, these pioneers immerse themselves in the communities they serve. They sacrifice their time and efforts to live simply and bring others into a loving relationship with God.

And it is to support them that the Church has the Annual Sacrifice Fund. If your territory has adopted the Combined Offering Plan, a portion of your regular and systematic offerings will be allocated to this fund. In addition to that, once a year, members around the world are invited to sacrifice another portion of their income, besides their tithe and Promise Offering, and send that portion to this fund.

Just as God has called these Global Mission pioneers to give up so much to serve Him, He calls us to sacrifice too—even if we remain at home.

Appeal: This is one of the ways we may sacrifice and unite in God's worldwide mission. Alone, our gifts may not go far—but together, we are transforming lives across the globe. As you return your tithe and your regular, systematic offerings—you can be sure that God is using your gifts to change lives for eternity. Thank you.