



Yes, I/we want to support this initiative for the people and congregations of our SW MN Synod with a gift earmarked as follows:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Overall Funding Initiative to help:

- Deepen Congregational Vitality,
- Enhance Local and Global Mission, and
- Develop Servant Leaders

*Use where most needed- Includes a portion to the Ministerial Excellence Fund*

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Ministerial Excellence Fund:  
Care and support of our Pastors  
*Matched 1 to 1 by the Lilly Fund until the \$500,000 goal is reached, after which donations will grow & sustain the MEF's work.*

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Gift/Pledge

**METHOD OF PAYMENT: (please check one)**

- Mail check(s) My/our gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is included with this card.  
*Please make checks payable to SW MN Synod.*
- Give online\* (checking / savings / credit card)
- Other gifts (estate plan / IRA / stocks / will / trust)  
*To give with other gifts please call 507-637-3904 for assistance.*

\*Please visit our SW MN Synod online donation page to give online.  
(Go to [www.swmnelca.org](http://www.swmnelca.org), the Give Online link is located under the Quick Links.)

My/our **pledge** will be paid over  one  two  three years. *(please check one)*  
Please remind me  quarterly  annually. *(please check one)*  
 I don't need a reminder.

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Congregation \_\_\_\_\_ City/Town \_\_\_\_\_

**SEND TO:**

Southwestern Minnesota Synod, ELCA  
P.O. Box 499  
Redwood Falls, MN 56283-0499



*Contributions are tax deductible to the extent provided by law. If our fund-raising goals are exceeded, the SW MN Synod may choose to direct any additional gifts where most needed to build and sustain the work of our synod, in line with the donor's intent.*



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