## ELCA Domestic Hunger Grants—Open April 25, 2022



ELCA World Hunger celebrates the ministry of our partners across the ELCA, with responses to hunger as diverse as our communities. Creatively and courageously, together as church we are addressing hunger and poverty community by community – with bread for today and hope for tomorrow.

The full list of these awards is now public and available here. For a map and more information about Domestic Hunger Grants, see elca.org/domestichungergrants. More details about the Big Dream Grant projects will be shared soon.

A round of Daily Bread Matching Grants will be taking place this summer, creating opportunities for congregational feeding ministries to build sustainability through generosity and resources within their own communities. <u>ELCA congregations with feeding ministries are eligible to participate, regardless of whether or not they have received a Daily Bread Matching Grant in the past. Registration and applications for the 2023 Daily Bread Matching Grant will open April 25, 2022.</u>

Visit ELCA.org/dailybread to learn more.

In response to COVID-19, beginning in 2021 and continuing through 2023, ELCA World Hunger and the ELCA's Indigenous and Ethnic Specific Associations and Ministries are partnering through grants to respond to needs identified in and through the ELCA's Indigenous and ethnic-specific communities. With the knowledge that the effect of the COVID-19 pandemic will have a disproportionate impact on communities facing hunger and poverty, these grants are supporting ministries as they work at the intersections of race, ethnicity and poverty toward building thriving, healthy and resilient communities where all are fed.

Looking ahead, the Domestic Hunger Grant application for 2023 awards opens soon, and we look forward to your collaboration in promoting the opportunity to ministries! Please refer to the new application cycle below and spread the word. Now is a perfect time for synod hunger and review teams to reach out to ministries they would like to apply, and to work with them on building strong applications. If you are the review lead for your synod and you already know that you will/will not be review lead for your synod again this year, please let us know at hunger@elca.org.

ELCA World Hunger's ministry and impact is growing thanks to your leadership and support, and the incredible work of our partners in ministry.

With gratitude for the mission we share,

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