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Mission Moment

The General Board of Global Ministries' function is to connect The United Methodist Church in mission.

There are many ways- big and small, local and global- that Global Ministries is working to fulfill its mission of making disciples, developing and renewing congregations, alleviating human suffering and seeking justice, freedom and peace.

This work spans the globe. This vital agency is constantly working to keep The United Methodist Church reaching out, whether it is through disaster relief, through missionaries working to provide medical care in underserved communities, or through initiatives like the one to stamp out malaria.

The work of the General Board of Global Ministries is a response to the call of Jesus to "go to all nations." It is a response to Jesus' command to "love one another." It is the work of love in action and it is possible because we are doing this work together.

Some use their hands and feet and voices, while others use their resources. All of us are connected by the work we are doing together by our apportionments to the World Service Fund. Our gifts could make the difference in the life of someone who is suffering, whether that is a victim of disaster, a child who is hungry, or someone else who needs our help.

As we thank God for all He has done for us, inspire us to love and serve our neighbors near and far. Let us give freely to this important work globally through our giving to the World Service Fund, the financial lifeline to Christian mission.