

UPPER SUSQUEHANNA SYNOD

GLOBAL MISSION INTECESSORY PRAYERS: SEPTEMBER 6 THROUGH NOVEMBER 22, 2026

September 6: World Hunger

God of provision, you sent manna to your people in the wilderness and made abundant nourishment for the multitudes from a few loaves and fish. Continue to bless the ministry of ELCA World Hunger, and move us to support their work, so that all the hungry can be fed. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

September 13: Lutheran World Relief

Gracious God, bless the hands and hearts of all who serve through Lutheran World Relief. May their work bring comfort to the weary, food for the hungry, and hope for the despairing. Strengthen their resolve when challenges arise and let their every act of kindness reflect your boundless love. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

September 20: Ansbach-Wurzburg Kirchenkreis

God of the harvest, we pray for our siblings in Christ in the Ansbach-Wurzburg Kirchenkreis in Germany, especially farmers who are caring for and harvesting their wheat, potatoes, and corn. Bring the relief of abundant rain to the dry conditions of their land, so that their harvest might be plentiful. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

September 27: Global Health Ministries

God of transformation, thank you for the effective work of Global Health Ministries. Through their solar energy projects in Liberia, a new source of power provides for the needs of Curran Hospital, Phebe Hospital and the Lutheran University of Zorzor, where nursing and other medical students receive their education. Grant that this solar power will continue to provide dependable electricity 24 hours a day to meet the needs for improved patient care and for critical medical operations whenever needed. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

October 4: Young Adults in Global Mission

God of all ages, we are grateful for the young adults who have responded to your call to serve your people in nations other than their own, where language and cultural differences can provide a variety of challenges. Provide what they need in their serving and inspire them in their teaching, so your Gospel will be proclaimed in word and deed. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

October 11: Lutheran World Federation

God of unity, you have called Lutheran church bodies throughout the world to come together in word and service as the Lutheran World Federation. Inspire and enable us to speak with one voice, through many languages and in many and varied cultural situations, so that all may know and experience your gracious love through Jesus Christ. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

October 18: Lutheran Church in Liberia

Gracious God, strengthen the pastors, evangelists, deaconesses, teachers, and lay leaders of the Lutheran Church in Liberia. Grant them wisdom, courage, and faithfulness as they proclaim your Word and serve your people. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

October 25: Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land

Bring peace, O God, to your people in the Holy Land, the place in which you formed your people and where your Son lived and walked among us. Show us the ways by which we can support those who work for peace and help us to advocate for justice for all who suffer the effects of violence. Continue to bless the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Jordan and the Holy Land as it strives to proclaim and to live the Good News amid persecution in a land deeply divided. Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

November 1: Seafarers International House

God of wind and waves, we thank you for all those who serve at the Seafarers International House as they provide for the needs of mariners and welcome those seeking asylum among us. We are also grateful for the many hands that have prepared gift bags for those working on ships, as they will be far from their homes for the upcoming holidays. Grant them all safe passage to their destinations. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

November 8: Camp Mount Luther

God of all creation, we thank you for all the hard work of those who served on the staff of Camp Mount Luther during the past summer camping season. But the camp does not sleep during these colder months. Guide those who will prepare for retreats and other events at the camp this winter, that your Word will continue to warm and inspire the hearts of the faithful. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

November 15: Global Refuge

God of refuge, your Son taught us that when we welcome the stranger, we welcome him. Make your church a place of hospitality for all, especially those who seek refuge from the dangers of war, violence, and famine. Bless the ministry of Global Refuge as they continue to assist refugees and asylum-seekers to find safety far from their homes. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

November 22: Global Health Ministries

God of wholeness, you sent your Son to dwell among us, the sun of righteousness, who rises with healing in his wings. He has given to his church the ministry of healing. Bless our partners in healing, Global Health Ministries, as we work with them to deliver hope and healing around the world, especially to our companions in the Lutheran Church in Liberia. God, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**