

## Minute for Mission

The various programs and projects of the general ministries of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) supported by our Easter offering this morning, provides us here with the ability to serve from our doorsteps to the ends of the earth.

**National Benevolent Association** partners with service providers and local congregations in connecting food and hunger related ministries.

The **Division of Overseas Ministries** through partners on various projects such as the Ikengo Agricultural Center in the Democratic Republic of Congo and the Loving People Wells project in Anhui Province, China.

**Disciples Volunteering** through the **Division of Homeland Ministries**, sponsors long-term rebuilding projects along the Gulf Coast, the East Coast and Joplin, Missouri.

The **Council on Christian Unity**, promotes dialogue and collaboration within the US, Canada and around the world between Christians, long divided over differences of theological interpretation while also fostering understanding between Christians and peoples of other faiths.

**Higher Education and Leadership Ministries** identifies young leaders and helps them develop the skills they'll need to transform the church and accomplish its mission of reconciliation in the world.

**Hope Partnership** supports establishment of new congregations and the transformation of existing congregations while **Disciples Extension Fund** helps them find the financial resources they will need in their ministry.

The **Central Pastoral Office for Hispanic Ministries** provides collegial support to Disciples Hispanic congregations. **North American Pacific Asian Disciples**, which on any given Sunday supports Disciples congregations in the US and Canada worshipping in 18 different languages. **National Convocation** promotes the spiritual life and outreach mission of African-American Disciples, while working with the whole church to root out the sin of racism and promote social justice.

The **Office of General Minister and President's** mission is to lead, serve, inspire, nurture and facilitate the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) as one church in many expressions.

**Disciples of Christ Historical Society** preserves the memory of those in the past who through their faith and works, have brought us to this moment today.

Let us give generously this morning in partnership with those who serve on our behalf, witnessing and loving from our doorsteps to the ends of the earth.