

# Mission Festival Planning Information

Thank you for your support of Home, World, and Joint Missions!

## GIFT OFFERINGS

We encourage all congregations to prayerfully consider and support, as they are able, the speaker's mission field. Any gift offerings that have been generously given from a door collection or other special offering should be made out to "WELS" with the mission designation on the memo line (i.e. Home, World, or Joint Missions). Please send all gifts directly to the WELS Joint Missions Office at:

WELS, ATTN: Missions  
N16W23377 Stone Ridge Dr.  
Waukesha, WI 53188

Please do not give your gift directly to the Missions speaker, to make things easy for our speakers and for ease of gift acknowledgement. **We ask that you complete the form on the back of this page and submit with your gift to help us track special gifts as a result of a Mission Festival or presentation.** You can also submit your gift using a Congregational Mission Offering (CMO) Choice Coupon with the preferred mission field designation clearly listed on the coupon, in addition to the memo line of your check, to ensure the gift is properly allocated. Note - Any checks made out to "WELS Missions" go to the synod's general operating fund.

## TRAVEL EXPENSES:

WELS Home or World Missions is willing to contribute a set amount towards every Mission Festival speaker's travel expenses to help streamline the communication process and ensure every congregation is able to host a Missions speaker. Please see the chart below for details. If your church would like to contribute towards or cover travel costs, we ask that you submit those along with any other gift offerings collected.

	Home or World Missions	Hosting congregation
Events <i>less than</i> 6 hours away from the speaker	Up to \$250	Anything above \$250*
Events <i>more than</i> 6 hours away from the speaker	Up to \$500	Anything above \$500*

\*Your Missions speaker will inform you of his total travel expenses and communicate what amount is owed by your congregation (if any) after the event. Submit travel expense payment with "Mission Festival travel expenses" in the memo line to:

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## HONORARIUMS:

WELS' recommended honorariums are based on level of service for guest preachers and speakers. Note: these amounts are only a suggestion. Please prayerfully consider your best support. Honorariums should be given directly to the Missions speaker in appreciation for their time, unless otherwise directed by the Missions speaker.

	2022/2023
One Sermon	\$130
Sermon Repeated	+ \$26
Sermon & Liturgy	\$150
Extra Service	+ \$52
Bible Class or Presentation	\$91

# Thank you!

Thank you for supporting WELS Home, World, and Joint Missions! Your continued, faithful giving is appreciated and helps us continue reaching out to those who have not yet heard the Good News of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

## QUESTIONS?

Call 414-256-3279 or e-mail our office at [missionspromotions@wels.net](mailto:missionspromotions@wels.net).

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**DATE OF EVENT:**

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**AMOUNT OF GIFT:**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**GIFT DESIGNATION:**

(Example: Home Missions, East Asia Special projects, etc.)

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**EVENT TYPE:**

- Church Mission Festival  
 LWMS event

**ORGANIZATION NAME:**

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**ADDRESS:**

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- School presentation  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_