



OFFERING CAUSES

Calvary Christian Reformed Church believes that God has enabled us to do his work with the resources that he has given us. We take offering as a part of worship and in response to the blessings that we have received. Calvary supports ministries that take place within our own church walls (HERE), are located in the Twin Cities area (NEAR), and have an impact all over the world (FAR).

HERE	Calvary's Ministries Fund	Money given to Calvary's Ministries Fund supports the day-to-day ministries of Calvary CRC; gifts also support the ministries of the Classis and the Christian Reformed denomination, which is transforming lives and communities worldwide. calvarycrc.net, crcna.org
	Benevolence	Money given to the Benevolence Fund is used to aid individuals from our church and the greater community who are in need of assistance.
	Calvin Christian School	Money given to Calvin Christian School helps offset the difference between the expenses to operate the school and the tuition each family pays. "Every part of the Calvin experience is designed to equip young disciples of Christ for leadership and service." calvinchristian.org
	Girls Everywhere Meeting the Savior (GEMS)	Money given to GEMS supports the ministry for girls in 2nd through 8th grade. The mission of GEMS is to help bring girls into a living, dynamic relationship with Jesus Christ. Their vision is to see girls around the world actively and enthusiastically expressing love for God and others—girls equipped, motivated, and passionately engaged in living out their faith. gemsgc.org
	Cadets	Money given to Cadets supports the ministry for boys in 2nd through 8th grade. The mission of Cadets is to share Christ's love to help the boys to grow spiritually through outdoor activities, projects, and Bible studies. calvinistcadets.org
NEAR	Arrive/SALT	Arrive Ministries offers resettlement services and compassionate care for displaced refugees, immigrants and asylees who now call Minnesota home. Somali Adult Literacy Training (SALT) uses volunteers to welcome these new neighbors by teaching English and forming relationships. arriveministries.org
	Bethany Christian Services	Money given to Bethany Christian Services, the nation's largest adoption agency, helps care for women facing unplanned pregnancies and orphans living on five continents. bethany.org
	MN Adult & Teen Challenge	MN Adult & Teen Challenge restores hope to people struggling with drug and alcohol addiction with shorter-term residential and outpatient programs, long-term faith-based recovery program, and prevention and transitional/aftercare services. mntc.org
	Pease Growing Project	The Pease Growing Project uses the financial offerings from local churches and the donated time and resources of local farmers to grow crops and raise money for the Food Resource Bank, which supports communities overseas working to end hunger.
	Trinity Hill	Trinity Hill of Chanhassen, MN exists to bring the good news of Jesus Christ to those who don't know him. trinityhillmn.org
	Urban Homeworks	Urban Homeworks helps to provide supportive, affordable housing, the strategic placement of Urban Neighbors, volunteer mobilization, and construction training for community members. urbanhomeworks.org
	VEAP	VEAP helps people in our community who cannot provide for their own well-being. VEAP provides seasonal services, emergency financial assistance, transportation services, and emergency food shelf. veapvolunteers.org
FAR	Children of the Promise	Children of the Promise's mission is to provide excellent physical, spiritual, emotional, educational & economic care for at-risk children and families in Haiti. Their goal is a healthy Christian home and family for every Haitian child. childrenofthepromise.org
	Christian Reformed World Missions- Biermas	Money given to CRWM-Biermas supports quality theological instruction and partnerships between CRWM and other agencies, missions, churches and schools in Bangladesh and Nepal to connect needs with resources.
	Honduras Trip Support	Money given to Honduras Trip Support provides funds for missions to Calvary's partner community in La Puerta, Honduras.
	World Renew	Money given to World Renew supports response to the needs of people who suffer from poverty, hunger, disaster and injustice. worldrenew.net
	World Renew: DeKam	Money given to World Renew-DeKam supports Matt's work as a Program Consultant with World Renew, helping partner organizations in Honduras manage their programs and achieve their goals.