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The Community of Christ World Hunger Committee seeks to engage the church and others in a response to the needs of hungry people throughout the world. Its primary purpose is to support programs of food production, storage and distribution; fund projects to provide potable water; supply farm animals; instruct in food preparation and nutrition; and educate in marketing strategies for produce. It also seeks to advocate for the hungry and educate about the causes and alleviation of hunger in the world.

The majority of proposals reviewed by the committee originate with Outreach International and World Accord, agencies recognized by the church as engaged in participatory human development that is global in scope. Direct grants to Community of Christ jurisdictions for community hunger projects, as well as disaster relief, also are considered.

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Covenant World Relief is the relief and development arm of The Evangelical Covenant Church. Covenant World Relief was formed in response to the Covenant's historic commitment to being actively involved in Christ's mission to respond to the spiritual and physical needs of others.

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Episcopal Relief and Development

is the international relief and development agency of the Episcopal Church of the United States. An independent 501(c) 3 organization, ERD saves lives and builds hope in communities around the world. For over 65 years, ERD has worked in more than 100 countries. ERD provides emergency assistance in times of crisis and rebuilds after disasters. ERD enables people to climb out of poverty by offering long-term solutions in areas of food security and health care, including HIV/AIDS and malaria.

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Evangelical Lutheran Church in America World Hunger Program

is a 30-year-old ministry that confronts hunger and poverty through long-term sustainable development, emergency relief, education, organizing, advocacy and lifestyle stewardship. Approximately 72 percent of the program works internationally and 28 percent works within the United States. Lutheran World Relief (Baltimore) and Lutheran World Federation (Geneva) are key implementing partners in international relief and development throughout the world.

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Heifer International is a nonprofit charity working to end world hunger and poverty by giving cows, goats and other livestock, along with training, in animal husbandry, strategic planning and environmentally sound community development to impoverished families around the globe. Recipients give offspring of their livestock to others, multiplying the benefits of each donated animal. "Passing on the gift" is fundamental to Heifer's approach as part of its holistic development solution. As people share their animals' offspring with others along with their knowledge and resources, an ever-expanding network of hope, dignity and self-reliance is created that is expanding around the globe.

Since it began in 1944, Heifer has impacted more than 38 million people in more than 125 countries and 38 U.S. states. Each year Heifer's message of hope reaches still others through the media and through its own publications, such as its quarterly World Ark magazine. Heifer's three learning centers in Arkansas, California and Massachusetts offer hands-on educational experiences with seminars, service learning projects and hunger immersion experiences. Heifer is the 2004 recipient of the \$1 million Conrad N. Hilton Humanitarian Award.

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Oxfam America is dedicated to creating lasting solutions to global poverty and hunger by working in partnership with grassroots organizations promoting sustain-

able development in Africa, Asia, the Caribbean and the Americas, including the United States. Oxfam's grant awards and advocacy work aim to challenge the structural barriers that foster conflict and human suffering and limit people from gaining the skills, resources and power to become self-sufficient. Oxfam America envisions a world in which all people one day shall know freedom—freedom to achieve their fullest potential and to live secure from the dangers of hunger, deprivation and oppression—through the creation of a global movement of economic and social justice.

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For 35 years, **the Presbyterian Hunger Program** has provided a channel for congregations to respond to hunger in the United States and around the world. With a commitment to the ecumenical sharing of human and financial resources, the program provides support for direct food relief efforts, sustainable development and public policy advocacy. A network of 100 Hunger Action Enablers leads the Presbyterian Church (USA) in the study of hunger issues, engagement with communities of need, advocacy for just public policies, and the movement toward simpler corporate and personal lifestyles.

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Share Our Strength Since 1984, Share Our Strength has led the fight against hunger and poverty by

inspiring individuals and businesses to share their strengths. Today, their priority is to end childhood hunger in America. By raising funds to support the most effective community-based programs that feed hungry children, partnering with organizations pursuing long-term solutions, and helping families help themselves through nutrition education programs, Share Our Strength will ensure that the nearly 14 million children facing hunger have access to the nutritious food they need to learn, grow and thrive. For more information, please visit www.strength.org.

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United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is the global humanitarian aid organization of the United Methodist Church. UMCOR works in more than 70 countries worldwide, including the United States. Our mission is to alleviate human suffering—whether caused by war, conflict or natural disaster—with open minds and hearts to all people. We partner with people to rebuild their livelihoods, health, and homes. In times of acute crisis we mobilize aid to stricken areas—emergency supplies, fresh water, and temporary shelter—and then stay, as long as it takes, to implement long-term recovery and rehabilitation. UMCOR is a member of several global alliances that share the same mission to restore well-being to women, children and men. Together with these and many local partners, UMCOR embodies the life-saving humani-

tarian presence of the people of the United Methodist Church.

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The Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) International is an independent humanitarian agency established in 1984 for the specific purpose of providing individual and community development and disaster relief. Committed to improving quality of human life, ADRA serves people in need without regard to their ethnic, political or religious association.

ADRA's development and relief work is divided among five core activities: food security, economic development, primary health, disaster preparedness and response, and basic education. In addition to feeding the hungry, ADRA works to prevent hunger through long-term development programs. Struggling families and individuals learn how to support and feed themselves by using agricultural methods that do not hurt the environment. ADRA also helps improve access to food and ensures equitable distribution of food among community members.

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Baptist World Aid (BWAid), the relief and development arm of the Baptist World Alliance (BWA), empowers grassroots solutions to local needs—clean drinking water,

sustainable food supply, village health workers, improved farming, environmental care, small loans and business skills training, and HIV/Aids initiatives.

The Baptist World Alliance (BWA) is a fellowship of 211 Baptist unions and conventions comprising a membership of more than 47 million baptized believers. This represents a community of approximately 110 million Baptists ministering in more than 200 countries. The BWA unites Baptists worldwide, leads in world evangelism, responds to people in need and defends human rights.

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Canadian Foodgrains Bank is a partnership of Canadian church-based agencies working to end hunger in developing countries by increasing and deepening the involvement of Canadians in efforts to end hunger; supporting partnerships and activities to reduce hunger on both an immediate and sustainable basis; and influencing changes in public policies necessary to end hunger. In addition to cash donations, substantial amounts of food grain are donated directly from Canadian farmers and from more than 200 community groups that collectively grow crops for donation to the Canadian Foodgrains Bank. Each year, approximately \$7 million in grain and cash donations are collected in addition to the \$16 million matching support from the Canadian International Development Agency. Hunger related programming supported by the Foodgrains Bank through its 13 member agencies include food aid,

food security, nutrition programming, and food justice.

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Catholic Relief Services (CRS)

is the overseas relief and development agency of the U.S. Catholic community. Founded in 1943, CRS provides more than \$300 million in development and relief assistance in more than 80 nations worldwide. Working in partnership with the Catholic church and other local institutions in each country, CRS works to alleviate poverty, hunger and suffering, and supports peace-building and reconciliation initiatives. Assistance is given solely on the basis of need. Even while responding to emergencies, CRS supports more than 2,000 development projects designed to build local self-sufficiency. CRS works in conjunction with Caritas Internationalis and CIDSE, worldwide associations of Catholic relief and development agencies. Together, these groups build the capacity of local nonprofit organizations to provide long-term solutions. In the United States, CRS seeks to educate and build awareness on issues of world poverty and hunger and serves as an advocate for public policy changes in the interest of poor people overseas.

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Christian Children's Fund (CCF)

is a global force for children, helping the world's poorest and most vulnerable children survive and thrive to reach their full potential. One of the world's oldest and most respected international child development organizations, CCF works in 33 countries and assists approximately 10.5 million children and family members worldwide, without regard to religion, race or gender.

CCF is a member of ChildFund International, a network of 12 affiliated worldwide organizations, working for the well-being of children in 55 countries. CCF supports locally led initiatives that strengthen families and communities, helping them overcome poverty and protect the rights of their children. CCF programs seek to be holistic and comprehensive, incorporating health, education, nutrition and livelihood interventions to protect, nurture and develop children in a sustainable way. CCF works in any environment where poverty, conflict and disaster threaten the well-being of children.

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The Cooperative Baptist Fellowship

is a fellowship of Baptist Christians and churches who share a passion for the Great Commission of Jesus Christ and a commitment to Baptist principles of faith and practice. The Fellowship's purpose is to serve Christians and churches as they discover and fulfill their God-given mission. One of the Fellowship's strategic initiatives is engaging in holistic missions and ministries among the most neglected in a world without borders. With

more than 1,900 contributing churches and more than 3,000 individual contributors, the Fellowship supports a global missions field force of 163 personnel.

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Church World Service is the global relief, development and refugee-assistance ministry of Protestant, Orthodox and Anglican denominations. Founded in 1946, CWS works in partnership with local organizations worldwide to support sustainable self-help development, meet emergency needs, and address the root causes of poverty and powerlessness.

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Foods Resource Bank is a Christian response to world hunger. Its goal is for hungry people to know the dignity and pride of feeding themselves by making it possible for them, through sustainable agricultural programs, to produce food for their families with extra to share, barter or sell. Foods Resource Bank endeavors to twin rural and urban communities in “growing projects” in the United States, allowing participants to give a gift only they can give. These volunteers grow crops, sell them in the United States and the resulting money is used by implementing members (many of the mainline denominations) to establish food security programs abroad. Foods Resource Bank creates solidarity between America’s bounty and the needs of the world’s hungry.

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International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC), a humanitarian relief and development agency of Orthodox Christians, was established in 1992. Since its inception, IOCC has administered more than \$226 million in aid and development programs in more than 30 countries. All assistance is provided solely on the basis of need, giving help to some of the most vulnerable people, including orphans, refugees and displaced persons, the elderly, school children, families and people with disabilities.

The mission of IOCC is to respond to the call of our Lord Jesus Christ to minister to those who are suffering and in need throughout the world, sharing with them God’s gifts of food, shelter, economic self-sufficiency and hope.

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Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod (LCMS) World Relief and Human Care is the alliance of disaster relief, self-help and human care ministries of LCMS. The mission of the Church through LCMS World Relief and Human Care is to reach out in mercy and compassion to those in need, in the clear name of Christ and his gospel, and according to the Lutheran confessions.

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Lutheran World Relief (LWR) is a ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS), individuals and parish groups in international relief, development, advocacy and social responsibility.

LWR acts on behalf of U.S. Lutherans in response to natural disasters, humanitarian crises and chronic poverty in some 35 countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. In partnership with local organizations, LWR supports community projects to improve food production, health care, environment and employment, with special emphasis on training and gender equity. LWR monitors legislation on foreign aid and development, and advocates for public policies that address the root causes of hunger and poverty. LWR values the God-given gifts that each person can bring to the task of promoting peace, justice and human dignity. LWR began its work in 1945.

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The mission of **Physicians Against World Hunger** is to alleviate chronic hunger by supporting programs that implement microlending and education to break the hunger cycle. As part of this educational service, Physicians Against World Hunger also makes available a speaker to societies and organizations that wish to know more about world hunger.

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The U.N. World Food Program (WFP) is the food-aid arm of the United Nations and the primary U.N. agency fighting to eradicate world hunger. Each year, WFP feeds close to 100 million people to meet their nutritional needs—two-thirds of them children—in more than 80 of the world’s poorest countries. As the world’s largest humanitarian organization, WFP has developed sophisticated techniques to assess the need for food aid not only in emergencies but in situations of chronic hunger, channeling its assistance to the poorest and most vulnerable groups—typically women, children and the elderly. Fifty-seven percent of WFP’s expenditure is directed to Least-Developed Countries—as compared to 42 percent of bilateral ODA, more than half is directed to Africa. Programs include “food for education,” which enables poor children, especially girls, to attend school; and “food for work,” which seeks to build assets and promote self-reliance within poor communities. WFP envisions a world in which every woman, man and child has access, at all times, to the food needed for a healthy and productive life.

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Since 1944, **World Relief** has been helping churches to assist suffering people worldwide in the name of Jesus. As the humanitarian arm of the National Association of

Evangelicals, World Relief equips churches to minister to hurting people’s physical, emotional and spiritual needs. Working with local churches, World Relief serves in some of the poorest countries in the world. Its innovative ministries focus on microenterprise development, maternal and child health, HIV/AIDS, agricultural assistance, refugee care and emergency relief.

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World Vision is a Christian relief and development organization dedicated to helping children and their communities worldwide reach their full potential by tackling the causes of poverty. Motivated by our faith in Jesus, we serve the poor, regardless of a person’s religion, race, ethnicity, or gender, as a demonstration of God’s unconditional love for all people. World Vision provides emergency assistance to children and families affected by natural disasters and civil conflict, works with communities to develop long-term solutions to alleviate poverty, and advocates for justice on behalf of the poor. World Vision serves more than 100 million people in nearly 100 countries around the world.

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