

2010 Synod Assembly
Offerings from the Two Assembly Worship Services
Vital Support for our Brothers and Sisters in Sierra Leone

Our Offerings will Support
Our Pastor-in-Residence, Pastor Kate Warn
The Cost of Shipping Food and Medical Supplies to Sierra Leone

OFFERING CHALLENGE FROM THE NORTH CENTRAL WEST CONFERENCE!

In January the North Central West Conference held a fund-raising event at Briarwood to raise funds to support Pr. Kate Warn, our Pastor-in-Residence in Sierra Leone. The dinner was hosted by the pastors who invited a table or two of members from each of their congregations. Hearing the story of our relationship with the ELCSL led them to donations of nearly \$ 8,000 in one evening. Now they are challenging every Conference to strive to bring \$ 5,000 minimally for this year's Synod Assembly offering. With a need of about \$ 60,000 to support Pastor Warn each year, this will nearly fully fund an entire year of her support.

In addition, your Synod Assembly offerings will help pay the expense of sending the container to Sierra Leone which will provide over 300,000 servings of soup/stew, items for medical care, school supplies, and instruments for the youth ministry in the ELCSL.

Please consider your generous Synod Assembly offerings as we strive to reach a goal of \$ 75,000 in Synod Assembly offerings. Encourage others to join you in this venture of faith.