

# Sharing the **good news** together



Mennonite Mission

The mission agency of Mennonite Church USA

Network

ogether, the congregations of Allegheny Mennonite
Conference and Mennonite Mission Network are sharing
the good news of God's healing and hope around the
world. We are deeply grateful for our partnership with you, and
thank you for your prayers, people and resources shared in
God's mission. We give thanks for the honor of partnering with

you to extend the reach of Allegheny Mennonite Conference and its congregations as we engage the world with the message of God's reconciling love in Jesus Christ.

Stanley W. Green
Executive Director

Mennonite Mission Network

"Jesus said to them, 'Bring some of the fish that you have just caught.' So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore. full of large fish, a hundred fiftythree of them; and though there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, 'Come and have breakfast.' Now none of the disciples dared to ask him, 'Who are you?' because they knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and did the same with the fish.'

-John 21:10-13 (NRSV)

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Mennonite Mission Network celebrates the ways that we and Allegheny Mennonite Conference worked together to share the good news of Christ this past year. Thank you for your faithful participation in mission.

### **Program participation**

- Four individuals are participating in the Service Adventure program: Melanie and Matthew Alwine, Thomas Mennonite Church, are serving at Johnstown, Penn.; Brent and Kirsten Estep of Kaufman Mennonite Church serve at Colorado Springs, Colo.
- Two individuals from Pittsburgh Mennonite Church are serving in Mennonite Voluntary Service: Alisha Bender in Washington, D.C., and Emma Stahl-Wert serving in Tucson, Ariz. Abby Cable, Kaufman Mennonite Church, is serving with Radical Journey in South Africa.
- Three individuals from Allegheny Mennonite Conference congregations are committed prayer partners with Mennonite Mission Network.
- Five pastors from the Casselman Valley district participated in a listening session with Mission Network.

#### **International Ministries**

- Maple Grove Mennonite and University Mennonite support the Ghana Global Mission Partnership. Kaufman Mennonite, Martinsburg Mennonite, and Morgantown Church of the Brethren support Bruce Yoder and Nancy Frey and family in Burkina Faso.
- Last year, the children of Allegheny Conference churches contributed \$951 to Mission Network's Globe Mission Bank projects.

### Allegheny Conference Congregational Giving \$60,000.00 \$40,000.00 \$20,000.00 \$0.00 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012



Sheila Yoder Allegheny Conference Liaison

### A blessing:

May the Lord bless Allegheny conference and its congregations with such clarity of vision, grace and love that those observing will say, "These are indeed Christ's disciples."

Amen



# Spending Plan 2012-2013

\$8,830,998

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Program Ministries	International Ministries	International workers, partnership minis- tries, grants for leadership development and church growth			35%
	Christian Service	Short-term service/learning assignments in the U.S. and globally for young adults and adults of all ages			24%
	Mission Resources	Educational resources for children, adults and congregations, including speakers, web tools, and academic journals		MccDei	12%
Mission Support	Support Services	Brick and mortar, IT, finance and HR— many services shared with other denomi- nation organizations	Park Harman Palabitis		14%
	Fundraising	Costs associated with raising the contributions needed to support our ministries this year		Thank you!	6%
Denominational Ministry Support	First Fruits to Mennonite Church USA	This is our tithe to the ministries and costs of Mennonite Church USA	Mennonite Church USA		4%
	Denominational Ministries	Shared ministry with Mennonite Church USA Executive Board for church planting, evangelism, and peace and justice			3%
	MennoMedia	A 5-year partnership grant to aid in the transition of Third Way Media from Mission Network to MennoMedia	Mennonite Mission NetWork The mission agency of Menocrite Church USA	MennoMedia	2%

71% Program Ministries

20% Mission Support

9% Denominational Ministry