

What is *Fan into Flame*?

Fan into Flame is the capital fundraising campaign endorsed by the 2004 Synodical Convention that will secure \$100 million in new money (over and above current World Mission budget) to help reach the *Ablaze!* goals. The first major campaign of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod in 25 years, *Fan into Flame* will touch all districts and congregations, helping all Lutherans take a quantum leap in their ability to minister to the lost. These funds will assist in revitalizing congregations, developing programs to empower the laity, calling additional missionaries for work in national and international mission fields, and planting new ministries at home and abroad.

Every congregation is invited to participate in *Fan into Flame*. This decision will be made by your church's leadership. Your church will receive a portion of all money raised from its members to fund its own mission projects designed to reach out to the uncommitted or unchurched with the Gospel presentation in your community; and each congregation that participates will provide new resources for the largest mission initiative our church body has undertaken. Each district will receive a share of the money raised by its congregations and through any major gifts it receives.

Fan into Flame is an historic initiative designed to fund new and expanded mission programs at all levels within the Synod, its districts and congregations. It is important to maintain support of critical existing programs and ongoing ministries. Therefore, the money you and the congregation give to current mission work is just as important and needs to be maintained.

[Find out more about *Fan into Flame* here](#)