





Including the Ministry of the Church in Your Personal Investment Strategy



Lutheran Church Extension Fund

Investments · Loans · Services

# A Personal Financial Tool, plus . . . A Way to Benefit the Ministry of the Church!

Opening a StewardAccount<sup>®</sup> from the Lutheran Church Extension Fund (LCEF) is a great way to include the ministry of the Church in your personal investment plan!

The LCEF StewardAccount offers many easy access features\*:

- Monthly statements.
- Attractive interest rates that rise as your balance grows.
- Minimum opening investment of \$100.
- Check writing ability with certain restrictions.
- Optional ATM/VISA<sup>®</sup> Check Card.
- Electronic funds transfer services.
- Free access to MyAccount, LCEF's Internet financial service.
- Joyful Response<sup>®</sup> Program: free service for electronic church contributions and tuition payments.

\* LCEF StewardAccount access features provided through UMB Bank, n.a.

# Other LCEF Investment Products:

# **Dedicated Certificates**

- Unlimited investments and withdrawals
- \$100 minimum to open (\$10 for custodial investments)
- Interest rates rise as balance grows

#### Fixed Term Notes

- Fixed interest rate with a fixed time period
- \$500 minimum to open
- Time periods range from six months to 20 years

# **Floating Term Notes**

- Variable interest rate with a fixed time period
- \$100 minimum to open

# Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs)

- Traditional/Rollover
- Roth
- Coverdell Education Savings Accounts

#### **FlexPlus Health Savings Account**

- Contributions are tax-deductible
- Redemptions are tax-free for qualified medical expenses
- Balance carries over from year to year

#### Family Emergency StewardAccount

- \$25 minimum to open
- Regular monthly investments required

The mission of the Lutheran Church Extension Fund is to support the church in fulfilling its mission of sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ by being a Christcentered servant partner of the LCMS, ensuring that funds and services are available now and in the future.



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