

2025 FALL INGATHERING SEASON

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We are so grateful for our Quilters and Kit Makers! Your compassionate service is at the very heart of Lutheran World Relief. Your faith in action brings hope and comfort to those in need and creates a lasting impact for our neighbors, no matter how far.

In 2024, your love stitched more than 370,000 quilts, bundled nearly 320,000 kits, and embraced countless families in 16 countries, including the United States.

Your gifts have surrounded those suffering unimaginable loss after disaster in the U.S. They have ensured new mothers in Madagascar can clothe and care for their babies, and that the education of children in Honduras isn't disrupted by a simple lack of supplies.

You are a beacon of hope to our most vulnerable neighbors, shining God's light in a world of increasing need.

THANK YOU!



UPCOMING INGATHERINGS NEAR YOU

With the Fall Ingathering season approaching quickly, here is some important logistical information:

<p>GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH 3830 Gomer St., Yorktown Heights, NY 10598</p> <p>COLLECTION DATES: Wed-Sat, Sept 10-13, 10am-2pm</p> <p>CONTACTS: Church office 914.245.5737 Art Schroder 914.245.1682 ahscvs@aol.com</p> <p><i>MUST CALL CHURCH FOR DROP OFF APPOINTMENT</i></p>	<p>GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH 600 New Brunswick Ave., Perth Amboy, NJ 08861</p> <p>COLLECTION DATES: Mon-Wed, Sept 15-17, 10am-2pm & evenings</p> <p>CONTACT: Nina Merciadetz 732.826.3391 (church office) merciadez@verizon.net</p> <p><i>MUST CALL CHURCH FOR DROP OFF APPOINTMENT</i></p>	<p>ABIDING PRESENCE LUTHERAN CHURCH 2220 Pennington Rd., Ewing Township, NJ 08638</p> <p>COLLECTION DATES: Mon-Fri, Sept 8-12 & Mon-Wed, Sept 15-17, 9am-noon</p> <p>CONTACT: Debbie Burd 609.658.0838 609.882.7759 (church office) debra.burd@gmail.com</p> <p><i>MUST CALL FOR DROP OFF APPOINTMENT</i></p>	<p>REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH 2384 E Landis Ave., Vineland, NJ 08361</p> <p>COLLECTION DATES: Wed-Thur, Sept 17-18, 10am-noon</p> <p>CONTACT: Arlene Cherwin 856.691.3737 danc1917@hotmail.com</p> <p><i>MUST CALL FOR DROP OFF APPOINTMENT</i></p>
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INGATHERING MAP

You can also check the **INGATHERING MAP** at ingathering.lwr.org for the closest location. No ingathering near you? No problem! You can drive or ship your items to our warehouse:

Lutheran World Relief
398 East Richmond Street
South St. Paul, MN 55075
651.457.9009

ITEMS ACCEPTED

Quilts, School Kits, Personal Care Kits, Baby Care Kits and Fabric Kits. For **general assembly** instructions, go to lwr.org/quilts or lwr.org/kits.

PACKING NOTES

Pack your items **TIGHTLY** in medium-size strong boxes secured with packing tape. This ensures boxes do not collapse during transit. **Each box cannot exceed 40 lbs.** Pack completed quilts and kits **SEPARATELY** in boxes.

LABELING YOUR BOXES

Create your own label OR write on your boxes in **LARGE, BLOCK LETTERS** with LWR, church information, type and number of contents.

For more detailed packing instructions and label requirements, go to lwr.org/pack.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF

Church or Group Name
Church or Group Address
Type and Quantity of Item

Still have questions? Contact the Quilt & Kit Ministry team at quiltsandkits@lwr.org.