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Thank you for Joining Us

ON OUR SHARED PLANET, over 1 billion people do not have enough to eat today, a number that has seen a radical spike in 2020 due to the food insecurities and economic setbacks triggered by COVID-19. These 1 billion people don't know if they'll have anything to eat tomorrow. Their food supply isn't safe, nutritious, sufficient, or secure. **Their tables are empty.**

You know this story has to change. **World Renew does too.**

We serve a God whose table is for everyone, a God who can do immeasurably more than anything we can ask or imagine.

World Renew has the plans, the systems, the partners, and the people to help change this story. When your community gives to World Renew, **God uses our shared efforts to put food on tables. Every table. Food for today, food for tomorrow. Food for the body, food for the spirit.**

At World Renew, we believe God's table is built for everyone. His care extends to every people group. His justice demands better for every child. Your choice to participate in World Hunger 2020 speaks to your community's commitment to these beliefs too. Let's glorify our God together by ensuring a seat for all His children at His table.

As we partner in this work together, World Renew is offering a range of resources in both print and digital formats to serve the Body of Christ, both those gathered and those practicing physical distancing. These resources are *free of charge* and include

- adult and children's devotional books
- bulletin covers and inserts
- posters
- our iconic orange Peter Fish

In this Leaders Guide, you will find:

- *Addressing World Hunger Means Addressing Food Security*
- a detailed Action Plan for organizers of your campaign, as well as creative campaign ideas
- prepared bulletin/email announcements
- prepared children's sermons
- song suggestions and a Litany for World Hunger Sunday

Visit **[worldrenew.ca/worldhunger \(CAN\)](https://worldrenew.ca/worldhunger)** or **[worldrenew.net/worldhunger \(US\)](https://worldrenew.net/worldhunger)** for digital access to all resources and even more support:

- Presentation slide
- World Hunger Video Sermon and Outline
- an Every Table video
- Social media graphics
- "Going deeper" activities for kids, families, and small groups



An end to poverty
starts with
FOOD FOR EVERY TABLE.

And food for
every table
STARTS WITH YOU.

All World Hunger Campaign materials are available free of charge. Please call 1-800-333-8300 to order adult and children devotional books, printed bulletin covers and inserts, printed posters, and of course the ICONIC Peter Fish! In addition, all resources are available in a digital format:

US: worldrenew.net/worldhunger
CA: worldrenew.ca/worldhunger

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A PETER FISH? WHAT'S THAT?

If you're new to World Renew or World Hunger Sunday, welcome and good question!

Peter Fish are the bright orange plastic banks that have been part of our World Hunger Campaign for over 20 years. We like using a fish because, when it comes to changing the story of hunger, we're all about "teaching people to fish," empowering them to provide nutritious and sustainable food for their families for years to come.



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Addressing World Hunger Means seeking food security

IN THE AFTERMATH OF COVID-19, the stark reality of world hunger has left over **1 billion people** around the world without enough food on their table. That is 1 billion people hungry today. Hungry tomorrow.

Individuals and communities suffer the consequences as health and human potential starve. Five million children under the age of 5 die of malnutrition-related causes every year. A full third of those who don't suffer permanent impairment of their physical and intellectual development, robbing them and their community of their fullest contributions.

Addressing world hunger requires more than a meal. Responding to this human suffering means securing regular access to safe, nutritious, and sufficient food. That is food security. **That is food on every table.**

Food security requires responses to complicated factors like climate crisis, disaster, violence, economic injustice, and access to healthcare and education. **World Renew understands those factors and knows how to address them.**

We have the people, the partners, the plans, and the systems necessary for investing in food resources for today, tomorrow, and the tomorrows after that. We help families grow their food sustainably, save their resources to face future crises, and weather disasters and violence that often rob them of food and table altogether.

We also serve a God who loves the poor and vulnerable with a mighty Love.

Your participation in this year's World Hunger campaign strengthens our multi-pronged, sustainable, family-centered approach to addressing the challenges that keep 1 billion people around the world hungry today.

Because God's table is a table of plenty. And He's asked us to do our part: a seat for **all His children**, food for **every table**.

ACTION PLAN FOR ORGANIZERS WHO ARE GATHERING PHYSICALLY

Thank you for stepping up to organize your congregation's World Hunger campaign. If your church is in a season of gathering physically, these are the steps you can take to ensure a smooth roll-out and execution.

That being said, we encourage you to take a look at the Action Plan for Church Gathering Digitally as well, particularly to ensure that members of your community who are immuno-compromised or house-bound continue to feel well-integrated in the life and rhythms of your church.

TIME FRAME	ACTION PLAN
THREE WEEKS BEFORE OFFERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make a verbal announcement in church that World Hunger campaign is starting the following Sunday—remind people that devotional books and Peter Fish will be available then Use bulletin announcement #1 (provided in this Leaders' Guide)
TWO WEEKS BEFORE OFFERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make a verbal announcement in church that World Hunger campaign is starting and print bulletin announcement #2 Distribute devotional books and Peter Fish Use children's message #1 (in this Leaders' Guide) to introduce campaign and Peter Fish to children and parents Consider a special coffee fellowship after the service (see Creative Campaign Ideas in this guide). If you're using any campaign display or decoration, make sure it's up and ready for this day (again, see Creative Campaign Ideas section of this guide)
ONE WEEK BEFORE OFFERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use children's message #2 today This is a good Sunday to have a sermon on World Hunger (Sermon Notes are available online at www.worldrenew.net/worldhunger). Print bulletin announcement #3 and make a verbal announcement that next week is World Hunger Sunday and collection will be taken—bring in your Peter Fish!
WORLD HUNGER SUNDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hold an offering for World Renew during your collection and collect Peter Fish during an appropriate time for children. Make sure to download the World Hunger video online to play during the offering. Consider using litany and song suggestions provided in this Leaders' Guide Use children's message #3 today Use bulletin announcement #4 Consider asking your youth group to take responsibility for counting and rolling the Peter Fish offering after the service or during their weekly meeting
ONE WEEK LATER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forward last week's collection to World Renew Use bulletin announcement #5 to celebrate collection results with your congregation and consider a verbal thank you to your congregation during announcement time

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PREPARED BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR PHYSICAL GATHERINGS

DIGITAL ANNOUNCEMENT #1

Anybody want to feed some fish? In three weeks, we will be observing World Hunger Sunday and taking a collection on behalf of World Renew's work with our hungry brothers and sisters worldwide. Look for **Peter Fish banks and devotional books for both children and adults** next Sunday.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT #2

Over 1 billion people around the world are hungry. In two weeks, we'll be observing World Hunger Sunday. God gives us food for the body and food for the spirit. He has a place for all of us at His table. **Pick up your World Hunger Campaign devotionals today** and spend some thinking about why and how we welcome others to God's table. If you have children in your household, make sure to get both the adult and children's versions.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT #3

Did anybody eat foo-foo for dinner this week? Not sure what that is? It's not too late to pick up a World Hunger Sunday devotional and find out. If you're looking for a way to engage hunger with your family, we also have children's devotionals and Peter Fish for kids. **We'll take a collection next week** that will go directly to World Renew's work with families like the ones you've met during your devotion time.

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT #4

Today we are having an offering to support the work of World Renew and help put food on tables around the world. World Renew has the plans, the systems, the partners, and the people to come alongside communities experiencing hunger. We are excited to join this program as a faithful response to the God who can accomplish abundantly more than all we ask or imagine. **Thank you for giving as you are able to help solve World Hunger.**

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENT #5

Those were some well-fed fish! **Thank you to everyone who brought in a Peter Fish or made a donation to last week's World Hunger Sunday collection.** Our church alone raised *[put in your \$ amount]* for World Renew's sustainable approach to tackling the problem of world hunger. Together, we are coming alongside families so they can put food on their tables.

CREATIVE CAMPAIGN IDEAS FOR PHYSICAL GATHERINGS

Engaging your congregation on the topic of world hunger can be as simple as a few announcements and distribution of devotionals.

But, if you want to **make more of the two weeks leading up to World Hunger Sunday**, try some of these ideas for both the young and young-at-heart.

SET THE TABLE

A visual display in a high-traffic area always catches people's attention. Since this year's theme is *Every Table*, **why not set up a dining table and call it God's Table of Plenty?** Decorations could include a large map on top of the table cloth, place cards with the names of families from our devotional and lots of extras for congregants to add theirs! This is a good place to pass out devotionals and Peter Fish.

If you have a large fish bowl, considering putting it on the sanctuary table alongside the offering plates. On week #1, you can have 1 orange fish swimming in it, on week #2 a few more, and on week #3 have a school of fish. Or just fill it with Peter Fish!

SET THE SCENE

For a simpler but still visually impactful campaign reminder, **try stretching a fish net across a prominent church wall** and inserting a few Peter Fish in it (faux nets are inexpensive and easily found online, but ask around your congregation first — anglers abound!). A simple banner with the words "Food for Every Table. Fill Your Peter Fish!" will do the trick.

MARK THE MOMENT

Start your campaign sweetly by distributing devotionals and Peter Fish during **coffee hour along with a special treat**. Cadet and GEMS clubs and youth groups can help by doing some baking ahead of time and serving during coffee hour. Consider small cups of orange goldfish crackers for a less time-consuming Peter Fish-themed tie-in.

MAKE A LITTLE MORE

If you're passing an offering plate on World Hunger Sunday (some people don't take home banks or forget to bring them back so it's a good back up plan), don't pass it empty! **Put a Peter Fish** in it to remind people what the collection is for!

Ask your youth group to consider **a simple fundraiser** for the campaign. If Peter Fish banks are the focus for your congregation, why not sell fish-shaped cookies or mini-bags of Swedish fish candy? Kids can attach hand-written labels that say "Thank You! You're helping put food on Every Table!"

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ACTION PLAN FOR ORGANIZERS WHO ARE GATHERING DIGITALLY

Thank you for stepping up to organize your congregation's World Hunger campaign. You've got this. And we've got you. If you are one of many churches currently gathering in a digital space, or operating at reduced capacity for the safety of your congregation, this is a digital rollout designed to help you have a successful World Hunger Sunday.

Just follow the schedule below for a smooth roll-out and execution.

TIME FRAME	ACTION PLAN
THREE WEEKS BEFORE OFFERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make a social announcement on your digital channels (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and also Email) that the World Hunger campaign is starting the following Sunday and point people to worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US) to learn more with devotionals, family activities, videos. Use digital announcement #1 as your inspiration (text provided in this Leaders' Guide and visual options provided at worldrenew.net/worldhunger) Make sure your small group leaders have downloaded the Small Group Discussion Guide to be used over the next 4 weeks.
TWO WEEKS BEFORE OFFERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make a social announcement on your digital channels (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and also Email) that the World Hunger campaign is starting the following Sunday and point people to worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US) to learn more with devotionals, family activities, videos. Use digital announcement #2 as your inspiration. Remind your church members to download and start their devotional materials. Families can work through the Kids Devotional Materials together. Record and upload children's message #1 to share this week on Facebook and on your website. This is a special message for the kids in your congregation and a great conversation starter for families.
ONE WEEK BEFORE OFFERING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Record and upload children's message #2 today. Share on Facebook and on your website. This is a good Sunday to have a sermon on World Hunger (A Video Sermon and Sermon Outline are available online at www.worldrenew.net/worldhunger). Publish digital announcement #3 and make a verbal announcement in your livestream that next week is World Hunger Sunday and collection will be taken online. Include a link to worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US) in the livestream comments.
WORLD HUNGER SUNDAY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Take a collection for World Renew during your livestream. You can collect funds through your regular digital giving option or invite people to give directly to World Renew at worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US). Don't forget to download and incorporate the World Hunger offering video into your livestream. You are also free to post it to your website and social media separately for people to view. Consider using litany and song suggestions provided in this Leaders' Guide during your livestream. Record and upload children's message #3 today. Share on Facebook and your website.
ONE WEEK LATER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Forward last week's collection to World Renew Use bulletin announcement #5 to celebrate collection results with your congregation and consider a verbal thank you to your congregation during announcement time

PREPARED BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR DIGITAL GATHERINGS

DIGITAL ANNOUNCEMENT #1

In three weeks, we will be observing World Hunger Sunday and giving online to support World Renew's work with our hungry brothers and sisters worldwide. We would love for you to join us in learning more about the 1 billion people currently suffering from lack of food. Visit worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US) to access devotionals for adults and kids, videos, family activities, and more as we learn about our part in responding to World Hunger.

DIGITAL ANNOUNCEMENT #2

Over 1 billion people around the world are hungry. In two weeks, we'll be observing World Hunger Sunday. God gives us food for the body and food for the spirit. He has a place for all of us at His table. Download your World Hunger Campaign devotionals today and spend some thinking about why and how we welcome others to God's table. If you have children in your household, make sure to get both the adult and children's versions and explore the online activities on World Renew's site for a chance to better understand the impact of and solutions for ending global hunger.

DIGITAL ANNOUNCEMENT #3

Did anybody eat foo-foo for dinner this week? Not sure what that is? It's not too late to download a World Hunger Sunday devotional and find out. If you're looking for a way to engage hunger with your family, we also have children's devotionals and activities at worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US). **We'll take a collection next week** that will go directly to World Renew's work with families like the ones you've met during your devotion time.

DIGITAL ANNOUNCEMENT #4

Today we are having an offering to support the work of World Renew and help put food on tables around the world. World Renew has the plans, the systems, the partners, and the people to come alongside communities experiencing hunger. We are excited to join this program as a faithful response to the God who can accomplish abundantly more than all we ask or imagine. Thank you for giving as you are able to help solve World Hunger. **Please give now at worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US).**

DIGITAL ANNOUNCEMENT #5

Thank you to everyone who made a donation to last week's World Hunger Sunday collection. Together we helped support World Renew's sustainable approach to tackling the problem of world hunger, coming alongside families so they can put food on their tables. You play such a vital role in that story, and we are grateful!

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CREATIVE CAMPAIGN IDEAS FOR DIGITAL GATHERINGS

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EMPTY THE TABLE

At the start of World Hunger, consider inviting your congregation to fast for a meal together in order to pray and connect with those experiencing hunger around the world. For those for whom it would not be wise to skip a meal for medical reasons, invite them to fast from speaking during that mealtime instead and stand in solidarity with those suffering from hunger and without a voice. Then, encourage your congregation to talk about the experience together, maybe even posting pictures with the hashtag #WorldHunger2020.

SET THE SCENE

When you shift the design of the banner images on social media and your church's website, it makes an impression on your community: inciting curiosity, signaling significance, and creating buzz. Feel free to use the resources available at worldrenew.ca/worldhunger (CAN) or worldrenew.net/worldhunger (US) to help.

MARK THE MOMENT

Host a **digital coffee hour** on your church's preferred video conferencing platform to discuss World Hunger and what is stirring in the hearts and minds of your congregation. Contact us to have someone from World Renew attend (US: info@worldrenew.net, CAN: info@worldrenew.ca), and share more about the overall impact of World Hunger and what small acts like giving and prayer do to make a big difference.

MAKE A LITTLE MORE

If you're looking to really encourage giving, consider inviting a member of your congregation to share in a brief video with their phone why they give to support World Hunger. You can then post the video to social media through Facebook Live and share it over email. Often, we all feel encouraged to give when we see someone we know leading the way!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE #1

For this talk, you'll need a Peter Fish, one of this year's campaign devotional books for children, a bag of food, and a few coins in your pocket. This message uses bread, peanut butter, and jam but you can use whatever you like. Read on for details.

Hello everyone! Thank you for coming to see me this morning!

So, I was reading this really good book last night (*hold up the children's devotional*) about some kids that reminded me of you. But as I was reading about Rosemary and John and Amira and Patrick, I got a little sad and I'll tell you why. Because this book is about kids just like you who are hungry. Their families are struggling to find or grow food for them to eat and that made me sad.

But here is the really cool thing. This book comes with this (*take the Peter Fish bank out of your bag and hold it up for all to see*). And the people who wrote this book told me that whatever I put in here will be used to make sure the kids in this book and lots of other kids just like you around the world get enough to eat. Isn't that amazing? That made me pretty happy because I knew I could do something to help!

So this morning I went into my kitchen and found some things I thought we could send. (*Now you can start opening your bag and dramatically removing items one by one with great flourish!*) Like this loaf of bread! Everyone loves bread, right? And this jar of peanut butter. Because peanut butter is AWESOME, right? And of course a jar of jam because: peanut butter and jelly sandwiches!!

So now I just need to figure out how to get these things into this fish. (*Yes, now you do that thing where you act very silly and the children marvel at how silly you are — it's a time-honored tradition!*

Make a scene about trying to put the bread, peanut butter, and jam into the bank and revel in the laughs)

Well that's not going to work is it? But I really want to help kids like Rosemary and Patrick and their families. Hm. You know what? Maybe this book has the answer. (*Open the book and "find" the answer.*)

Ah, HA! Silly me. This book tells me that I can put COINS in here and that those coins will help feed hungry families.

Well, I have some coins right here. Shall we see if that works? (*Pro tip: don't invite one child to help you. The other kids are definitely going to want a turn.*)

It does! Okay then. I have a plan! I'm going to take this bank home and fill it with coins and then, in 2 weeks, I'm going to bring it back to church so we can make sure kids just like you have enough to eat.

I wonder if you'd like to do that too? We have a book and a fish for each of you, so if you want to help other kids you can too.

And if you feel sad about kids like you not having enough food to eat, I want you to remember something. **God is more powerful than we can even imagine. If you put coins in this bank, God will find a way to use them. God will help you help other kids who are hungry.**

Make sure you get your book and your fish before you leave church today, okay? Pray with me before you go:

Dear Lord, when we hear and read about kids who are hungry, it makes us sad. And it's hard to imagine how coins we give can help them, but we know that you can do more than we can even imagine. Wow. Amen.

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CHILDREN'S MESSAGE #2

For this sermon, you'll need the children's devotional and Peter Fish you used last week. You'll also need a table. If feasible and permitted, use your sanctuary's communion table. Otherwise, have a table set off to the side with helpers at the ready to move it front and center.

Good morning everyone! I'm so glad you're here!

Today I want to talk to you about tables. So, I thought it would be a good idea if we gathered around a table! Would you all gather around this table with me? Everyone come up close to this table and let's see if we can fit everyone around it. *(If you're using a table set off to the side, now's the time to say dramatically "I brought a table in just for this purpose! Can I have my helpers bring it forward please?" You may want to ask each child to rest their hands on the table and keep them there as a way of focusing attention and wandering fingers.)*

Okay, is everyone gathered around? Great! Let's talk about tables.

I'll bet you all have a table in your house. I have one too and I eat meals with my family at it. My favorite meal is *[name something healthy and memorable]*. Our tables are where we eat the food we need to be strong, right?

You know, God has a table too. That's why we have this table in our sanctuary! *(OR: "That's why I brought a table in with me today!")* Lots of churches have tables like this to remind us of God's table.

But, God's table is different than ours. God provides all of our food, including my *[name your meal again]*. But when we talk about gathering around God's table, we also think about other things that make us strong. Things like God's love. And God's hope. And God's safety. And God's healing.

Those are really special things we can only get from God so we have a table here as a reminder of those gifts. But I'm going to tell you something amazing: God's table is HUGE! WAY bigger than this table!

God has room for EVERYONE around his table. It's true!

Sometimes at my house, we run out of *[name your meal again!]* and I can't have a second helping. But GOD's table never runs out. God has enough love and hope and safety and healing for every single person on this planet!

If you were here last week, you might remember this book and this fish. Maybe some of you took them home and started reading about kids just like you except they don't have enough food to eat. God wants them to have enough food. He wants them to have ALL of His gifts: His love, His healing, His safety, His hope.

When we help other kids just like us around the world get the food they need to be strong, we can also offer them the other things they need to be strong: all the gifts of God! Because God's table is WAAAAAY bigger than this one. And He has room for EVERYONE around it.

If you didn't get one of these books or a Peter Fish last week, I have more so make sure to get one before you leave church today, okay? Thank you so much for coming to see me again! Let's pray before you go:

God, our brains are trying hard to imagine a table big enough for everyone in the whole world to have a place at it. But you tell us there's room! It's so amazing that we can help make sure other kids just like us have a place at your table. We love YOU, God. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE #3

[For this talk, you'll need your Bible, a Peter Fish with coins in it, and the following: a small seed and a picture of a very large tree — try Googling "mustard tree" and print out one of the images]

Hello everyone! Thank you for coming to see me again this morning!

Did any of you bring in a Peter Fish this morning?
[hold up a Peter Fish]

That is so great! Thank you for doing that. Do you remember what I said last week? Every coin you put in those banks is going to help kids just like you. Kids like Rosemary and Patrick. Like Samira and John. They are kids just like you except they do not have enough to eat. They are hungry.

I brought my fish bank in too. I'm going to confess something to you. I started wondering how these coins were going to help all the hungry kids in the world. I mean, I have a lot of coins in here (*shake it vigorously*) but there are a lot of hungry people on the planet.

So I decided to look in the Bible for an answer. And I found so many answers! The Bible says over and over again how mighty and powerful God is. Here is one of my favorite verses that I found. It's from Psalm 147. Listen to this!

God heals the heartbroken
and bandages their wounds.
He counts the stars
and assigns each a name.
Our Lord is great, with limitless strength;
we'll never comprehend what he knows and does.

Wow. God counts the stars and gives each one a name. He IS great!

I found another description of how mighty God is. Jesus explains it this way. He says that God's kingdom (which is kind of like God's table that we talked about last week) is like a mustard seed. A mustard seed is really, really small. Like this (*show them the seed you've brought in*). It doesn't look very impressive does it? But God made it. And guess what this tiny, tiny seed grows into? (*Show them the picture of the mustard tree*). Isn't that amazing? This tree is WAY taller than our church building. Jesus says it's so big that many, many animals can live in it. All from this tiny seed. God planned it that way!

So when I read those answers from my Bible, I know that even my small coins can help to make a big difference! I know that God will be able to use my gift in a mighty way.

Remember the psalm I just read you? It says the God heals the heartbroken and bandages their wounds. It says God has limitless strength.

God wants to feed the hungry. And He wants us to help him. If you brought in your bank today, thank you. If you didn't, that's okay. God wants our help all the time, for all of our lives.

Let's pray! Mighty God, you made the mustard seed and the mustard tree. You made all the stars and know them each by name. You know each of US by name! Thank you for taking our offerings and making them do something mighty for people that are hungry. Amen.

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LITANY FOR WORLD HUNGER SUNDAY

READER 1: Oh God, what love you have lavished on us that we can call ourselves your children. (1 John 3:1)

READER 2: We are no longer foreigners and strangers. We are fellow citizens with your people. We are members of your household. Your welcome is extravagant! (Ephesians 2:19)

PEOPLE: Welcoming God, you invite us to the feast of both heaven and earth, to your table of plenty. You provide for all that we need.

READER 1: You have made us alive in Christ and you seat us next to him at your table. The riches of your grace are ours to enjoy. (Ephesians 2:4-6)

READER 2: But your table is not just for us. Your banquet is for the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind. You remember the poor. You are the hope of the afflicted. (Luke 14:13, Psalm 9:18)

PEOPLE: We wonder if we can be like Jesus, who said his food was to do your will and finish your work. Can we set aside our own interests and carry one another's burdens? (John 4:34)

READER 1: You call us your handiwork. You say you created us in Christ Jesus to do good works. You have prepared those works in advance. (Ephesians 2:10)

PEOPLE: Oh, holy mystery!

READER 2: You say that if we hunger and thirst for righteousness that we will be satisfied. You promise that we will be made strong with all the strength that comes from your glorious power. (Matthew 5:6)

PEOPLE: This is the feast of heaven and earth. Let this be all that we need.

READER 1: Loving God, we will stand on those promises as a rock. Let your Love flow through us and do immeasurably more than we can even ask or imagine. (Colossians 3:11)

READER 2: Let us share this love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. Let us not withhold good when it is in our power to act. (1 John 3:18, Proverbs 3:27)

PEOPLE: And to you, God of plenty, be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever! Amen. (Ephesians 3:21)

SONG SUGGESTIONS

All the Poor and Powerless (All Sons & Daughters)

All Who are Thirsty (Brenton Brown)

As We Gather At Your Table (Carl P.)

Come to the Table (Sidewalk Prophets)

Emptiness (Will Reagan)

Holy Spirit You are Welcome (Bryan and Katie Torwalt)

Hosanna (Brenton Brown and Paul Baloche)

Hungry (Kathryn Scott)

Let Justice Roll (Dustin Smith)

Mayenziwe 'ntando yakho / Your Will Be Done on Earth, Lord (John Bell)

Take My Life and Let It Be (Frances Ridley Havergal)

The Table (Chris Tomlin)

Trinity Song (Sandra McCracken)

We Will Feast in the House of Zion (Sandra McCracken)

Food FOR EVERY Table.

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ONE IN EIGHT PEOPLE ON OUR PLANET
DON'T HAVE ENOUGH TO EAT TODAY.

They may not have anything to eat tomorrow. Their tables are empty.

Health and human potential starve because people don't have regular access to enough healthy food. As fellow beloveds of Jesus, **we know the story has to change.**

Complicated factors contribute to food insecurity and scarcity for families around the world, all made worse by the outbreak of COVID-19 over the last year. **World Renew understands those factors and knows how to address them.** We are committed to helping those we serve have food for today and for tomorrow.

We help families learn to grow their food sustainably, save their resources to face future crises, and provide emergency response when violence or disaster rob them of food and table altogether. **Your gifts make this work possible.**

You can provide more food — for today and for the future — by joining our *Free a family* program. Your monthly donation for just \$27 a month — less than \$1 a day — will accelerate recovery from the effects of COVID-19 and shares the love of Jesus with *every table.*



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