

Mission Outreach and Renewal Committee

Recommended Action Synod Council Consideration:

Approve \$5,000 Great Commission Grant to All Welcome Lutheran Worship located in Tifton Ga to support WIFI installation to provide Education and Outreach activities and content.

Rationale for Recommended Actions:

This project will provide a combination of network cabling and Wi-Fi access points to the Sanctuary, Education Building and Fellowship Hall of the church. The hope is that this will allow us more options for educational and outreach activities such as live-streaming services and classes, producing in-house content that could be shared on line in various ways, and doing ministry in populations we are currently underserving. The next phase of this project will be to develop and implement content that our users find helpful and interesting. This will be ongoing, done with the co-operation and input of as many interested parties as wish to contribute and will be evaluated as we proceed.

This project is only the first stage in our effort to do more online outreach. Once the infrastructure is in place, we will start doing more live-streaming and other programming using someone's iPhone and a cheap tripod to begin.

Mission Outreach and Renewal Committee recommends Approval

We recommend granting this request for \$5,000 to All Welcome Tifton Ga.