



**The 39th Convention
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The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod**

God's mission heart beating through you.

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Thanksgiving: In this season, we pray with thanksgiving for the many ways that God is opening doors of opportunity for the Gospel.

Heavenly Father, giver of all goodness, we bring you our thankfulness in this season of remembering your gifts to us. Your hand moves among us to bring new congregations to life in the Southeastern District. These chartered congregations: Hope of Glory, Silver Spring MD, and Zion Praise Tabernacle, Bowie MD are set in communities to bring light and HOPE right where they serve. We don't know all the things that the Spirit does behind the scenes to move your will forward in the world, but we trust that you are present and working among us. It is YOUR MISSION and YOUR WILL and we give thanks that there are places where we are allowed to join in with what you are already doing. We give thanks that new opportunities arise, and may your hand of protection guide these new communities as they work together for the sake of the Gospel. In the name of Jesus we pray, Amen