

# Half-yearly status update report

Provide this half-yearly status update report regarding your ministry/project/church plant to the Committee for New and Renewing Churches and to your District Office.

## Ministry/project details

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| Name of ministry/project/church plant |  | | | | |
| Reporting period | From |  | | To |  |
| Name of sending congregation |  | | | | |
| Contact name |  | | Signature | |  |
| Contact telephone number |  | |
| Contact email address |  | | | | |
| Name of sending church pastor |  | | Signature | |  |

## Update report

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| Section 1: Planned and actual achievements (reporting on planning and objectives) | | | | |
| For each project goal described in your application, provide details of   * the original goal * actual achievement * reason for variation (if applicable) | | | | |
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| Section 2: Impact | | | | |
| By implementing the activities and pursuing your objectives, please summarise the impact your ministry/project has had in your community. | | | | |
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| Section 3: Joys / Successes / Blessings | | | | |
| Events and stories that make you rejoice | | | | |
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| Section 4: Challenges / Difficulties / Barriers | | | | |
| Give details of your struggles and how you dealt with them | | | | |
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| Section 5: Discoveries that might help others | | | | |
| What have you learned? | | | | |
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| Section 6: Financial report | | | | |
| Summary of income and expenditure to date as well as any other financial issues that have arisen | | | | |
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| Section 7: Recommendations | | | | |
| Let us know of any recommendations for consideration by the Committee for New and Renewing Churches | | | | |
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| Information release | | | | |
|  | I give permission for the details of the ministry/project/church plant to be shared (e.g. via *The Lutheran*, LCA website, to partners). | | | |
| Name/signature of report author | |  | Date |  |

Thank you for taking the time to provide this half-yearly status update report for the Committee for New and Renewing Churches. Your report allows us to monitor the impact the funds are having on church planting in the LCA/NZ.

Please share your journey with the members of the sending congregation, the church planting community and partner churches so they can rejoice in your achievements.