



# Called to Wonder

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## What is Mission?

Do you remember the story from the Bible about the Loaves and the Fishes? In that story, only one boy had some fish and bread to eat—but when it was given to Jesus to share with all the people who had gathered, there was “Enough for All!” This is the theme of Presbyterian World Service and Development for 2007 – 2008.

If we all give just a little tiny bit of what we have, there could be enough for all in this world – and that’s what “mission” is all about.

You may think, “But I’m just a kid! What can I do?”

**It’s Easy!** Just go to [www.presbyterian.ca/bookroom](http://www.presbyterian.ca/bookroom) to download a PDF version of the “Gifts of Change” catalogue. Read the catalogue with your family or church school, or whoever you have decided to do your mission project or “Something Extra Project” with. Choose something that interests you and make a note of the project code. Then, visit [www.presbyterian.ca/donate/somethingextra](http://www.presbyterian.ca/donate/somethingextra), enter your chosen project code and follow the instructions.



### 1. Send a Youth to Camp

The Annual National Youth Camp in Guyana provides Bible study, leadership training, crafts, music, first aid training and drama. Many campers are from very poor families. The camp lets them leave hardship behind as they swim, play games and interact with other Christians. The camp helps these young people to develop self-confidence and discipleship. The fruits of this ministry will multiply in church and society for a long time to come. Forty dollars allows a youth to attend camp.

### 2. Help a Child Stay in School

Tyndale St. George’s educational development program helps vulnerable children in Montreal. Specialized tutoring, supervised group homework, a study skills program and internet access help the children successfully complete school projects. Your gift can help make a difference in the life of a child!

- \$7.50 buys 10 erasers
- \$25 buys one text book
- \$42.50 buys five boxes of markers
- \$140 buys 75 rolls of scotch tape
- \$1,200 buys one laptop computer

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