Financial Statements March 31, 2018



September 22, 2018

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Directors of Canadian Lutheran World Relief

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Canadian Lutheran World Relief, which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2018 and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes, which comprise a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's responsibility for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Canadian Lutheran World Relief as at March 31, 2018 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

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Statement of Financial Position As at March 31, 2018

				2018	2017
	General Fund \$	Restricted Fund \$	CFGB Fund \$	Total \$	Total \$
Assets					
Current assets					
Cash	3,122,365	518,814	-	3,641,179	2,965,647
Accounts receivable	265,951	1,000	-	266,951	271,730
Accrued interest	21,431	10,344	-	31,775	14,985
Prepaid expenses	65,280	51,416	-	116,696	274,912
Advances to programs	-	-	-	-	332,916
Due from General Fund	-	637,102	-	-	· -
Member interest in CFGB		,			
(note 13)		-	1,423,602	1,423,602	1,468,720
	3,475,027	1,218,676	1,423,602	5,480,203	5,328,910
Investments (note 5)	4,163,780	849,454	1,420,002	5,013,234	5,411,561
Capital assets (note 6)	158,664	043,434	_	158,664	157,089
Supra assets (note 0)				100,004	107,003
	7,797,471	2,068,130	1,423,602	10,652,101	10,897,560
Liabilities and Net Assets					
Current liabilities					
Accounts payable and accrued					
liabilities	226,705	-	-	226,705	570,885
Deferred revenue (note 7)	4,087,212	-	-	4,087,212	3,263,588
Due to Restricted Fund	637,102	-	-	-	-
Sponsorship funds (note 8)		1,412,473		1,412,473	1,687,464
	4,951,019	1,412,473	-	5,726,390	5,521,937
Lease inducement (note 9)	69,014	-		69,014	82,591
	5,020,033	1,412,473	_	5,795,404	5,604,528
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Net Assets					
Internally restricted (schedule 3)	-	655,657	-	655,657	969,387
Invested in capital assets	158,664	-	-	158,664	157,089
Unrestricted	2,618,774	-		2,618,774	2,697,836
Externally restricted			1,423,602	1,423,602	1,468,720
	2,777,438	655,657	1,423,602	4,856,697	5,293,032
	7,797,471	2,068,130	1,423,602	10,652,101	10,897,560

Approved by the Board of Directors

Cheryl Bauer Hyde Director.

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Statement of Changes Net Assets **For the year ended March 31, 2018**

				2018	2017
	General Fund \$	Restricted Fund \$	CFGB Fund \$	Total \$	Total \$
Net assets - Beginning of year	2,854,925	969,387	1,468,720	5,293,032	5,765,181
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	30,080	(421,297)	(45,118)	(436,335)	(472,149)
Inter-fund transfer	(107,567)	107,567	-	-	-
Net assets - End of year	2,777,438	655,657	1,423,602	4,856,697	5,293,032

Statement of Operations For the year ended March 31, 2018

				2018	2017
	General Fund \$	Restricted Fund	CFGB Fund \$	Total	Total
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Revenue Congregations and individuals					
(schedule 1) Government and other grants	4,278,135	73,956	-	4,352,091	3,831,153
(schedule 2) Canadian Foodgrains Bank	3,240,472	-	-	3,240,472	3,704,050
contributions	-	-	1,652,453	1,652,453	1,835,061
Investment income	7,518,607 68,978	73,956 18,555	1,652,453 -	9,245,016 87,533	9,370,264 69,402
	7,587,585	92,511	1,652,453	9,332,549	9,439,666
Expenses International & We Care program					
(schedule 4) General management	4,807,884	39,600	1,697,571	6,545,055	7,000,901
(schedule 5)	351,096	28,963	-	380,059	455,706
Community relations Refugees	957,455 333,760	128,315 27,617	-	1,085,770 361,377	931,895 350,651
Program management	840,553	289,313	-	1,129,866	858,601
We Care management	165,732	-	-	165,732	147,408
Gifts to qualified donees	104,948	-	-	104,948	205,018
	7,561,428	513,808	1,697,571	9,772,807	9,950,180
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses					
before other items	26,157	(421,297)	(45,118)	(440,258)	(510,514)
Other items					
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	-	-	-	-	40,027
Realized gain (loss) on					·
investments Other income	- 2,034	-	-	- 2,034	(36,734) 2,394
Bad debt recovery	1,889	-	_	1,889	32,678
	3,923	-	-	3,923	38,365
Excess (deficiency) of					
revenue over expenses	30,080	(421,297)	(45,118)	(436,335)	(472,149)

Statement of Cash Flows For the year ended March 31, 2018

				2018	2017
	General Fund \$	Restricted Fund \$	CFGB Fund \$	Total \$	Total \$
Cash provided by (used in)					
Operating activities Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	30,080	(421,297)	(45,118)	(436,335)	(472,149)
Items not affecting cash Amortization of capital assets Lease inducement Unrealized (gain) loss on	35,496 (13,577)	:	-	35,496 (13,577)	37,236 (13,576)
investments Realized loss on disposal of investments	-	-	-	-	(40,027) 36,734
Gain on translation of foreign currency Loss on disposal of capital	(676)	-	-	(676)	(245)
assets Member interest in CFGB	1,358	-	- 45,118	1,358 45,118	100 27,088
Changes in non-cash working capital	52,681	(421,297)	-	(368,616)	(424,839)
Accounts receivable Accrued interest Prepaids	5,779 (11,471) 159,348	(1,000) (5,319) (1,132)	- -	4,779 (16,790) 158,216	(174,213) 5,688 (91,284)
Advances to programs Accounts payable Sponsorship funds	332,916 (344,180) -	- - (274,991)	- - -	332,916 (344,180) (274,991)	(301,891) 268,959 (631,556)
Deferred revenue Interfund transfers Due (to) from other funds	823,624 (107,565) (318,648)	- 107,565 318,648		823,624 - -	(1,126,890) - -
	592,484	(277,526)	-	314,958	(2,476,026)
Investing activities Purchase of investments - net Purchase of capital assets	(77,147) (38,429)	476,150 -	-	399,003 (38,429)	(136,617) (23,677)
	(115,576)	476,150	-	360,574	(160,294)
Increase (decrease) in cash	476,908	198,624	-	675,532	(2,636,320)
Cash - Beginning of year	2,645,457	320,190	-	2,965,647	5,601,967
Cash - End of year	3,122,365	518,814	-	3,641,179	2,965,647

Notes to Financial Statements March 31, 2018

1 Accounting entity

Canadian Lutheran World Relief (CLWR) is a non-profit organization incorporated, without share capital, in the Province of Manitoba. It is registered with Canada Revenue Agency as a charitable organization under the registration number 106863038 RR0001. CLWR is the service delivery arm for overseas development programming and relief for the Evangelical Lutheran Church In Canada (ELCIC) and Lutheran Church Canada (LCC).

2 Basis of presentation

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

3 Restatement

The Organization restated its comparative figures for the year ended March 31, 2017. The impact of the restatement was to reduce both revenue and expenses in the General Fund for an error in recording transactions related to the Canadian Food Grains Bank Association Inc. (CFGB) programs.

The net impact to excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses was \$nil as both revenue and expenses were reduced by \$2,004,379 for the year ended March 31, 2017.

4 Significant accounting policies

An underlying assumption of the preparation of financial statements in accordance with ASNPO is that the entity will continue for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize its assets and discharge liabilities in the normal course of operations.

The financial statements include the following significant accounting policies:

a) Fund accounting

CLWR follows the restricted fund method in which restricted contributions are recognized in the fund corresponding to the purpose, for which they were contributed. Restricted contributions for which an appropriate restricted fund does not exist would be recognized in the General Fund using the deferral method. Unrestricted contributions are recognized in the General Fund.

The General Fund accounts for CLWR's program delivery and administrative activities. This fund reports unrestricted resources and restricted operating grants.

The Restricted Fund encompasses the following internally restricted funds. These funds are to be used, at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

- i) The Emergency Response Fund is to be used to provide material and relief aid for emergencies.
- ii) The Financial Assistance Fund provides financial assistance to immigrants, refugees and other individuals or groups.
- iii) The Program Development Fund is to be used for the purpose of providing programming opportunities for refugees and for developing new programs to meet the needs of refugees.
- iv) The Special Projects Fund is to be used for initiatives to be determined at a future date. Within this fund disclosed in Schedule 3 is a balance for the Ruth E. Jensen Travel Fund in the amount of \$nil (2017 \$16,983).
- v) The Strategic Action Plan Fund is to be used for the purpose of developing and implementing the strategic action plans set by the Board of Directors.

The Canadian Foodgrains Bank Association, Inc. (CFGB) Fund accounts for CLWR's member interest in CFGB. CFGB conducts a centralized grain collection system on behalf of its member agencies, negotiates master agreements with Global Affairs Canada (GAC) and other organizations, manages procurement and shipping for members and engages in policy and learning activities related to hunger and food security.

b) Member interest in CFGB

CLWR is one of fifteen partners in the Canadian Foodgrains Bank Association Inc., a non-profit organization without share capital, incorporated under the laws of Canada and has the ability to appoint two of CFGBs Board of Directors. The Organization records its member interest in the CFGB Fund. This members' equity account receives designated gifts (received by CFGB and designated to CLWR), GAC grants and transfers from other members. The member equity account also accounts for disbursements for CLWR programs administered by CFGB, disbursements to CLWR for projects administered by CLWR, and disbursements for shared operating expenses and other projects carried out by CFGB.

c) Financial instruments

Financial instruments held by CLWR include cash, accounts receivable, accrued interest, advances to programs, investments, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and sponsorship funds. CLWR initially measures any financial instruments at fair value when the asset or liability is first recognized.

CLWR subsequently measures cash, accounts receivable, accrued interest, advances to programs, investments, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and sponsorship funds at amortized cost. Amortized cost is the amount at which the financial instrument is measured at initial recognition less principal repayments, plus or minus the cumulative of any difference between that initial amount and the maturity amount less any reduction for impairment.

At March 31st of each year CLWR assesses whether a financial asset is permanently impaired. If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss exists, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the carrying amount of the asset and its fair value. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced and the amount of the loss is recognized in investment income.

d) Revenue recognition

Restricted contributions related to general operations are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year in which related expenses are incurred. All other restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate Restricted Fund.

Unrestricted contributions and other revenues are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

e) Capital assets

Purchased capital assets are recorded at cost. Amortization is provided as follows:

Leasehold improvements	10 years straight-line
Furniture and fixtures	10 years straight-line
Computer hardware and software	4 years straight-line

In the year of acquisition, the annual amortization rate is prorated on a monthly basis from the time the asset is available for use.

f) Translation of foreign exchange

Revenue and expense items denominated in foreign currencies are translated at exchange rates in effect at the transaction dates. Assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate prevailing at March 31, 2018.

g) International programs

CLWR partners with other agencies to carry out international relief work. Program expenses are recorded in the period when CLWR approves funding to be disbursed to these agencies. Concurrently, related program contributions are recognized as revenue.

h) Contributed services and donated materials

Contributed services and donated materials are not recognized in the financial statements, due to the difficulty in determining their fair value.

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i) Allocation of expenses

Expenses are recorded on an accrual basis and are charged to the programs and projects according to the activity they benefit.

CLWR also incurs a number of general support expenses that are common to the administration of CLWR and each of its programs. Expenses related to salaries and benefits and administration are allocated to programs based on a percentage of budgeted expenses. This basis of allocation is reviewed periodically and may be revised according to circumstances prevailing from time to time. The expense allocations are reflected in schedule 5.

j) Accounting estimates

The preparation, of the financial statements in conformity with ASNPO requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Estimates include the expected useful lives of capital assets and amounts payable for services not billed yet at the time these financial statements were approved. Actual results may differ from estimates.

5 Investments

			2018			2017
	General Fund \$	Restricted Fund \$	Total \$	General Fund \$	Restricted Fund \$	Total \$
Cash Fixed income Common shares	227,974 3,912,981 22,825	- 849,454 -	227,974 4,762,435 22,825	119,975 3,943,157 22,825	- 1,325,604 -	119,975 5,268,761 22,825
	4,163,780	849,454	5,013,234	4,085,957	1,325,604	5,411,561

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6 Capital assets

			2018			2017
	Cost \$	Accumulated amortization \$	Net \$	Cost \$	Accumulated amortization \$	Net \$
Leasehold						
improvements	148,234	72,551	75,683	148,234	57,728	90,506
Furniture and fixtures	92,522	41,171	51,351	67,863	33,611	34,252
Computer hardware and						
software	121,087	89,457	31,630	111,622	79,291	32,331
	361,843	203,179	158,664	327,719	170,630	157,089

7 Deferred revenue

	Balance March 31, 2017 \$	Amounts received 2017/2018 \$	Revenue recognized 2017/2018 \$	Balance March 31, 2018 \$
Global Affairs Canada Donations from congregations and	1,977,014	4,107,103	2,558,064	3,526,053
individuals	1,196,969	772,025	1,495,247	473,747
Provincial Government	89,605	119,902	122,095	87,412
	3,263,588	4,999,030	4,175,406	4,087,212

8 Sponsorship funds under administration

As a Sponsorship Agreement Holder, CLWR holds funds in trust on behalf of individuals who have applied for sponsorship of refugees and other individuals to immigrate to Canada. The funds will be paid to the refugees once they have settled in Canada. If an individual is not allowed to immigrate, the funds, along with accrued interest, will be returned to the contributor.

9 Lease inducement

In fiscal 2014, CLWR entered into a new lease for its Winnipeg head office. The landlord reimbursed CLWR for \$135,765 of leasehold improvement costs. The lease inducement of \$135,765 will be recognized against rent expense over the lease term plus one renewal period for a total of ten years. Rent expense has been reduced by \$13,577 for the current year's reduction of the lease inducement.

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10 Commitments

CLWR has operating leases for equipment and premises occupied in Winnipeg, Vancouver and Waterloo. The minimum annual lease payments required under these leases are as follows:

	\$
2019	126,262
2020	126,262
2021	119,943
2022	116,873

The cost to complete the projects currently authorized or in progress at March 31, 2018 is estimated to be \$8,796,458. These project costs will be funded from both deferred and anticipated future donation revenue and GAC contributions

11 Contingencies

CLWR receives funding from various organizations to administer various relief and development programs. CLWR transfers funds to these programs based on approved financial plans and budgets. Under the terms of various agreements with these organizations, the activities of CLWR may be subject to audit to ensure compliance with the agreements. Should an audit disclose any discrepancies, CLWR may be required to reimburse expenses that may be disallowed as program expenses.

12 Pension plan

CLWR is a participating employer in the Pension Plan for Clergy and Lay Workers of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, a multi-employer defined contribution pension plan. Employer (8%) and employee (7%) pension contributions for the year were \$220,359 (2017 - \$194,921).

13 Canadian Foodgrains Bank Association Inc.

The balance in CLWR's CFGB member equity account as at March 31, 2018 is \$1,423,602 (2017 - \$1,468,720). Of this balance, \$183,973 (2017 - \$635,571) is reserved for future projects, while \$1,239,629 (2017 - \$833,149) is available for CLWR to commit to new projects, as long as the projects meet the objectives of CFGB.

14 Recognition of service

A permanent employee who leaves CLWR for any reason other than cause will be paid an amount for past service. For every year worked, departing employees will receive one week's salary with the payment based on the employee's salary at the time they leave. As at March 31, 2018, the Organization accrued \$84,599 (2017 - \$147,400) for past service related to the existing employees.

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15 Risk management

a) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk refers to the adverse consequences of interest rate changes in CLWR's cash flows, financial position and revenue. This risk arisen from differences in the timing and amount *o*f cash flows related to CLWR's assets. The value of CLWR's assets is affected by short-term changes in prevailing market interest rates and equity markets. As at March 31, 2018, CLWR's investments in fixed income bonds mature from January 2019 to May 2022, with interest rates, ranging from 1.25% to 2.36%, while the weighted average rate of return is 1.81%.

b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that CLWR will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they come due. Financial liabilities consist of accounts payable and accrued liabilities and sponsorship funds under administration. Accounts payable and accrued liabilities are paid in the normal course of business and except under certain exceptions, no later than one month. CLWR's approach to managing liquidity risk is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet liabilities when due. As at March 31, 2018, CLWR has an unrestricted cash balance of \$3,112,365.

c) Credit risk

CLWR has limited exposure to credit risk, based on its large and diverse donor base.

d) Foreign currency risk

CLWR has limited exposure to foreign currency risk as most obligations are settled in Canadian funds.

16 Comparative figures

Certain prior year balances have been reclassified to conform with the current year financial statement presentation.

Schedules of Revenue For the year ended March 31, 2018

Contributions and donations		Schedule 1
	2018 \$	2017 \$ (Restated note 3)
General Fund		
Contributions and donations from congregations and individuals Contributions and donations from congregations and individuals -	3,554,913	3,426,316
restricted	73,956	138,563
Deferred revenue, beginning of year	1,196,969	1,463,243
Deferred revenue, end of year	(473,747)	(1,196,969)
	4,352,091	3,831,153
Government and other grants		Schedule 2
	2018	2017
	\$	\$
		(Restated
		note 3)
Humanitarian Coalition	315,168	-
Global Affairs Canada	2,876,178	3,681,091
Funds recognized from provincial governments	49,126	22,959
	3,240,472	3,704,050

Schedule of Internally Restricted Funds For the year ended March 31, 2018

						2018	2017
	Emergency response \$	Financial assistance \$	Program development \$	Special projects \$	Strategic action plan \$	Total \$	Total \$
Revenue							
Donations and other income	-	26,008	-	47,948	-	73,956	138,563
Interest	3,609	4,047	59	6,239	4,601	18,555	13,639
	3,609	30,055	59	54,187	4,601	92,511	152,202
Expenses)		- , -	,	- /-	- , -
General management							
Board development and advocacy	-	-	-	-	28,963	28,963	48,910
Salaries, training and travel	-	-	-	-	-	-	40,061
Partnerships and memberships	-	-	-	-	-	-	49,012
Community relations				105 206	23,019	100 015	19,983
ECPMI - development support Communications	-	-	-	105,296	23,019	128,315	9,834
International and We Care program							0,004
International programming	39,600	-	-	-	-	39,600	100,000
Security	-	-	-	-	-	-	112,750
Program management	-	-	142,528	-	146,785	289,313	140,194
Refugee support		27,617	-	-	-	27,617	33,508
	39,600	27,617	142,528	105,296	198,767	513,808	554,252
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	(35,991)	2,438	(142,469)	(51,109)	(194,166)	(421,297)	(402,050)
Net assets - Beginning of year	61,864	147,207	219,659	268,938	271,719	969,387	1,371,437
Inter-fund transfer	107,567	-	-	5,000	(5,000)	107,567	-
Net assets - End of year	133,440	149,645	77,190	222,829	72,553	655,657	969,387

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Schedule 3

Schedule of International & We Care Program Expenses - General Fund

For the year ended March 31, 2018

Schedule 4

	2018 \$	2017 \$ (Restated note 3)
Africa Ethiopia Liberia Mozambique Regional Initiatives Southern Africa Sudan Uganda	253,245 - 64,858 - - 1,806,658	345,909 5,440 2,995 17,500 20,025 1,039,860
	2,124,761	1,431,729
Asia Cambodia Philippines Nepal	25 210,378	7,169 8,125 5,000
	210,403	- 20,294
Central America Haiti		51,894
Latin America Ecuador Nicaragua	29,000	3,400 41,700
Middle East	29,000	45,100
Iraq Israel/Palestine Jordan	17,400 674,792 798,281	1,270,014 481,435 1,100,541
	1,490,473	2,851,990
Other Church related and small projects Domestic emergencies Environmental and capacity training Evaluations/program reviews Lutheran World Federation, Geneva	149,677 334,816 - 30,468 334,525	193,520 32,094 29,750 - 135,000
We Care shipments, supplies and warehouse	103,761	134,631
	953,247	524,995
	4,807,884	4,874,108

Schedule of General Management Expenses - General Fund

For the year ended March 31, 2018

Schedule 5

	2018 \$	2017 \$
Salaries Total salaries Allocated to other departments	1,474,637 (1,306,937)	1,417,187 (1,247,125)
Net salaries	167,700	170,062
Benefits Total benefits Allocated to other departments	272,992 (249,033)	265,828 (224,163)
Net benefits	23,959	41,665
Travel Total travel Allocated to other departments	279,679 (167,032)	299,205 (245,237)
Net travel	112,647	53,968
Administration expenses Amortization Board expenses General expenses Bank and credit card fees Postage Office supplies Communications Service contracts Membership and agency relations Recruitment Equipment updates and expense Consultancy services Equipment leasing Professional development Rent Audit and legal fees	35,496 57,554 44,968 25,908 6,253 9,725 20,057 13,931 47,966 56,271 7,024 8,083 4,508 10,733 86,077 24,267	37,236 38,316 45,764 25,448 6,698 12,210 20,375 12,744 42,713 5,531 10,571 13,339 4,500 4,114 90,016 25,759
Allocated to other departments	458,821 (412,031)	395,334 (343,306)
Net administration	46,790	52,028
	351,096	317,723