

## St. Luke's Support for Bread for the World's Offering of Letters, March 27<sup>th</sup> 2022.

- After church in the St. Luke's church hall on Sunday March 27<sup>th</sup>, we will be presenting letters for parishioners to sign to be sent to our Senators and Representatives in Congress in support of two Bread for the World (BFW) legislative priorities to address domestic hunger.
- You can contact your Senators and Representative either by letter on March 27<sup>th</sup> or by email at any time. To email your elected leaders go to: <https://secure.bread.org/site/Advocacy?cmd=display&page=UserAction&id=433> Here you will find an pre-written email that you can send as is, or revise it as you see fit.
- The BFW website is: <https://bread.org> . The BFW 2022 offering of Letters is <https://ol.bread.org>. (To get to the email if the above link won't be live, you can go to this URL, scroll down to **Core Advocacy Campaigns** and click on **TAKE ACTION** under the **Advocacy for Domestic Nutrition** button).

We are asking our Senators and Representatives to:

- Expand the number of schools that can offer free meals to all students through the Community Eligibility Provision.
- Extend the Summer Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) program nationwide for students who receive free or reduced-price school meals.
- Make permanent expansion of the **Child Tax Credit. (CTC)**
- Make refundability permanent to ensure that the families with low income or no income at all can get the benefit of the CTC.

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