With God We Can…..Bike to the Beach!
2011 Delaware Maryland Synod Assembly Bike-a-thon for the ELCA World Hunger Appeal

On June 2nd, Pastor Earl Janssen of Our Shepherd Lutheran Church in Severna Park, Maryland will be riding his bike to the June 2-4 Synod Assembly in Ocean City, Maryland in order to raise awareness and resources for the ELCA World Hunger Appeal.

Each congregation in our synod is encouraged to pledge or give at least $1 per worshipper for this effort. (So if your congregation's average worship attendance is 100, your congregation's goal would be to raise $100 or more). If every congregation in our synod does this, we will be able to give $25,000 to the ELCA World Hunger Appeal for God's children in need in our own communities and around the world.

Pastor Earl will be riding about 120 miles. You can pledge an amount per mile or a specific amount to this effort. Make checks out to your congregation and write "Bike to the Beach" on the memo line. All contributions are tax-deductible.

Our synod's Hunger Mission Force will be keeping track of pledges and gifts towards this effort as the Synod Assembly approaches. Please email Pastor Mark Huffman (pastormark@stpaulslutherville.org) with progress reports. For every $5000 pledged to this effort, Pastor Earl will recruit an additional rider to Bike to the Beach with him!

Thank you!

Name of Sponsor	**Pledge** Per each 10 miles Pastor Earl rides i.e. $1 x 120 = $12.00	**Pledge** Single Pledge i.e. $5.00, $10.00, $20.00, etc.	**Amount Collected from Sponsor**	**Date**
Your name	$1.00		$12.00	6/6/11

Name of Sponsor	Pledge Per each 10 miles Pastor Earl rides i.e. $3 x 120 = $36.00	Pledge Single Pledge i.e. $12.00, $36.00, $50.00, etc.	Amount Collected from Sponsor	Date