**Links and Resources**

* **The Pontifical Mission Societies in the United States national website**

[www.onefamilyinmission.org](http://www.onefamilyinmission.org)

* **MISSIO**, the official online platform of the Pontifical Mission Societies offers a place to encounter the Missions whenever and wherever you are. Platform users can either sponsor a project or show support by donating directly to mission projects in some of the 1,100 Catholic Dioceses of Africa, Asia, Oceania and Latin America. Download the free mobile app, MISSIO, from iTunes, GooglePlay, or related app stores.

[**www.missio.org**](http://www.missio.org)

* **Agenzia Fides,** the Information Service of the Pontifical Mission Societies since 1927, providing international mission n**ews from around the world**[www.fides.org/en](http://www.fides.org/en)
* **The Chimbote Foundation,** the Diocese of Pittsburgh Catholic medical mission serving the poor in Chimbote, Peru for more than 50 years. The Center for Social Works includes:
1. The maternity hospital which provides excellent pre- and post-natal care
2. The newly rebuilt, modernized, and expanded medical clinic, laboratory and pharmacy
3. The Padre Julio Children’s Shelter which provides loving care for abused, abandoned or orphaned children
4. The Home Visit program ministering to the poorest of the poor in the barrios of Chimbote

[www.chimbotefoundation.org](http://www.chimbotefoundation.org)

* **Catholic Volunteer Network**, helping connect lay Catholics to mission opportunities in the United States and abroad for all backgrounds, ages, and skill levels. Can also phone 1-800-543-5046. Catholic Volunteer Network member programs have volunteer positions available in all fifty states, the District of Columbia, and in over 100 countries across the world, ranging from a week to a summer to a several-year commitment and everything in between.

[www.catholicvolunteernetwork.org](http://www.catholicvolunteernetwork.org)

* **The official site for the Cause for Canonization of Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen,** universally popular evangelist, radio/TV personality, writer and missionary. He is most known for his television series, “Life is Worth Living” which had a viewing audience of over 30 million people. Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen was also national director of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith from 1950 to 1966. In February 1951, he inaugurated the World Mission Rosary during his radio address, The Catholic Hour.

[www.archbishopsheencause.org](http://www.archbishopsheencause.org)

* **Catholic Near East Welfare Association (CNEWA),** has been a lifeline for the poor throughout the Middle East, Northeast Africa, India and Eastern Europe for more than 90 years. Founded by Pope Pius XI in 1926, CNEWA works for, through and with the Eastern Catholic churches to identify needs and implement solutions. Current director, Msgr. John E. Kozar, was the former national director of the Pontifical Mission Societies in the US and also the former director of the Mission Office in the Diocese of Pittsburgh.

[www.cnewa.org](http://www.cnewa.org)