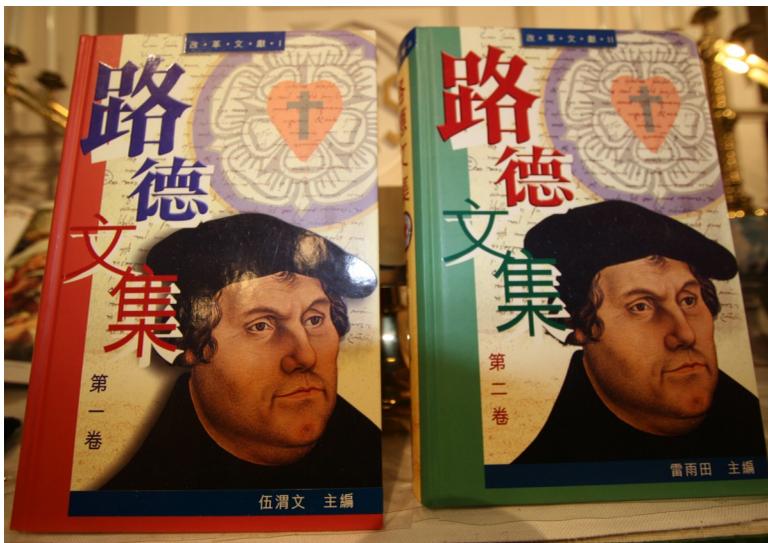


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Direct Support of

ASIA REGION—LITERATURE PROJECT

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Lutherans have always treasured the written Word. Martin Luther grasped the importance of the printed Word, of God and he flooded the printers in Germany with numerous tracts, books and commentaries. Most important, he translated the Word of God into German for the people.

The Asia region of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) is passing on this legacy of Lutheran literature to the churches of Asia. You can help us pass the legacy to another generation of people in Asia.

First, we want to ensure each church has access to the primary texts that direct our life together, namely, the Word of God, hymnody, and other faithful resources. A gift to this project provides for the following:

- Luther's Works in Chinese (pictured above, translated, vetted by the Communist government, printed) runs about \$35 each. That includes translation costs, editing, government fees, and printing, and each volume can take two years to produce. 5 Volumes completed to date.
- The Book of Concord costs about \$5 to print.
- The Small Catechism costs about \$3 when it includes the LCMS explanation.
- Six chief parts of the Catechism costs about \$.50
- A theological text book costs about \$8 on average, depending on the language and the length of the text. These teach more people how to read the Bible in a way that sees Jesus on every page, and how to preach a Lutheran sermon that includes the GOSPEL. These also teach them to understand the Bible and their faith in a way that drives them out into their vocations so they can speak of Jesus to their neighbors. That's what these resources are doing.!

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