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When you support Native American Ministries Sunday, you equip seminary students who will honor and celebrate Native American culture in their ministries. And you empower congregations that are finding fresh new ways to minister to their communities with the love of Christ.

As part of its efforts to provide relief during the COVID-19 pandemic, the Oklahoma Indian Missionary Conference (OIMC) utilized funds from the Native American Ministries Sunday offering to strengthen outreach to families in need.

“We purchased Personal Protection Equipment including masks, water bottles and hand sanitizer for Native children returning to school, through a grant from the General Board of Global Ministries. Those funds came from the Native American Ministries Sunday Fund,” said the Rev. David Wilson, assistant to the bishop of the OIMC.

Thirty local pastors and lay missionaries received a one-time grant thanks to the West Ohio Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church through their Native American Ministries Sunday Funds.

“In addition, our churches were able to purchase food and snack packs for children who were at home during the pandemic and they were able to provide utility assistance to families in OIMC.”

“We are blessed with the connectional network of The United Methodist Church and the many great organizations beyond that have allowed us to serve our Native community in this time of need,” said Wilson.

Please give generously. Gifts to Native American Ministries Sunday provide scholarships for United Methodist Native American seminarians, strengthen and develop Native American ministries and communities—both urban and rural—and support Native American outreach. Please make your gift today through UMCgiving.org/giveNAMS or write your check to your local church and write “Native American Ministries Sunday” in the memo line.



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