

Luther Memorial Church

Disciples in Action

Reason for Sharing and Serving

“Everyone of us is a unique individual. As members of Christ’s Church, however, we confess that we are all one in the “communion of saints,” a diverse group of people united by a common faith and a shared mission.

To carry forth the mission of the Church, God has given each one of us special gifts (the Greek word for *charisma*) and abilities. As members of the Church, it is important for each of us to discern what those gifts are and how we can best use them to serve others and to share the Good News of God’s love to all people. How we exercise our gifts in our daily life is called our *vocation* (from the Latin meaning “calling”). *Mark Vitalis Hoffman*

DISCIPLE INFORMATION

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Spiritual Gift(s) - What do you really love to do or what are you really good at?

Is there a ministry opportunity Luther Memorial is not currently pursuing you feel called to suggest and lead?

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Spiritual Growth through Inspirational Worship

Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing, “To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessings and honor and glory and might forever and ever!” And the four living creatures said, “Amen!” And the elders fell down and worshiped. *Revelation 5: 13-14*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Lector – 8:15 a.m | <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Choir (section auditions required) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lector – 10:30 a.m. | <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Handbell Ensemble |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communion Assistant | <input type="checkbox"/> Instrumental Ability |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Assisting Minister | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Handbell Ensemble |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concert Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Children’s Choirs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Worship & Music Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Music Program Assistant (assist with choirs, misc) |

Spiritual Growth through Prayer

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. *Philippians 4: 4-7*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Shawls |
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Spiritual Growth through Study and Teaching

For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, so that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. *Romans 15: 4*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Church Teacher (substitute or regular) | <input type="checkbox"/> Christian Education Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Helping Hands Leader/Helper | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Support Team |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special Family Events (games, parties, food) | <input type="checkbox"/> REAL Faith |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Acolyte Coordinator | <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Care Squad (Tuesday 2:30-4:00 p.m.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation/Fellowship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vacation Bible School (teacher,gym,snacks,art) | <input type="checkbox"/> Meal preparation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Spiritual Growth Class participant | <input type="checkbox"/> Table parent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Word on Wednesdays Participant | <input type="checkbox"/> General support |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Artsy, Lucky Lutherans (Gr. 4-6) Leader/Helper | |

Spiritual Growth through Joyful Giving

I know what it is to have little, and I know what it is to have plenty. In all circumstances I have learned the secret of being well-fed and of going hungry, of having plenty and of being in need. I can do all things through him who strengthens me. I have been paid in full and have more than enough. *Phil. 4: 12-13; 18a*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Stewardship Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Funeral Luncheons |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer Shawl Ministry | <input type="checkbox"/> Prepare simple meals for homebound |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Provide transportation where needed | <input type="checkbox"/> Service Project Team (projects outside congr.) |

Spiritual Growth through Caring Community

For this is the message you have heard from the beginning, that we should love one another. We know that we have passed from death to life because we love one another. Whoever does not love one another abides in death. We know love by this that Jesus laid down his life for us – and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. *1st John 3: 11,14,16*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Evangelism Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunshine Committee (send cards) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality Team (mentor new/prospective members) | <input type="checkbox"/> Delivering altar flowers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Care Ministry – visitation to Homebound | <input type="checkbox"/> Congregational Life Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Association of Lutheran Older Adults (ALOA) | <input type="checkbox"/> Young Adult Lutherans (YAL) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> W/ELCA Circle (join/formation) | <input type="checkbox"/> Scrapbooking Group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am interested in forming another small group: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Coordinator |

Spiritual Growth through Humble Service

When Jesus saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like a sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." *Matthew 9: 36-38*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Altar Guild | <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal Decorating (Christmas, Easter) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter – 8:15 a. m. | <input type="checkbox"/> Delivering to shut-ins (flowers, cheer baskets) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Greeter – 10:30 a.m. | <input type="checkbox"/> Property Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usher – 10:30 a.m. | <input type="checkbox"/> Planting flowers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parish Banner Assembly | <input type="checkbox"/> Spring and fall clean-up (outdoor) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special cleaning projects | <input type="checkbox"/> College Ministry Mailings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Ministry (chaperone, driver, event coordinator, fund raising) | <input type="checkbox"/> Helping with Lenten luncheons |