

Trinity Lutheran Church's Journey to Generosity



Pack your faith, hope, and sense of adventure as we embark on a Journey to Generosity. As Trinity Lutheran Church members, you are challenged to dream, to activate our entire congregation

into new paths of generosity with an eye on sustainability, growth, and progress. We want to look at sharing our time, talents, and treasures in ways that enrich, strengthen, and expand our services both within and outside our church community. Please join us in this lifetime trip by packing your suitcase with these essential items. Our itinerary for this journey has several highlights along the way.



Our first stop on this journey is to build our congregation. We want to expand and encourage more participation in regular worship as a way to build a stronger faith community. Participating in worship, communion, education, and fellowship is essential to having a vibrant congregation, and making visitors feel welcome and excited to join our congregation. Providing camperships, youth trips, and youth service opportunities all need to be supported and expanded. Having worship helpers signed up in advance, and having every space filled enhances our worship experience, and gives more members opportunities to share their talents. So pack a calendar to schedule when and how you can help!



The next stop on this journey's itinerary is our community and beyond our church walls. We want to expand our opportunities for service projects. We have successful community projects that expand our outreach. Funding mental health for our students, making quilts for Lutheran World Relief, collecting school supplies and baby essentials for kits, providing the Fun Fest at Hammond Heartland Days, buying gifts for needy families at Christmas, and supporting families in

our school and community all started because someone saw a need and found a way to help out. As new families join, they will bring new ideas for service opportunities, and we need to have the member and financial support to turn these ideas into actions. Trinity has a record of stepping up when we see a need, and that needs to be encouraged and continued. So please pack a healthy amount of boots on the ground, hands and hearts involved, and support for these activities!

Any trip takes a budget, and this is no exception. We need a healthy financial footing to keep our congregation growing and serving. Consider packing a blessing budget, a regular consistent giving amount that supports Trinity on a monthly basis. Sharing your treasures



with electronic giving and setting aside a given amount each month for funding the work of Trinity not only pays the salaries, provides the worship, funds the education, and supports the outreach, it is essential to having a healthy faith community. So please recognize that we are blessed to be a blessing, and pack your blessing budget with financial support for our congregation.

We are blessed to be on this Journey to Generosity. It will take your feet, your hands, your heart, your time, your faith, your talents, and your treasures on a lifetime trip. So pack your suitcase and join all of Trinity on this Journey to Generosity! You've already got your ticket, so we're ready to embark!