

The Anchor Society...

When you make a bequest or promise of a deferred gift to the Foundation of Hope, you become a member of *The Anchor Society*. This is a group of generous givers who have chosen to leave a legacy to Lutheran Church of Hope. Upon the realization of your gift, your name will be placed on The Anchor Society Plaque, which is on display at Lutheran Church of Hope.

The Book of Remembrance...

If you make a gift to the Foundation in memory of or in honor of a loved one, your name and the name of your loved one will be written in the Foundation's *Book of Remembrance*. This book is available for review in the church library at Lutheran Church of Hope.

About Lutheran Church of Hope..

Our Vision:

*Sharing and Transforming
faith, hopes, and lives.*

Our Mission:

Lutheran Church of Hope proclaims Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior by:

- *Worshipping together,*
- *Making disciples of all,*
- *Reaching out to spread God's Word,
and*
- *Providing loving support to all.*

For More Information about the Foundation of Hope...

www.lchope.org

Go to "About Us" and click on "Foundation"

Or, email us at

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Foundation of Hope



"Commend them to do good, be rich in good works, to be generous, and ready to share, thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future."

-1st Timothy 6:18-19



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We have this hope, a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul.

Hebrews 6:19

About the Foundation...

The Foundation of Hope Fund is an endowment fund established in May 2012 by Lutheran Church of Hope as an extension of its ministries, in hope of building a foundation for ministry in years to come.

The Foundation of Hope is administered by its own board of trustees appointed by the congregation of Lutheran Church of Hope. Foundation funds are segregated from church funds.

Gifts the Foundation may receive include:

- Cash
- Securities
- Bequests and Memorials
- Life Insurance Policies
- Real Estate
- Other personal property acceptable to the Fund board.

Funds from the Foundation will be given in the form of a grant. Future grant request applications will be available from Lutheran Church of Hope and on its website.

Leaving a Legacy...

Through wise gifts and estate planning, you can enjoy financial benefits for yourself while making a long-term impact. To find a charitable gift that best fits your goals, you need a plan and we will work with you to find ways of doing this.

Create a Legacy

If you would like to support Lutheran Church of Hope's mission and retain control of assets during your lifetime, your solution may be a charitable bequest.

A Gift for You and the Church

Should you wish to make a gift and, in turn, receive a fixed annuity payment each year for life, we can suggest methods of how you can accomplish this.

Gifts of Stocks, Bonds, or Real Property

These options may be the most valuable assets you own—and ones that can carry substantial gain or appreciation in value.

With careful planning, you can reduce or even eliminate federal capital gains tax while supporting the mission of Lutheran Church of Hope. We can work with you on how to reach both these goals.

Sharing the Fund...

Once the principal of the Fund reaches \$250,000, interest from the Fund will be available for distribution in the form of grants that will enhance or advance the vision and mission of Lutheran Church of Hope. Some examples may include:

- Enrich or uplift the spiritual and faith life of Lutheran Church of Hope outside of its General Fund for Ministry.
- Provide a worthy addition or improvement to the facilities of Lutheran Church of Hope that are beyond achievement through other channels.
- Give assistance or support to worthy individuals, families, or Christian enterprise in critical need.
- Promote new and exciting ministries at Lutheran Church of Hope.
- Give educational assistance for those attending Lutheran colleges or seminaries.
- Any other needs which exist in support of the vision.



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