



Who We Are & What We Do

Luther Memorial's Social Ministry Committee oversees the Social Ministry Funding Plan, approves requests for the Good Shepherd Fund, and informs the congregation of ways to minister to those in need in our community.

Stock the Pantry



Blacksburg Interfaith Food Pantry

We are collecting canned pasta this summer for the Synod Pasta with a Purpose campaign: spaghetti, ravioli, beefaroni, etc.

Donate!

You can donate to any Social Ministry charities LMLC supports by scanning one of the codes with your smart phone and designating where you want your money to go.



PayPal Scan Code
QR Code has been updated.



Venmo Scan Code

To Our House – Third Quarter Collection



Although it's still warm, we're preparing to support To Our House this winter. During July, August, and September, Luther Memorial will collect donations to provide two weeks' worth of restaurant gift cards (e.g., Wendy's, Subway, McDonald's) for lunches. These cards offer both a warm meal and a place to stay out of the cold. Our goal is \$3,000.

In addition, Luther Memorial will supply meals for one week; details and signups will be shared later.

Many individuals facing homelessness in our area are experiencing long-term unemployment, awaiting approval for assistance programs, or seeking disability determination. Some have previously lived in the woods, caves, culverts, vehicles, or makeshift shelters.

Envelopes are available—please mark your contribution "To Our House." to be counted.

Pasta With a Purpose



Pasta with a Purpose is an invitation to Virginia Synod congregations to respond to the need to provide additional food to children during the summer months. Please bring pasta-related food items to church by July 12th. We will weigh and share the total contribution (in pounds) with other congregations in the Synod.

Luther Memorial is partnering with New Mt. Zion Lutheran Church and Shiloh Lutheran Church to collect donations. We already have a good start towards our goal of 250 cans with 75 cans and \$100 for purchasing more.

The Virginia Synod will celebrate the three highest donors (pounds donated per church average worship attender) with a \$250 grant to their local food pantry.