

# Update: Hunger Hike is Here

## Hunger Hike 2012

“Every step makes a difference in the fight against hunger.”

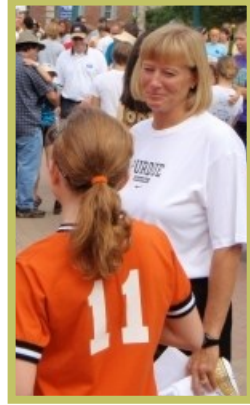


Date: THIS Sunday, September 16  
 Time: 12:30-1:30 p.m. Registration  
 Place: Riehle Plaza, Downtown Lafayette

### There are still several ways to participate in Hunger Hike:

- Collect donations—Bring the money with you on Sunday ([Registration Form](#)) and Hike
- Create your own Personal Fundraising Page [here](#)
- Make a Donation to a Hiker or [Give online](#)

Proceeds from the annual Greater Lafayette Hunger Hike benefits the Lafayette Urban Ministry, Food Finders Food Bank, and St. Tom’s Haiti Ministry. Registration is from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. with the 5K run and 2-mile hike beginning around 2:00 p.m.



Local businesses, corporations, and hundreds of walkers and runners will collect upwards of \$95,000 to provide food security for thousands of families. The annual Hunger Hike is a potent reminder that there are those who needlessly go to bed hungry each night. “We need to really be the best that we can be to save a lot of families because things aren’t getting any easier,” Sharon Versyp, head coach of the Purdue Women’s Basketball team and Honorary Chair of the [2012 Hunger Hike](#).

[More Details](#)

## After School Program NEEDS Supplies

The [LUM After School Program](#) provides safe, fun and enriching childcare for children in **afternoon kindergarten to 5th grade**. The program serves up to **42** children for three hours each school day, enabling their parents to finish their workday. The children are transported from local elementary schools to LUM where they work on homework, have a nutritious snack, and participate in religious education, crafts, music, and other fun and educational activities. In addition, the group goes on numerous field trips. The program is staffed by a professionally trained educator and an assistant. Many volunteers and several bus drivers also help. If you are interested in volunteering or need more information, call or email Cindy Haley at (765) 423-2691 or [chaley@LafayetteUrbanMinistry.org](mailto:chaley@LafayetteUrbanMinistry.org).

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### ASP URGENT Needs

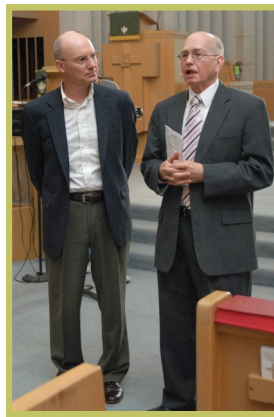
The [LUM After School Program](#) needs the following school supplies ASAP:

- Dry Erase Markers; Pencils; Glue Sticks
- Facial Tissues; Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
- Juice—100% Fruit; Snacks, Fresh Fruit

The complete ASP Wish List is posted online, click [HERE](#). You may also sponsor an educational, cultural and recreational enrichment trips for the children to various locations like Imagination Station, a local pool, or a holiday party (Halloween, Christmas, etc.). Also, there is an immediate need for Bus drivers.

For more information, call or email Cindy Haley at (765) 423-2691 or [chaley@LafayetteUrbanMinistry.org](mailto:chaley@LafayetteUrbanMinistry.org).

### Immanuel UCC Gift



LUM Executive Director, Joe Micon, was recently the guest of [Immanuel United Church of Christ](#) pastor Ron Wunsch for two Sunday morning services and the adult Sunday School hour.

Pastor Wunsch (pictured on the right) presented Joe with a \$800 check from the Indiana Kentucky Synod Our Church’s Wider Mission Fund to be used by LUM in support of its [social justice ministries](#).

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