



# Update: LUM Founder Brings St. Xenia Icon of St. Xenia coming to LUM

On Wednesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, Don Nead – one of the founders of LUM – will present an Icon of St. Xenia to Lafayette Urban Ministry. This presentation of the Icon of St. Xenia to LUM was 26 years in the making – going back to 1988, the Millennium celebration of the Russian Orthodox Church. Don Nead traveled to St. Petersburg in 1988 and again in 2012 – resulting in commissioning the Icon and presenting it to LUM. Don Nead, a retired Presbyterian campus minister,



was struck by the story of St. Xenia and the parallels of her story to the mission of Lafayette Urban Ministry.

The journey that led Don Nead to commission this piece and present it to LUM is quite interesting. To read the entire story written by Don Nead, click [HERE](#).

Please join us on Wednesday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at the LUM Office to see the Icon of St. Xenia and be a part of this historic presentation.

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**Position Announcement**

## Summer Employment Opportunity

The Lafayette Urban Ministry has an opening for a **Summer 5th Quarter Program teacher**. The job is full-time, Monday-Friday, from June 5 to August 8, 2014. Candidates must have at least two years of study completed toward a degree in elementary education from an accredited college. The pay is \$13.00 per hour.

LUM's 5th Quarter is a summer learning retention program for 1st thru 5th grade low-income students. The program narrows the summer learning gap experiences for low-income children through fun-learning curriculum in reading, math and science. For a copy of the job description, click [HERE](#). Please send inquiries before Wednesday, May 7 to Joe Micon at [jmicon@lumserve.org](mailto:jmicon@lumserve.org).

## Knights of Columbus – K of C Open

On Saturday, June 14th, the Knights of Columbus Council 456 are hosting the “K of C Open” — their annual Charity Golf Outing — at the West Lafayette Country Club (formerly the Elks Club). LUM is pleased to be named one of the recipients of this fundraiser. Here are some ways you may get involved:



- Hole Sponsorship — \$150
- Golf Cart Sponsorship — \$400
- T-shirt Sponsors — \$700
- Register a Foursome — \$300 (\$75 per golfer)

Please consider supporting this wonderful event while pursuing your two passions — Golf & LUM. To register, email or call Brian Wessel ([brianwessel@comcast.net](mailto:brianwessel@comcast.net) | 765.490.7299).

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**Volunteer Opportunity**

## Overnight Shelter Volunteers

Shelter Volunteers are needed 365 nights a year from 8:30 p.m.-7 a.m. Duties include assist coordinator in checking in guests & serving meals, stay on site all evening, and take a shift on “awake” duty. Must be able to maintain confidentiality and interact with a variety of people. Volunteers must attend a Shelter Training Session which are offered twice a month. The next two Overnight [Shelter Volunteer Training Sessions](#) are scheduled for Thursday, May 8 & Monday, May 19 at 6:30 p.m. at the LUM Ray Ewry Youth Center (525 N. 4th Street, Lafayette). No need to register. Click [HERE](#) for more information on the position and for the schedule of Training Sessions. You may also email or call Joyce Fasani ([jfasani@lumserve.org](mailto:jfasani@lumserve.org) | 765.423.2691).

## St. Tom’s Year End Food Drive



The Justice with Peace Committee at St. Thomas Aquinas Center is sponsoring an end of the school year food drive. The Year End Food Drive supports the [St. John’s/LUM Food Pantry](#). Non-perishable food items may be dropped off at the St. Tom’s gathering space until Sunday, May 11th. Purdue students are also encouraged to use their extra dining dollars to support the food drive.

This food drive is in addition to the monthly St. Tom’s food drive which makes their parish one of the single greatest contributors to the St. John’s/LUM Food Pantry year-round. Thanks, St. Tom’s.

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