



## Update: Food Pantry Expands Hours

### St. John/LUM Food Pantry—Now Open Saturdays

Beginning on Saturday, June 7, and every Saturday thereafter, the St. John's/LUM Food Pantry will be open to the public from 1 to 3 p.m. The Pantry will continue its regular Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday morning hours as well. Steve Starks, pantry director states, "We are excited about this change because the new Saturday hours will provide access for those not able to come to the pantry on weekdays because of work."



If the new food pantry hours allow you to volunteer your time to serve food at the pantry during one or more Saturdays per month, please call Jane Venable at (765)463-6158. If you might be interested in helping to register food pantry clients as they arrive (must be comfortable with basic computer data entry) call or email Linda Hicks (765.423.2691 | [lhicks@lumserve.org](mailto:lhicks@lumserve.org)).

For more information on the St. John's/LUM Food Pantry, click [HERE](#). A great way to support the St. John's/LUM Food Pantry is to sign up and participate in Hunger Hike 2014. For information on Hunger Hike walk/hike and HH5K Run, click [HERE](#).

### St. John's/LUM Pantry Volunteers Honored



The volunteers of the St. John's/LUM Food Pantry were celebrated at a brunch at St. John's Episcopal Church to honor their efforts in feeding our community's hungry children and families. Remarks were offered by Joe Micon, LUM executive director; Rev. Bradley Pace, St. John's Episcopal Church rector; and Steve Starks, St. John's/LUM Food Pantry director. In 2013, these wonderful volunteers served 3,047 Tippecanoe County households who were in need of emergency food. Join us in giving great appreciation and respect to all Food Pantry Volunteers!

### A Fond Farewell to Ron Smith

Ron Smith, LUM program director, was recognized at a special reception by co-workers, LUM board directors, family and friends. Balloons, cake, speeches & even a song were offered as Ron turns the page on his seven-year involvement with LUM. At LUM, Ron directed Hunger Hike and Jubilee Christmas, and assisted with the tax preparation program & St. John's/LUM Food Pantry.



Ron shared that his first paycheck came when he was 10 years old. He also stated "My many years of military service, employment at Purdue and various businesses, then here at LUM have been a wonderful way to spend a career." He said that during his years at LUM he met many wonderful new friends who will continue to enrich his life for years to come. Thank you, Ron, for your hard work on behalf of the many children and families served here at LUM. Blessing to you!

**Pictured above from L to R:** Seated—Ron Smith and his daughter, Elaine McFadden; Standing—Jeremiah Dole, Ron Hoffman, Linda Hicks, Joyce Fasani, Mary Anderson, Joe Micon, Susan Brouillette, & Sylvia Mohler.

### 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:

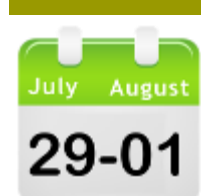
- Hole Sponsorship — \$150
- Golf Cart Sponsorship — \$400
- T-shirt Sponsors — \$700
- Register a 4-some — \$300 (\$75 per golfer)



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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).

### 2014 LUM Programs – Mark Your Calendars



#### LUM Camp

It's a week-long, overnight camp program for low-income children from 8 to 10 years old. Volunteer camp counselors are needed. Why not make this year the year you say "yes" to being a LUM Camp Counselor?



#### Hunger Hike

Saturday, September 20th is the 2nd Annual HH5K Run. Sunday (9/21) is the traditional Hunger Hike. Proceeds benefit Food Finders Food Bank, St. Tom's Haiti Ministry and LUM Food Programs. [www.hungerhike.org](http://www.hungerhike.org)



#### LUM Community Thanksgiving Celebration

It's on Thanksgiving Day from noon to 2 p.m. at Central Presbyterian Church (Lafayette). More than 800 people will be served, and you may be a part of this special program by volunteering or making a donation.



#### LUM Jubilee Christmas

LUM Jubilee Christmas serves over 600 families and 1800 children. Parents visit one of dozens of churches and shop for their children. In addition to the toys and clothes, each Jubilee family also received a ham and homemade Christmas cookies to make Christmas dinner special too.

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