



Update: Holiday Greetings

Merry Christmas! to You & Your Family



As we “wait in joyful hope,” the members of LUM board of directors and staff wish you and your family to a very Merry Christmas. It is a time to reflect on the generosity of those who have contributed their time, treasure and talent to LUM — and there is no better time to say “Thank You” to each and every one of our faithful supporters who have contributed to another successful year. Without your support, love and encouragement, LUM would struggle to serve as many of our community’s families in need. LUM is indeed humbled by your generosity.

In return for your support, LUM pledges to be true to our mission — lifting up families, encouraging and educating children, and offering hope to the entire community through our hard work, service to others, and good example.

Thank you again. LUM wishes you and your family peace, happiness, and a blessed holiday season. Have a Merry Christmas!

Consider an End-of-the-Year Gift to LUM

When Christmas and the New Year approach, many are motivated to think about philanthropy and goodwill toward the community. It is also a perfect time to assess what you have and how you may help others.

For many of you, charitable giving is a regular part of your life and a commitment that you take seriously.

Remember a gift to LUM before the end of the year may lower your taxes. Realizing an income tax deduction is merely acknowledging the importance of giving in your overall investment plan. This deduction is also important because it can lower the cost of giving.

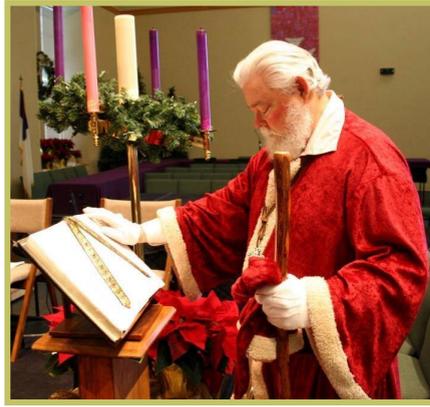


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LUM appreciates your support of our mission, services and programs. Check out our [website](#) to see how you can make your donation to LUM more meaningful to you.

If you would like to discuss your giving plan, please call or email Joe Micon (765.423.2691 | jmicon@lumserve.org). To donate to LUM online, click [HERE](#).

“Little” Inspirations of Giving



The Battle Ground Bible Church Women's Ministries collected much needed items for the LUM emergency shelter. Leanne and her boys (Christopher 10, Matthew 8, and Michael 6) delivered the donation to LUM. Thanks, Christopher, Matthew & Michael — and the Battle Ground Bible Church Women's Ministries!



Each birthday, Anna (8) & Emily (6) Foerg have asked their friends to bring food to their parties instead of birthday gifts. Pictured right is Emily with her donation of food items for the St. John's/LUM Food Pantry. Such amazing kids—so giving. Thanks, Anna & Emily!

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