

**Our Saviour's Lutheran Church**  
*love God. love others.*

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Appleton, WI 54911

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(920) 734-6396



Greetings friend,

We are so happy you are considering making OSLC your church home! Information about Our Saviour's Lutheran Church is enclosed. Refer to the weekly email communications, [Facebook page](#), and [OSLC website](#) for information. You are welcome to participate.

If you would like to receive the weekly **Stuff's Happening** and monthly **Our Glass** newsletter emails, please email [Laura@OSLC-Appleton.org](mailto:Laura@OSLC-Appleton.org).

Ready to take the next step? Please complete the enclosed information sheet and return. Offering envelopes will be sent, unless you prefer to set up automatic [eGiving](#) (form enclosed). Giving through the VANCO mobile app is also available.

Fun fact: our name has a **"u"** in Saviour's. If you have any questions, call the church office at 920-734-6396, prompt 2. See you at church!

In His Service,

Laura Purath

Office Manager/Ministries Coordinator

**Rev. Kemp Jones, Pastor**

# Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

*love God. love others.  
gather. grow. go.*

Welcome! We are conveniently located on the north side of Appleton. This is a busy faith community with lots of activities for all ages! Here's a sample of opportunities at OSLC.

## Worship Schedule

**Wednesdays 6:30 pm (year round)**

**Sundays 8:00 & 10:30 am\***

**\*Summer Sunday Worship 9 am**

**(from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend)**

## Pastoral Services

Weddings, Baptisms, funerals, hospital visits, home visitation, and counseling are available here — contact the church office.

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## Study Groups

- Men's Bible Study-1st & 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30 am at an offsite location
- Women of Wisdom Bible Study on Mondays at 1:30
- Men's BB&B 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm at an offsite location
- Soul Sisters 6:00-7:30pm typically the first Monday of the month Oct., Nov., Dec. Feb., Mar., Apr. and May

## Reaching Out to Lend a Hand

Our Congregation generously gives their time and monetary gifts to those in need, both near and far. Check the website for more information on opportunities to help others.

- Music Ministries
- Study groups
- Stitching Ministries
- Prime Timers
- Crossroads Connections
- Special projects
- And so much more ...

## Sunday School

**September-May:**

Children age 3 years through Grade 5 gather for Sunday School on Sunday mornings 9-10:15 am

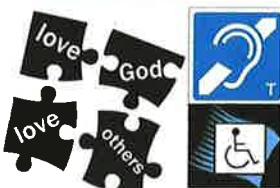
## Confirmation

**August -April:**

Students Grades 6-9 gather for Confirmation on Wednesday evenings

## Youth

The OSLC youth are a very active group. Contact Sam at 920-841-4788 for additional information, including youth groups, Confirmation and mission trips.



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God's work. Our hands.

the Church through monetary, time & talent, and spiritual gifts support.

- ◆ Offering counting
- ◆ Offer convenient opportunities for members to give through electronic giving

## TECHNOLOGY

- ◆ Evaluate the technology needs of the church, prepare a plan, and support the promotion of a campaign to obtain the funds needed to achieve the technology goals

## WORSHIP & MUSIC

Help promote participation in the worship services by creating and shaping the music programs, liturgies, and other opportunities.

- ◆ Choir
- ◆ Coordinate worship helpers



# Our Saviour's Lutheran Church

## YOUTH

- ◆ Youth ministries & mission trip
- ◆ Youth Group & Bible Studies
- ◆ Confirmation Instruction—Grades 6, 7, 8, 9

**YOU'RE INVITED!!**  
**COMMITTEES WELCOME YOUR HELP!**

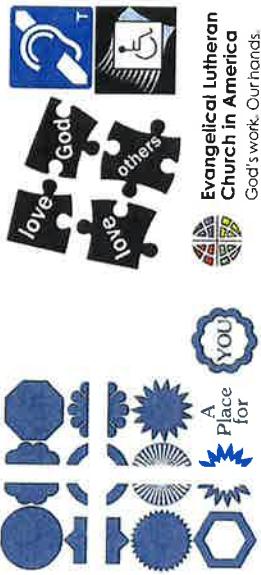
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## THERE ARE TWO

### OPPORTUNITIES TO BE

#### INVOLVED WITH A COMMITTEE.

#### 1. YOU CAN SERVE ON A COMMITTEE. THIS IS FOCUSED

#### ON PLANNING, CREATING,

#### AND FINDING HELPERS TO

#### IMPLEMENT THE IDEAS.

#### 2. YOU CAN HELP A COMMITTEE WITH THE WORK WITH-

#### OUT BEING A MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE.

**MANY HANDS  
MAKE LIGHT WORK**



## BASICS — SOCIAL MINISTRY

Caring for creation, near and far.

- ◆ Food Drives
- ◆ School Supply Drive
- ◆ Adopt-a-friend Christmas project
- ◆ Collections in the "Big Blue" cart for those in need
- ◆ Quilters Group
- ◆ Dresses for Girls Group
- ◆ Lutheran World Relief
- ◆ Loaves and Fishes
- ◆ OSLC Little Free Food Pantry
- ◆ Salvation Army
- ◆ Harbor House
- ◆ Shelters
- ◆ Prayer Shawl Ministry
- ◆ In partnership with Dunlap Elementary School
- ◆ and so much more . . .

## CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Help plan, promote, and implement a meaningful learning experience for all ages.

◆ Sunday School — Children age 3 years through grade 5 gather on Sunday mornings from 9:10:15 am (Sept—May)

◆ Loving Nursery & Childcare provided during Worship

◆ Children's Christmas Program

◆ Vacation Bible School

◆ Study Opportunities

- Men's Bible Study is held the 1st & 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30 am at an offsite location
- Bible Study on Mondays at 1:30 pm at an offsite location
- Men's BB&B 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm at an offsite location
- Soul Sisters 6-7:30 pm typically the first Monday of the month Oct. through Dec. and Feb.

## STEWARDSHIP

- ◆ Plan, promote and implement the Fall Stewardship Drive encouraging member participation in the life of

## EVANGELISM & FELLOWSHIP

Join us to help shape our events!

- ◆ Tailgate Party
- ◆ Welcoming
- ◆ New Member Reception/Celebration
- ◆ Prayer Chain
- ◆ Media and advertising
- ◆ Sunday morning sweet treats & coffee
- ◆ Cook-offs
- ◆ Prime Timers (age 55ish & up)
- ◆ Crossroads Connections (age 30+)

## PERSONNEL

- ◆ Perform salary/performance reviews; solidify goals/objectives
- ◆ Prepare annual payroll budget for Council approval
- ◆ Re-write/edit job descriptions of church employees
- ◆ Oversee renewal of benefits with health, life, etc. insurance agency

## PROPERTY

- ◆ Building & property maintenance including painting, cleaning, carpentry, plumbing, building projects, grounds care, security, safety, remodeling, and fire concerns
- ◆ Develop long-term maintenance plans
- ◆ Review lawn care and snow removal contracts
- ◆ Landscape projects
- ◆ Maintain a clean, safe and enjoyable worship environment

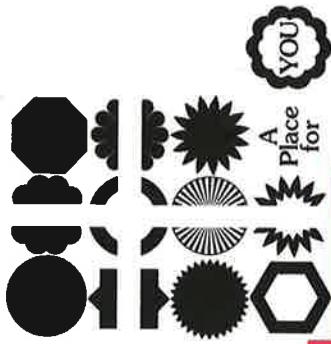
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# SUNDAY SCHOOL

## Welcome to Our Saviour's Lutheran Church Sunday School!

### Sunday School Class Times:

3 yr & PreK—6th Grade  
Sundays 9:00-10:15 am



E-mail: [JennANDTed@oslc-appleton.org](mailto:JennANDTed@oslc-appleton.org)

Fax: 920-734-2632

Phone: 920-248-1720

Jenn & Ted Tyvol - Children's Ministry Coord.

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### Classes available for Age 3 - Grade 6

this little child in my name welcomes me,  
& whoever welcomes  
me welcomes the one who sent me.

Luke 9:48

### ALL ARE WELCOME at OSLC!

OSLC offers Sunday School classes for children age 3 through grade 6. Classes meet the months of September through May from 9:00 to 10:20 am.

Children must be 3 years old by September 1st and "potty trained" to begin Sunday School.

If you are interested in registering your child for Sunday School contact Jenn & Ted Tyvol.  
920-248-1720 or

[JennANDTed@oslc-appleton.org](mailto:JennANDTed@oslc-appleton.org).

## Learning Through Scripture



"Did not our **hearts**  
**burn** within us...  
while **he opened** to us  
the **Scriptures**?"

Luke 24:32, ESV

The story of God's love in Scripture matches what students learn in their class, to what they hear in worship. Living the Word also facilitates better engagement with students in the worship service and furthers discussions of faith in the home! We are so excited about this curriculum for our youngest members!



# Kids

aren't the church  
of the future;  
they're the  
church  
of today!



Our Sunday School students are involved in a variety of service projects throughout the year.

Example may include:

- ♦ Valentines for shut ins
- ♦ Food Drive



Children in all grades participate in the Sunday School Christmas Program. The Christmas program provides an opportunity to learn the story of Christ's birth through drama and song.

- ♦ Canned Vegetable Collection
- ♦ Refilling Worship Bags
- ♦ Emergency Kits
- ♦ Toothbrush Collection

and MUCH MORE!

Vacation Bible School is offered for one week during the Summer. Recent themes have included Norway Bible Adventure, Outdoor Ministries Curriculum, High Seas Expedition and Discovery Canyon.

## Making Friends Through Activities

## High School Mission Trip 2023

All 8-12th Grade youth are invited to come along on the 2023 Mission Trip to Chicago, Illinois from June 24th-28<sup>th</sup>. We will be working with local food pantries, helping with day camps, and having 2-hour free fun times each day. We will stay at a local downtown church.

Cost is \$650/person.

Please let Youth Minister Sam know if you're interested ([sam@OSLC-Appleton.org](mailto:sam@OSLC-Appleton.org)).



## Camping Middle School Service Trip

All 6-8<sup>th</sup> Grade youth are invited to a camping trip Friday, June 11 - Sunday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at Potawatomi State Park - Located 1 hour away from Appleton in Sturgeon Bay, WI.

Cost is \$40/person.

We will meet at the Church @ 1pm Friday and will return to OSLC at 2:30 pm Sunday.

Activities will include hiking, swimming, hot dog/s'mores roasting, campfire worship, star gazing, and all kinds of fun! Please let Youth Minister Sam know if you're interested ([sam@OSLC-Appleton.org](mailto:sam@OSLC-Appleton.org)).



**Nursery:** Open 9-10am Sundays all summer long! Ages 6 months - 6 years.

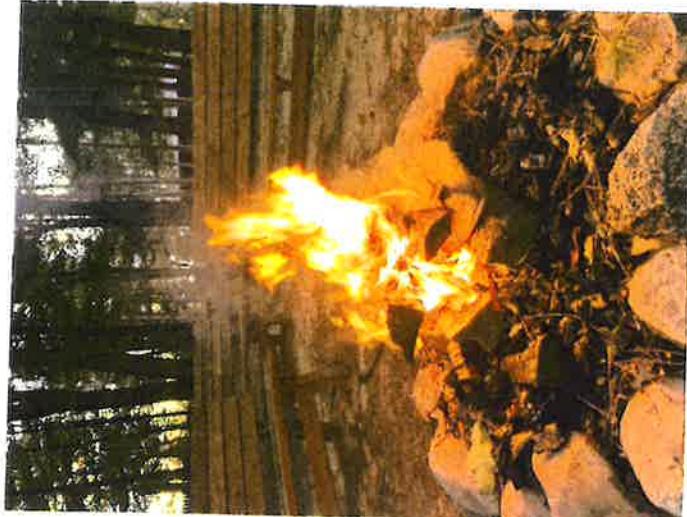
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[Sam@OSLC-Appleton.org](mailto:Sam@OSLC-Appleton.org)

Contact: Sam Keele - Youth Minister

**Questions or Ideas?**



## Summer 2023!

What is happening that you can do at Our Saviour's this summer?

### JUNE:

- **Monday, June 5<sup>th</sup> Youth Group**  
4:30-6:30 pm, Mead Swimming Pool  
1430 E John Street, Appleton, WI  
54915. Meet at OSLC @4pm for a ride or meet at the pool entrance @4:30pm.
- **Wednesday, June 7<sup>th</sup> Game Night**  
6-8pm K-12th grades.
- **Friday, June 9-11th Middle School Camping Service Trip.**  
Leave at 1pm Friday, return at 2:30pm Sunday. 6-8<sup>th</sup> grades. \$40/person.
- **Sat, June 17<sup>th</sup> Butterfly Festival**  
9am-noon. City Park, 500 E Franklin. Downtown Appleton WI. All ages invited!
- **Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup> Movie Night**  
Starts @6 pm 6-12th grades.
- **Wednesday, June 21<sup>st</sup> MMU**  
6pm - Popcorn and PJ's - PG movie in OSLC sanctuary.
- **June 24th-28th High School Mission Trip**  
8-12<sup>th</sup> \$650/person. We will stay in a church in downtown Chicago, IL serving the community.

### JULY:

- **Friday, July 7<sup>th</sup> Lifest**  
All ages can join us. Meet at OSLC @1pm for a ride (must rsvp) or meet at entrance @2pm. Lifest is a large Christian music festival. Youth Tickets \$30, Adult Tickets \$60 Money due by time we leave.
- **Sunday, July 9<sup>th</sup> Youth Group**  
(@4:30-6:30pm  
in OSLC Narthex. Christmas in July, decorate cookies, white elephant gift exchange, reason for the season game.
- **Monday, July 10<sup>th</sup> Movie Night**  
It starts at 6pm, 6-12th.
- **Friday, July 14<sup>th</sup> Kids Summer Reading Program** 9-10am!  
It is important for kids to read books & the Bible during the summer because it helps them stay connected to God, and it helps prepare them for the upcoming school year. 3k-5<sup>th</sup> come read books with us in the narthex!
- **Wednesday, July 19<sup>th</sup> MMU**  
6-8pm Come in your swimsuit to OSLC for some splash summer fun

### AUGUST:

- **Wednesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> Game Night**  
6-8pm K-12th grades.
- **August 6th-10<sup>th</sup> Vacation Bible School**  
4:30-7pm ages 3-11. Theme: Farm  
a) 4:30-6pm Meal  
b) 5:30-6pm band & message  
c) 6-6:50pm rotations  
d) 6:50-7pm closing song and prayer
- **Sunday, August 13<sup>th</sup> Youth Group**  
4:30-6:30 pm outside 9 square, gaga ball, outside games.
- **Monday, August 14<sup>th</sup> Movie Night** Starts at 6pm. 6-12th grades.
- **Wednesday, August 16<sup>th</sup> Confirmation Orientation**  
5:30-6:30pm. 6-9th grades.
- **Wednesday, August 16<sup>th</sup> MMU**  
6-8pm Outdoor fun, carnival games, & food trucks.
- **Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> Kids Summer Reading Program** 9-10am!  
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- **Wednesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> Confirmation**  
5:30-7pm. 6-9th grades.
- **August 25-27th Confirmation Retreat**  
(@Pine Lake Bible Camp!!! 6-9<sup>th</sup> grade will experience bonding activities, campfire worship, gaga ball, and many more fun outdoor activities. \$55/person. See Youth Minister Sam if cost is a factor.

# MEMBER INFORMATION SHEET

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 3009 N Meade St., Appleton, WI 54911

*(Please Print)*

*Date:*

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

(Last) (First) (Middle)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_

BAPTIZED [ ] yes [ ] no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

CONFIRMED [ ] yes [ ] no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

Single  Married  Divorced  Widow(er)

DATE OF MARRIAGE \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

EMPLOYMENT \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Employer) (Phone)

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

- I like to participate in ministries & activities that involve food!
- I like to tidy and organize things!
- I love music!
- I like to lead, coordinate, and host.
- I love crafting, stitching...
- I'm pretty good with technology!!
- I'm somewhat handy and wouldn't mind being on the maintenance ministry team call list.
- I love being outside and would like to help the property grounds neat & tidy by pulling weeds, trimming shrubs, etc.
- I like to work with money.
- I like to help during Worship.
- I like to do things that will help advance the OSLC youth &/or children's ministries.
- \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

(Last) (First) (Middle) (Maiden)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

(Street)

(City) (State) (Zip Code)

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_

BAPTIZED [ ] yes [ ] no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

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Which Worship do you usually attend? [ ] Thursday@6:30 [ ] Sunday@8:00 [ ] Sunday@10:30

[ ] YES!!! Please send me the newsletter and weekly communications via my email address(es) shown above.

*information sheet continued - next page*

### CHILDREN WHO WILL BE JOINING OSLC

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

BAPTIZED  yes  no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

CONFIRMED  yes  no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_ (Maiden) \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

BAPTIZED  yes  no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

CONFIRMED  yes  no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

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(Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

BAPTIZED  yes  no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

CONFIRMED  yes  no \_\_\_\_\_  
Date, if known

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(Last) \_\_\_\_\_ (First) \_\_\_\_\_ (Middle) \_\_\_\_\_ (Maiden) \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

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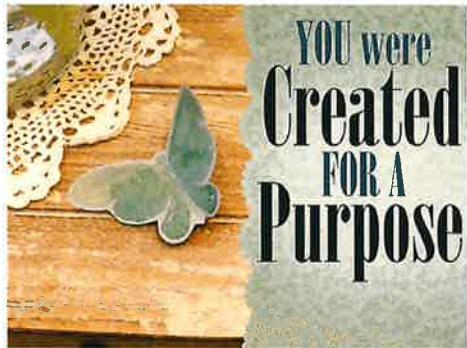
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Date, if known

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TRANSFERRING FROM \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name and Address of Home Congregation)

Have you requested that they send a transfer to us?  Yes  No





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FOR A  
Purpose**

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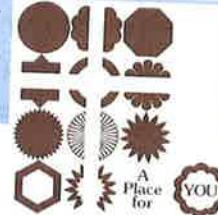
**Worship:**

Wednesdays at 6:30pm (all yr)  
Sundays\* at 8:00 and 10:30am

\*ONE Sunday Worship Memorial  
Day weekend through Labor Day  
weekend at 9:00am

OUR SAVIOUR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH-APPLETON

## CONTACT INFORMATION



Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #'s: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

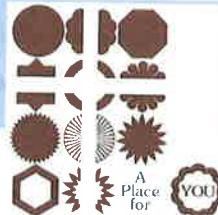
Worship I typically attend:  Wednesday  8:00  10:30\*

\*9:00 Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend

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Whatever your task, put yourselves into it, as done  
for the Lord and not for your masters,

Colossians 3:23



## WAYS I WOULD LIKE TO SERVE:

Usher  Communion Assistant  Lay Reader  Greeter

Coffee Barista  Media Helper during Worship  Committee  
Member

Please add me to rotation for the Worship I indicated on side 1

Please send me more information about:

Studies  Confirmation  First Communion  Baptism

Choir or Special Music opportunities  Vacation Bible School

Sunday School  Social Grp (50ish +)  Social Grp (30-50ish)

Men's Ministries  Women's Ministries  Youth Group

Outreach  Wedding  Other: \_\_\_\_\_



## OUR SAVIOUR'S Growing in Gratitude

People of Our Saviour's,

Your generosity has provided many opportunities to learn, to grow, to reach out and help those in need, gather together socially, and worship together. Below is the intent card for your 2023 giving through OSLC. We are asking members to form a goal of giving for the year ahead and share your intention with the church. We will collect these intentions on Sunday, October 16th. You can mail your intent card back to church, hand in when you are at church by placing in the offering box with any other gifts, or fill out the form and submit online through our website. Visit [www.OSLC-Appleton.org](http://www.OSLC-Appleton.org), hover over giving/serving, and choose Stewardship.

These intentions help as we start to plan for the year to come and keep our many church ministries going and growing. Every bit counts as we Gather, Grow, and Go while Loving God and Loving Others. Thank you for being a part of OSLC and the numerous ministries!

Steph Gifford, Stewardship Chair

Please tear here.



## My 2023 Intention of Giving: Growing in Gratitude

I am grateful for what God has first given to me. I intend to return a portion to God through Our Saviour's Lutheran Church to help grow the many ministries. In the year 2023, I intend to give:

\$  Annually      \$  Weekly      or      \$  Monthly      or      \$  Yearly      or

## Ways to Give

I intend to give using:

Offering Envelopes

Automatic giving

My giving is already automatic

through an auto-payment program with my bank

automatic giving previously set-up

I'm interested in setting up automatic giving but would like some help. Please have someone contact me at:

phone \_\_\_\_\_  email \_\_\_\_\_  
 the Vanco Mobile app

## Please note:

I've changed the amount of my automatic giving.

Please make the change now.

Please make the change effective January 1.

I'm interested in learning more about making a Legacy Gift to Our Saviour's Lutheran.

I'm interested in making a gift to the Our Saviour's Lutheran Endowment Fund.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #'s \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

# AUTHORIZATION FORM



The **Simply Giving** Program  
endorsed by  
*Thrivent Financial Bank*

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY	ENVELOPE/DONOR #	DATE
Name of Church _____		
Effective date of authorization: _____ / _____ / _____		
Type of Authorization Form: <input type="checkbox"/> New Authorization <input type="checkbox"/> Change banking information <input type="checkbox"/> Change donation amount <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinue electronic donation <input type="checkbox"/> Change donation date		
Last Name	First Name	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Email Address		
Please debit my donation from my (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> Checking Account (attach a voided check below) <input type="checkbox"/> Savings Account (contact your financial institution for Routing #)		Routing Number: _____ <small>Valid Routing # must start with 0, 1, 2, or 3</small> Account Number: _____ <small>011145278900 123 1234567890001 - Routing Number      - Check Number      - Account Number</small>
FIRST DONATION DATE: _____/_____/_____	<b>FREQUENCY OF DONATION:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly on _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly on _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Monthly <small>(transferred on 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> of each month)</small>	<b>AMOUNT:</b> Ministry/Mission & Operating Fund \$ _____
<b>AGREEMENT</b> I authorize the above church and Vanco Services, LLC to process debit entries to my account. I understand that this authority will remain in effect until I provide reasonable notification to terminate the authorization.		
Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____		



**Please attach voided check here.**

