

Ministry Update

SHINE!

with the LCMS Northern Illinois District!



Jesus tells us in Matthew 5: 16, "...let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven." The LCMS Northern Illinois District is once again coordinating a district-wide servant event that will provide our members opportunities to give witness to the love of Jesus through acts of service to their neighbors. Mark your calendars for your day of service between April 10-19, 2026.

This is a free event. To participate, pick your own project in an area close to you, and *SHINE!* God's light. How is God calling you to serve your neighbors and SHINE His light?

(See the back of this card for FAQs)





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Frequently Asked Questions

When is SHINE! taking place?

SHINE! takes place April 10-19, 2026. Decide how much time your project will take and pick a day to serve.

Who can participate in SHINE!?

There is no age requirement. Everyone from toddlers to seniors is welcome to participate.

How many people need to be in a group to participate?

A group can be as small as two people and as large as the group wants to be.

What kinds of servant projects are allowed?

There are so many ways that your group can serve right in your own community! Possible projects include: cleaning, carpentry, quilting, cooking, packing, weeding, collecting donations, yardwork, writing cards. Think of unique opportunities to serve in a way that's tailored to your gifts, your community, and your congregational needs.

How do I register my group?

More information will be provided in 2026 on how to register your project. Watch our webpage:



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