

LEAVING A LEGACY OF FAITH



JULAINE'S GIFT

Julaine and her husband, Steve, joined St. John Lutheran as members in 2006. Through their faith journey they learned the greatest joy and goal in life is to share the Gospel of our Lord with others. This gave them a very different perspective on the treasures and temporary things that they were given. When Steve passed in 2015, Julaine began to see her priorities in a new light. Seeing how God had worked in their lives, Julaine was reminded that material possessions and money were not the real priority or answer to anything; that comfort and security is found in Christ.

After Steve's victory in Christ, Julaine worked with her financial planner, accountant and Pastor Phil Krupski, (LCMS Foundation Gift Planning

Counselor - Indiana District) to determine what assets God had given her. "While working on my gift planning, I felt God's presence surrounding me." Hebrews 13:5 says, "Keep your life free from love of money, and be content with what you have, for he has said, 'I will never leave you nor forsake you.'"

Julaine decided she will give a portion of this blessing to the St. John Endowment Fund for Church and School Ministry. We are grateful for Julaine's tremendous and thoughtful gift given in faith. Julaine has also been gifted with the ability to create and sew quilts. Perhaps if you see one of the many quilts around the church or school, you might also think of Julaine and how God might be working in your life.

THE ST. JOHN ENDOWMENT FUND

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ENDOWMENT GIFTS SUPPORT:

- 1 SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL AID** for St. John Students in grades K-12 and for future church workers
- 2 RESOURCES** to enhance worship
- 3 SUPPORT** for outreach ministries
- 4 TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES AND SUPPORT** for church, school and Little Wings

WAYS TO GIVE:

Cash, stocks, life insurance, retirement plans, real estate, charitable gift annuities, will bequest

PAST GIFTS:

FINANCIAL AID for 150 St. John students and alumni attending Lutheran High School
NEW HYMNALS (Lutheran Service Book)
ROBOTICS EDUCATION EQUIPMENT
FUNDS FOR YOUTH to attend the National Youth Gathering



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