





Dear Friends and Supporters,

This week, we send our very own Sven Schumacher our thoughts and prayers as he takes on his annual hike. As you may know, every year Sven hits the trails of Europe with his wife to help raise money for our Sharing Place food pantry. Due to the current COVID-19 pandemic, this year they are re-imagining the experience and visiting southern Indiana.

This year's hike will take place throughout September and October on the 42-mile Tecumseh's Trail about 45 minutes south of Indianapolis inside the beautiful Morgan-Monroe State Forest. This hike brings a beautiful trail, spiritual opportunities for prayer, and an opportunity for close friends to come together for something great.



Christel DeHaan

Sven wishes dedicate his walk this year to Indianapolis businesswoman Christel DeHaan.

Ms.DeHaan was one of LCFS' strongest supporters over the years. She has helped LCFS accomplish many goals and stood by our side through the good times and the challenges. Ms. DeHaan was always known to be a big supporter of this annual event. She unfortunately passed away in June 2020, but her impact will continue to live on through her legacy of charity, caring, and community support.



Every year during his hike, Sven aims to raise around \$20,000 dollars to support the Sharing Place. **This year these donations are more important than ever**. As the winter season quickly approaches and the Sharing Place is still recovering from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, Sven aims to help fill the shelves and assist in providing food for our community.

Stay tuned to our social media and the event page on our website for updates as Sven and his wife embark on this journey.

Interested in learning more? If you have any questions about this event or anything else, please contact us via e-mail at **develop@lutheranfamily.org!**

If you can help us fight food insecurity, please visit our website to make a donation: https://www.lutheranfamily.org/how-to-help/donate.html











