





## Dear Friends and Supporters,

This week we'd like to thank the United Way of Central Indiana (UWCI) for the support they have given us this year. UWCI provides LCFS with key resources we need to fulfill our mission, and in the past year we've received a substantial amount of support.





In 2021, we have received funding from all three of the UWCI Impact Funds – Social Innovation, Basic Needs, and Family Opportunity Fund. Additionally, we have received support from the Technology Fund, the Facility Modification Fund, and the Emergency Maintenance Fund. These contributions from the UWCI has been



Looking to support the INSPIRE program? Please visit our website:

https://www.lutheranfamily.org/how-to-help/donate.html

## Volunteers Needed!

LCFS would not be able to assist our community without volunteers! Here are some open opportunities currently available:

- LCFS Christmas Store 12/5- 12/9
   Sunday Set Up <a href="https://bit.ly/3zbrp6Q">https://bit.ly/3zbrp6Q</a>
   Tuesday Morning <a href="https://bit.ly/3kaJPjB">https://bit.ly/3kaJPjB</a>
   And more!
- The Sharing Place
   Second Saturday Late Morning
   https://bit.ly/3C9frME
   Friday Restock https://bit.ly/2XrPKZc

For more LCFS volunteer opportunities please visit:

https://lutheranfamily.galaxydigital.com/need/

Most recently, we've been awarded a grant of \$575,000 per year for TWO years from the Family Opportunity Fund for our INSPIRE program. We are one of five local organizations to be given the honor of receiving multi-year grant awards in this application cycle. This funding will help us continue developing and expanding our program over the next two years with a goal of providing much-needed assistance to more children and families in our community, using a 2 Generation (2 Gen) model of service delivery to help the children, their adult care-givers, and the family as a whole. Thank you UWC!!

If you're interested in reading more, here is the press release from UWCI published last month: <a href="https://www.uwci.org/blog/united-way-awards-75-million-in-grants-to-25-organizations-to-support-family-opportunity-programs">https://www.uwci.org/blog/united-way-awards-75-million-in-grants-to-25-organizations-to-support-family-opportunity-programs</a>











