

## COMO PARK LUTHERAN CHURCH TRUST FUND COMMITTEE

The CPLC Trust Fund was established in 1987 to give CPLC members the opportunity to create an enduring financial legacy to benefit the church and its mission in the community and the world.

The fund's purpose is to receive and invest gifts and to generate income to maintain the principle of the fund, so that it can provide a perpetual source of funds for outreach and special expenditures approved by the congregation. Approximately 2/3 of the amount distributed each year goes to outreach beyond the congregation. The other 1/3 goes to ministry within the congregation, including a portion designated specifically for music and youth. Gifts have included benevolence support, capital projects, youth/family ministry, maintenance, and other purposes.

Each year in November the Trust Fund Committee meets to determine a total distribution amount, as well as individual gift amounts for the following calendar year. The committee is currently soliciting ideas and suggestions for consideration during this process. Typical distribution amounts will vary based on the trust fund's performance and number of applicants. Past recipients have included:

### OUTREACH

Chelsea Elementary School  
Chinese Hospitality Center  
Christ Lutheran Church — various gifts for internship support  
HHH Job Corp Center  
Habitat for Humanity — various gifts  
Hunger Workshop  
Keystone Food Shelf  
Plymouth Christian Youth Center — various gifts  
St. Paul Partners — well drilling in Itungi, Tanzania  
United/Our Saviour's Lutheran Parish — missions

### CPLC

CPLC music program — various gifts  
CPLC nursery  
CPLC Como Evening Prayer  
Cradle Roll Materials  
Mission Trips — various gifts  
Multimedia/education  
National Youth Assembly — CPLC participants

If you have a suggestion or request for a gift, please complete and submit the accompanying Trust Fund Gift Request Form by September 26, 2014 for gifts to be given in 2015. The committee's final recommendation for distribution will be presented to the congregation for approval at the annual meeting in January 2015.

**COMO PARK LUTHERAN CHURCH  
TRUST FUND GIFT REQUEST**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Member of Como Park Lutheran Church  Yes  No

Contact information: Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Name of recipients: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount of request: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose (how will the funds be used): \_\_\_\_\_

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How will the recipient benefit from this gift: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please submit by September 26, 2014 for gifts to be given in 2015.

Completed forms may be left at the Welcome Desk, placed in the Trust Fund pick-up box outside the office, or mailed to:

Como Park Lutheran Church  
Attn: Trust Fund Committee  
1376 Hoyt Ave. W  
St. Paul, MN 55108