



Fit4life

Strengthen Your Core

Healthy bodies require a strong set of core muscles. Similarly, a vibrant personal faith and a healthy congregation require a strong set of Biblical Core values. **At Servant of Christ our Biblical Core values are: Prayer, Weekly Worship, Biblical Literacy, Spiritual Friendship, Serving, Giving.** As Christians we are called to be different from others. We are challenged to think about and strengthen our Biblical Core values.

Giving provides each of us the opportunity to strengthen our core. **Did you know:**

- Through your gifts, Servant of Christ continues to be a tithing church by giving away (tithing) 10% to ministries beyond our walls (over \$1.4 million since 1998) **WOW!**
- You can give regularly via several different ways:
 - Enrolling in Simply Giving
 - Text to Give
 - Online Giving
 - Weekly Offering Envelopes



How Do We Achieve These Goals Together?

- Trusting God enough to take the next step in our personal giving by examining the enclosed "Percentage Giving Chart".
- Filling out the enclosed pledge card and returning it to church by **Sunday, November 4th.**
- Taking part in electronic (Simply Giving, Text to Give, Online Giving) or weekly offering envelopes and give out of abundance rather than what's left over.
- Encourage others to do the same and celebrate what God is and can do through an amazing congregation that will rise to this exciting challenge.
- Visit our website at www.servantofchrist.com and click on "Giving and Pledging".



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Stewardship goals and
opportunities for 2019
at Servant of Christ
Lutheran Church



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Fit4TheTask

God wants you to become like Jesus. This is who God created you to be. As Christians, we are called to believe that everything begins with God. The church is God's primary way to accomplish his purpose on earth.



Our 2019 Stewardship campaign goals specifically focus on continuing to carry out the mission to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ through:

- Giving my resources to fulfill God's purposes
- Passion for worship: Sharing your faith and that of the SOC community
- Serving others
- Bible Study and Prayer
- SOC Staff Development

While many churches across the country are experiencing a steep decline in worship attendance and visitors, **Servant of Christ remains vibrant and healthy!** SOC is in the 95th percentile of worship attendance of all Protestant churches across the country. Over the last five years we have received lots of new members. Confirmation, Sunday School our youth, music programs and opportunities for spiritual growth and friendship remain strong and vibrant.

Why is this happening? Because of the many people deeply committed to The Lord and the real difference the ministry of your home church makes in the lives of people.

Fit4HisPurpose

Jesus faithfully lived in a purposeful way. What is God inviting us to do? To make a difference, serve selflessly, and dedicate your life to God's purposes.

- Giving my resources to fulfill God's purposes: continue to be a tithing church by following the core Biblical value of giving away 10% to ministries beyond our walls (over \$1.4 million since 1998)
- Passion for worship: Commit to bringing 5 people to Servant of Christ throughout the year, sharing your faith and that of the SOC community
- Commit to and enroll in regular giving
- Serving others: Participate by serving God and the community both inside and outside SOC
- Bible study and Prayer: Commit to actively participating in 1 bible study this year
- Staff Development: Provide funding to each of the SOC staff to deepen their expertise in providing programming and support for the SOC community.



Fit4Fulfillment

Jesus wants to produce in us fruit that brings great joy to us and to others.

To reach our four goals for 2019 we will need:

- Financial giving of \$90,000 above 2018 congregational giving.

What will it take to reach the \$90,000 of new commitments and pledges?

- Each person to reflect more deeply on how you can **Strengthen Your Core**. If each of you were to take a growth step in financial stewardship, together we would be able to better fulfill God's purposes for us; not just as a church, but as servants of Christ.
- Prayer is a HUGE part of our Christian faith and relationship with God. Please pray and honestly seek God's guidance so your actions and response honors Christ.



Remember this:

"I can do all this through him who gives me strength."

– Philippians 4:13