



2009 Giving Catalog

Inspiring and sustaining generosity, leadership & service

This Giving Catalog includes ideas for blessing individuals on your holiday list by a donation to a cause they care about. It also makes it easy to include the community where you live on your giving list.

The catalog focuses on organizations that entrust LCCF to manage their endowment. Every charitable organization can benefit from your support, whether it is a gift of your time, talent or a donation to their cause. If you have a charitable interest and do not see a similar organization listed, please call us at 260-463-4363 and we will attempt to identify an organization which shares your charitable goals.

LaGrange County Community Foundation

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The mission of the LaGrange County Community Foundation (LCCF) is to inspire and sustain generosity, leadership and service in our community.

Established in 1991, LCCF exists to provide nonprofit organizations in LaGrange County with a permanent source of support and to serve as a gateway for charitable donors. LCCF serves the citizens of LaGrange County and awards grants in five areas: education, basic health and human services, environment and nature, arts and culture, and recreation.

LCCF believes the strength of LaGrange County is displayed in neighbors giving to neighbors to enhance the quality of life in the community where we live. LCCF provides the opportunity to build on that strength through gifts to the following:

- LCCF Operating Fund
- LCCF Operating Endowment
- Caring Community Grantmaking Fund
- Where needed most

Health & Human Services

Good Samaritan Fund

The Good Samaritan Fund at LCCF was established to support local food pantries/food distributions and nonprofit organizations meeting basic needs for citizens impacted by the economic downturn.



During 2009 match dollars from LCCF and a variety of other sources have assisted in providing more funding to help neighbors in the community.

United Fund of LaGrange County Endowment

The United Fund of LaGrange County is a non-profit, volunteer driven organization working to improve quality of life for residents of LaGrange County. An annual campaign raises funds to support health and human service agencies which provide programs and services that help children and youth succeed, strengthen and support families, sustain people in crisis and promote self sufficiency.

Council on Aging Endowment

Comm. Dental Clinic Endowment

Elijah Haven Endowment

Lima U. Methodist Ch. Endowment

Scott U. Methodist Ch. Endowment

Scott Cemetery Fund Endowment

Education

Menno-Hof Endowment

Menno-Hof is a nonprofit organization operated by a board of Amish, Beachy Amish, Conservative Mennonite and Mennonite Church USA members with the goal of creatively presenting the history and values of the Anabaptists. Menno-Hof provides a variety of opportunities for experiences which promote understanding of the Amish-Mennonite culture.



Amish School Endowment

4-H Association Endowment

LaGrange Co. Library Endowment

Junior Achievement Endowment

Lakeland \$ for Scholars Endowment

Lakeland School Corp. Endowment

P.H. \$ for Scholars Endowment

Rainbow Years Endowment

Westview \$ for Scholars Endowment

Wolcott Mills PTO Schol. Endowment

Environment/Nature

Acres Endowment

ACRES, Inc. is a nonprofit organization focused on preserving what is left of forests, prairies and wetlands.



Animal Welfare Endowment

Jack L. Stark ACRES Property Fund

Recreation

Shed Endowment

This endowment was established to provide support to The Shed, a nonprofit organization which provides a safe environment for teens to be themselves, develop a sense of belonging, and build positive relationships. The Shed also provides youth with an opportunity to lead by example.



Youth for Christ Endowment

Arts & Culture

Cultural Arts Council of LaGrange County Endowment

The Cultural Arts Council Fund was established in 1993. The purpose of the fund is to provide support for the LaGrange County Cultural Arts Council and its programs. The fund has supported the Fort Wayne Philharmonic Holiday Pops presentation for residents of LaGrange County for many years.



LaGrange Civic Theater Endowment
Topeka Civic Endowment

Unique community impact funds

**Shipshewana Community Endowment
Stroh Community Endowment**

Enclosed is my Tax Deductible Contribution to:

LaGrange County Community Foundation

in the amount of \$ _____

In Memory of _____

Please notify the following a gift was made Honoring him/her:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

I would like my gift to go into the following fund:

Caring Community Grant Making Fund

LCCF Operating Fund

LCCF Operating Endowment

Where needed most

_____ (specify fund)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

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The LaGrange County Community Foundation, Inc. is a non-profit organization founded in 1991 to serve residents of LaGrange County. The foundation assists donors from all walks of life who want to create interest earning funds to improve the community they care about. The foundation currently manages assets of nearly \$7.5 million and in 2008 awarded over \$270,000 in grants and scholarships to local non-profit organizations and individuals (scholarships only).

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