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Break Time!!



The long awaited Thanksgiving break is soon upon us! For many students (especially new students) this stretch from the beginning of the semester to Thanksgiving can be the hardest part of the school year. Everyone has made it through midterms (mostly) sane, but a change of scenery (and warm home cookin'!) is long past due.

LCM prays for safe travels if you are headed out of town and some delightful down time as we take a moment to reflect on blessings and God's comforting presence in our lives.

The Story of One Alum

The Thanksgiving holiday backdrop offers an opportunity to share the story of one IU alum who is very thankful for the very personal impact LCM had on his life. Dan Tight attended graduate school at IU in the late 1990s. While in Bloomington...

"I got involved with LCM at IU very early on, as I was in a new place and trying to meet new people that shared the same beliefs and values that I did. One of the first things that I did with LCM was to go on a retreat for Lutheran students up in northern Indiana...Leah [Reddy, another retreat attendee] and I had gotten to know each other just very briefly before the retreat, but the retreat afforded us the opportunity to get to know each other quite a bit better. We started dating shortly after that, and got married in May of 2000. Some of the things that I remember best...were the student singing group [and] the [Sunday] lunches. LCM also helped the students to really feel like a part of St. Thomas, and not like outsiders/transients. I especially enjoyed singing in the choir and serving as deacon during services."



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There are **two new ways** you can support LCM from home.



If you shop for groceries and/or gas at **Kroger** we have a way for you to send a percentage of the money you spend directly to LCM-IU. All you need to do buy a reloadable Kroger shopping card from LCM and use it to pay for your purchases. Every time you reload the card LCM gets 5% of the money you add to the card. You can use it for grocery or gas purchases. Please email Lutheran@indiana.edu or call (812) 333-2474 for more details or to order a card.



You can also support LCM-IU as you search on the internet. Simply point your browser to www.goodsearch.com, insert "Lutheran Campus Ministry at Indiana University" in the "who do you Goodsearch for?" box. Every search you make sends a penny to LCM!

Your Partnership Drives LCM-IU

This is an exciting time for LCM-IU. Your support is provides resources our students reach out to one another in new, exciting ways. Increased student involvement adds new energy to our group. Whether it is through our weekly dinner as part of our "Life Together", or making sure the Rose House is stocked with essentials for providing a home-away-from-home, LCM seeks to be a place of welcome to students in need of a respite from school stress.

Thank you for all you do! We ask for your continued support for this mission outpost on campus. You can continue to support us by:

- Keeping LCM-IU in your personal and congregational prayers
- Sharing the campus ministry story with others.
- *Providing resources* so we can continue to be an oasis for students.
- Take a look at our "[wish list](#)" on our [website](#). What can you provide?

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