

# Donation Day

Since its beginning on the Springfield campus in the early 1900s, Donation Day has been an annual tradition at Concordia Theological Seminary. In recent years, districts and societies of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) have joined with the Seminary Guild to gather needed items for the Seminary's Food & Clothing Co-op. The LWML districts have funded mission grants to support the Food Co-op with resources to purchase fruits, vegetables, and other perishables.

- Dry and canned food items, toilet paper, paper towels, personal hygiene items, health care products, and disposable diapers are always welcome.
- There is always a need for new or used clothing, clean and in good repair, for all members of the family.
- Additionally, monetary donations are used to purchase food at low cost through local food banks.
- Bring your donations of food items or gently-used clothing and household items to the Food & Clothing Co-op.
- Gift cards to major local retailers, restaurants, as well as gas cards (all no larger than \$25) are always welcome. These cards are shared with the students at Christmastime.
- For more information on the Food & Clothing Co-op please contact the Co-op at (260) 452-2168 or Co-ops@ctsfcw.edu.

All Donation Day events will take place on the Concordia Theological Seminary campus, located at 6600 N. Clinton Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Please plan to drop off all your Donation Day items at the Food & Clothing Co-op. Workers will be available to assist you.

## Seminary Guild Events

**September 10, 2019**

**80th Anniversary Celebration**

Dr. Lawrence R. Rast Jr.

*CTFSW President and Professor of Historical Theology*

Luther Hall at 1:00 p.m.

**October 8, 2019**

**Donation Day**

Lance Hoffman

*Advancement Officer*

Student Commons at 9:00 a.m.

**November 5, 2019**

Jeff Rude

*Creative Dining Services Catering Coordinator*

Katherine Luther Dining Hall at 1:00 p.m.

**December 10, 2019**

**Christmas with the Kantorei**

Kramer Chapel at 1:00 p.m.

**February 11, 2020**

Kim Hosier

*Printing and Postal Service Manager*

Luther Hall at 1:00 p.m.

**March 10, 2020**

Dr. Paul Grime

*Dean of Chapel, Dean of Spiritual Formation, and*

*Professor of Pastoral Ministry and Missions*

Luther Hall at 1:00 p.m.

**April 14, 2020**

**Spring Luncheon**

Focus on the Seminary Deaconess Program

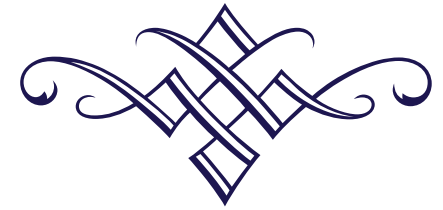
Luther Hall at 12:30 p.m.

*Join us in person or, if distance prevents your presence, pray with us and join as an associate member.*

For more information please contact

Phyllis Thieme at (260) 485-0209 or

SemGuild@ctsfcw.edu.



You are cordially invited to attend

# Donation Day

**Tuesday, October 8, 2019**

**9:00 a.m.–2:30 p.m.**

on the campus of

**Concordia Theological Seminary**

6600 N. Clinton Street

Fort Wayne, Indiana



Sponsored by the

**CTFSW**  
SEMINARY GUILD

# Keynote Speaker

Mr. Lance C. Hoffman joined the Advancement staff of Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne (CTSFW), in July 2016. His primary duty as an Advancement officer is to visit active and prospective donors, as well as congregations of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod (LCMS) for the purpose of raising financial support to fulfill the mission of the Seminary.



Prior to being called to the Seminary, Hoffman was called to serve as a teacher and coach at Concordia Lutheran High School (CLHS), Fort Wayne, for 26 years. While a student (Class of 1986), he was a standout athlete and was inducted into the CLHS Athletic Hall of Fame in 2015.

Hoffman is a graduate of Concordia University Wisconsin (CUW) in 1990, earning a BA in Education. He completed a MS from Indiana University in 2000. He played football while at CUW, twice being named to the N.A.I.A. All-American Team. He was inducted into the CUW Athletic Hall of Fame in 2002.

He and his wife, Linda (also a CUW graduate), have three adult children: Luke, Logan and wife Hannah, and Levi. They are members of Zion Lutheran Church, Corunna, Indiana.



*Concordia Theological Seminary  
exists to form servants  
in Jesus Christ  
who teach the faithful,  
reach the lost, and care for all.*



## Donation Day Schedule



**9:00–9:45 a.m.**

Registration and Fellowship with Students  
(Student Commons)

**10:00 a.m.**

Chapel Service followed by  
LWML Mission Grant Presentations  
(Kramer Chapel)

**11:30 a.m.**

Luncheon  
(Katherine Luther Dining Hall)

**12:30 p.m.**

Keynote Speaker Mr. Lance Hoffman  
*Advancement Office*

**1:30 p.m.**

Greetings from LWML District Presidents

**1:50 p.m.**

Thank You from Katherine Rittner  
*Director of the Food & Clothing Co-op*

**2:00 p.m.**

Closing Remarks and Prayer by  
Rev. James Fundum  
*Admission Counselor and Seminary Guild Advisor*

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## Donation Day Registration

Register by returning this form and your \$15 registration/luncheon fee to: Diane Hartmann, Attn: Seminary Guild, 10805 Keelboat Cove, New Haven, IN 46774, or email SemGuild@ctsfw.edu with payment made by cash or personal check on Donation Day.

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Congregation Name \_\_\_\_\_

Congregation City \_\_\_\_\_

RSVP by September 27, 2019