# S20202020 BECOME A SUSTAINING DONOR

The LCMNU Showcase on May 18 kicked off our 20 by 2020 campaign.

Our goal is to have 100 **new sustaining donors** by January 1, 2020.

A sustaining donor is anyone who gives \$20 or more monthly to support the ministry at LCMNU.

We already have 28 **new pledges** toward our goal of 100!

PLEASE CONSIDER BECOMING A NEW SUSTAINING DONOR OR INCREASING YOUR SUPPORT TO LCMNU.

We thank our present donors who have already donated in 2019 as sustaining donors.

We appreciate your support, and we count on it to keep campus ministry strong at Northwestern.

https://www.lcmnorthwestern.org/onlinedonations/

# **Upcoming Events**

Homecoming Weekend Worship Sunday, October 27 RSVP by October 23

**Family Weekend Worship** Sunday, November 10 RSVP by November 6

10 a.m. continental breakfast, 11 a.m. worship RSVP for breakfast by contacting lutherancm@u.northwestern.edu University Lutheran Center Lutheran Campus Ministry at Northwestern 2204 Orrington Ave. Evanston, Illinois 60201

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### Summer Update 2019

### **News from the Ministry**



LCMNU is a welcoming community experiencing, living, and sharing the love of God through scholarship, service, and faith.



Students at LCMNU's annual celebration of graduates and volunteers

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# Who are we called to be and what are we called to do at LCMNU?

These are the questions our student leaders asked on our annual leadership retreat. What they came up with are the guiding principles of LCMNU for the upcoming year.

### To intentionally...

- create a community of love where we connect to something bigger than ourselves
- impact our broader community through service and advocacy
- expand our boundaries and push ourselves to grow



Students enjoying the annual Back to School BBQ

### To be unafraid of ...

- welcoming, accepting, and supporting our neighbors in their needs alongside our own
- validating different callings within LCMNU and Northwestern
- humbling ourselves by listening, learning, and recognizing the image of God in others and ourselves



Students practicing before Campus Ministry Sunday

### To find strength and confidence...

- in the ability to grow as a community of vulnerability, trust, and compassion
- by building a lens that gives us clarity to live out our purpose
- to contribute, share, uplift, and celebrate our own and others' talents, voices, etc.



Students monthly packing lunches for Connections for the Homeless

## **Between the Books**

What has been going on at LCMNU for the past few months? We are proud of the following successful projects:

#### **Youth Night**

LCMNU welcomed youth from local congregations for an evening with college students and a workshop on liturgy led by Rev. Erik Christensen.

#### Spring Showcase

We welcomed over 150 guests to enjoy student music, Contra dancing, presentations, and food from a variety of generous local vendors. The Showcase also kicked off our 20 by 2020 fundraising campaign. Learn more on the other side of this page!

#### **Year End Celebration**

We gathered for a Pentecost worship and luncheon to thank volunteers from the past year and celebrate our graduating students.

#### **Connection for the Homeless Bag Lunches**

Students have packed over 400 bagged lunches for the Drop-In Shelter at Evanston's Connections for the Homeless.



Trevor Kalish '19 giving a talk at the Spring Showcase

Saturday October 19, 2019, 6-8 p.m.

# LCMNU presents: The 21theo Experience

21theo is the regular student-led Wednesday evening education hour following supper at LCMNU

Have you wondered what young Christian adults talk about? How do they explore their faith? Are their questions different from ones you asked when you were in college?

Here is your chance to experience 21theo in person. Please save the date to join us Saturday, October 19th at 6 p.m. The night will start with a light supper and evening prayer. At 7 p.m. we'll continue with 21theo. Come and see what this experience is like! **Freewill donations will be accepted.** 

More details to come. Mark your calendars now!