

Dear Prospective Sponsor,

On May 22, 2010, the men of Living Springs Lutheran Church will be hosting a golf tournament in memory of Shannon Long, one of our charter members. This is the ninth year of our tournament and we are all excited about the event. Our goal this year is to host 27 teams of 4 golfers each. The tournament will be held at The Golf Club of South Carolina at Crickentree in Blythewood, SC.

The proceeds of the tournament will be given to the Living Springs Mission Partnership Endowment Fund. Attached you will find additional information on this fund. Last year's tournament raised approximately \$5000.00 for the Endowment Fund.

We expect a large part of our funding support to come from hole sponsorships as well as some other opportunities listed below. All funds received from the sponsorships will go directly to the Living Springs Mission Partnership Endowment Fund. The cost to sponsor a hole is \$100.00.

Entry fees per team will be \$300. If you are interested in a hole sponsorship as well as a team entry, the cost will be \$350. The deadline for team entries and sponsorships will be May15, 2010.

For each sponsorship, the tee box will be marked with a quality sign as well as designation in programs to be issued to each golfer.

If you are unable to become a sponsor, we would appreciate any donations to be used as tournament prizes as well as door prizes. This year we are also looking for items to be used in a silent auction. Any contribution will be graciously accepted.

Thank you for your time and consideration. Please feel free to call me if you have any questions.

Bob Turnmire
Living Springs Lutheran Church
(803)865-1973

Please complete the following information in order for us to prepare your sign.

Information to be printed on Sign(s) _____

Name of Individual, Group or Firm _____

Address _____

Name and phone number of Contact Person _____

Please make checks payable to **Living Springs Lutheran Church**

Mail check and form to: Bob Turnmire
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Living Springs Mission Partnership Endowment Fund

Established in 1995 in memory of Gary Shannon Long, son of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. E. Edward Long. Pastor Long was the Mission Developer of Living Springs Lutheran Church.

The encouragement, prayers and financial support in the early days of the life of Living Springs Lutheran Church by a congregation in far away Iowa, made a profound impression upon Pastor Long, his family, and other charter members of Living Springs. Trinity Lutheran Church, New Hampton, Iowa, adopted Living Springs as their mission congregation.

The establishment of the Living Springs Mission Partnership Endowment Fund is a way of expressing thanks to the members of Trinity Lutheran Church. It is also a commitment that Living Springs Lutheran Church will always be involved in the establishment of new Lutheran congregations by annually financially supporting the development of a new congregation with earnings from the endowment.

The funds shall be invested in the ELCA MISSION INVESTMENT FUND. Only earnings from the funds may be used. The corpus must remain invested.

In 2001, the Men of Living Springs have made a commitment to host an annual golf tournament to raise funds for the Living Springs Mission Partnership Endowment Fund.