

**Thank you** for helping “*build bridges of hope in Jesus’ name*” as you participate in the 40<sup>th</sup> Harvest of Talents with your prayers, talents, time, and resources!

Contact the Church Office (217-732-7618), Natalie (217-737-7254) or Carolyn (217-737-9170)

**Volunteers are needed and always appreciated!**

Ruby Red is the color of the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary; see the Harvest Ministry Team in ruby red aprons!

- to make candy for the Candy Booth (please label if it contains nuts or peanut butter)
- to help make breakfast rolls, no experience needed (Jackson at 217-314-070)
- to be a greeter at the entrances on Harvest Day, October 28
- to help set up/take down booths, decorate outside, and clean up during/after auction
- to donate beautiful fall decorations for outdoor/indoor use (want to coordinate?!)
- to donate new handcrafted items, suitable for gift-giving (nothing used or needing repair)
- to make fresh baked goods from your favorite recipes & wonderful homemade pies
- to help create a 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Photo-Op area
- to donate fresh pecans for the caramel pecan rolls
- to donate toward the cost of supplies for the ‘**God Always Provides**’ food-packing event (sign up to participate on Harvest Day: 8-Noon, 1 hour shifts, 4 tables of 10 people)
- to donate cartons of soda pop, water bottles (for outdoor beverage station/during auction)
- to volunteer your tech savvy to help record Harvest stories during Harvest Day
- to sign up to carry a flag on Celebration Sunday at all three services
- to volunteer a service/talent for the live or silent auctions
- to let us know if you are celebrating a 40<sup>th</sup> birthday or 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary this year, too!
- to let us know who could refurbish our outdoor Harvest sign
- to help where needed ~ Blessings all around!

**Check-in donated items at the Welcome Center:**

- **Tuesday**, October 24, **4-7 p.m.**
- **Wednesday**, October 25, and **Thursday**, October 26, **Noon-7 p.m.**  
(To allow for pricing and placement, please check in **all** handcrafted items **by Thursday evening.**)
- **Friday**, October 27, **11 a.m. - 7 p.m.**  
(Fresh baked goods, pies, and last-minute donations from out-of-town)

**On behalf of the hungry, ‘Thank You’ for your faithful support and prayers!**

- Sign up for the **40 Days of Prayer Calendar**, daily online version, at [harvestoftalents.org](http://harvestoftalents.org)
- Consider making a **donation in loving memory of Pat Snyder**, Harvest Founder  
(Checks payable to **Lincoln Christian Church**, Memo: *Harvest of Talents Memorial Gift*)
- **Fill a blue IDES Fish Bank** with coins/cash and turn in before Harvest Day
- **Your Monetary Donations of any size!**  
(All supplies, time, and expenses are donated, so that every penny you spend at Harvest goes for hunger relief through missionaries in Jesus’ name.)

**Welcome to Celebration Sunday, October 29, at Lincoln Christian Church**

All funds raised will be presented to International Disaster Emergency Service (IDES) to aid hunger victims around the world during Worship Services at 8:15, 9:30, and 10:45

