



# MEMBER ENROLLMENT and AUTHORIZATION FORM

Electronic Fund Transfer for contributions to SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH, DEERWOOD MN

Check the appropriate box:

- New enrollment/authorization \*
- Change in bank account \*
- Change in authorized amount

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone \_\_\_\_\_

Donations/payments should be taken from:

- Checking (attach a voided check)
- Savings (attach a savings deposit slip)

Routing Number \_\_\_\_\_

Valid Routing # must start with 0, 1, 2, or 3

Account Number \_\_\_\_\_

### REQUIRED:

I authorize Thrivent Financial for Lutherans and Vanco Services, LLC to automatically withdraw donations/ payments from my account. I have attached a voided check or savings deposit slip. This authority will remain in effect until I give reasonable notification to terminate the authorization.

Account Holder Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\* ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK OR SAVINGS DEPOSIT SLIP FOR A NEW ENROLLMENT OR CHANGE IN BANK ACCOUNT ONLY**

Congregation Name: SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH Street Address: 21276 Archibald Road

Mailing Address P.O. Box 100 City: Deerwood State: MN Zip: 56444

### Church Fund Designations:

### Amount Per Donation

### Frequency of Donation: (Please check only one)

General/ Operating \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Building \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL DONATION AMOUNT \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (minimum \$5)

Date of First Donation \_\_\_\_\_

- Semi-monthly (transferred on 1st and 15<sup>th</sup> of each month)
- Monthly on the 1st
- Monthly on the 15<sup>th</sup>
- Quarterly on the 1st (every three months beginning "Date of First Donation")

*Note: The total amount will be transferred based on the frequency selected.*

**\* REQUIRED \*\*\* MUST BE COMPLETED BY CONGREGATION / INSTITUTION**

Congregation / Institution Code \_\_\_\_\_ Envelope Number \_\_\_\_\_ Verifier Initials \_\_\_\_\_

# *SIMPLY GIVING*

## **A simple choice; a generous response**

### **ENROLLMENT INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **The *Simply Giving* Program**

Through *Simply Giving*®, your offerings are made through a pre-authorized withdrawal from your bank account. You determine the frequency of your automatic donation, monthly or semi-monthly – the option is yours. Your donation is deposited into Salem’s bank account on the same day it is withdrawn from your account.

#### **Benefits to you and... Salem**

*Simply Giving*® is a reliable, safe way to move your stewardship plan into action. It allows you to share your donations through planned giving and activates your generosity into ongoing stewardship. This is literally “first fruits” giving, as you decide up front the level of your giving. Because your donation is given consistently, you won’t need to play “catch-up” at year-end or worry about forgotten checkbooks or missed Sunday offerings. But you’re not the only one that benefits. Your congregation benefits from steady, more predictable donations throughout the year, more efficient bookkeeping, and greater confidence in meeting its financial commitments.

#### **Why does Thrivent Financial for Lutherans offer the *Simply Giving*® program?**

Thrivent Financial for Lutherans offers *Simply Giving*® to further its mission of serving Lutheran congregations and institutions. You do not need to be a member of Thrivent or hold any Thrivent products to participate.

#### **Who do I call if I have more questions about the *Simply Giving*® program?**

Contact Sandy Beyer, Salem’s Financial Manager, at the church (218) 534-3309. Sandy typically works Mondays & Wednesdays, 8AM - 12PM and 1PM - 5 PM, as well as Thursday mornings.

#### **How do I cancel or change my authorization?**

Once again contact Sandy Beyer, Salem’s Financial Manager, at the church (218) 534-3309

#### **How do I participate?**

Complete the form on the reverse side and return it to the office at Salem.

1. Using black ink, complete the personal information section including name, address and telephone numbers.
2. Indicate whether this is a new enrollment/authorization, a change in amount, or a change in bank account.
3. Indicate the account type, routing number and account number. Attach a voided check or savings deposit slip to the enrollment form for a new enrollment or change in bank account.
4. Sign and date the Account Holder Signature section.
5. Designate which fund(s) your donation should go to and the amount.
6. Select the frequency of your offering.
7. Indicate the date of the first donation.
8. Return the completed enrollment form to Salem.

**PRIVACY / CONFIDENTIALITY:** The Authorization Form on the reverse side is seen by the nonprofit Lutheran organizations enrolled in *Simply Giving*® (for example the Financial Manager of Salem Lutheran Church of Deerwood) as well as by the Vanco Services employees who process it. In addition, participant name and address information may be provided to Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. Participant information will not be shared with any other organizations.

***See reverse side for Authorization Form.***