



ST. LUKE'S
IOWA HEALTH SYSTEM

What It Means to Belong to St. Luke's Partners

St. Luke's Partners(formerly know as St. Luke's Auxiliary) is made up of nearly 500 men and women in the Siouxland community. There are no formal requirements to join this organization other than a desire to support St. Luke's in some capacity including doing volunteer work, making financial contributions, and/or simply acting as loyal advocates of St. Luke's in the surrounding area.

Members are invited to three general membership meetings each year. These meetings are in January, April and September. In addition to a brief business luncheon or brunch meeting, these functions generally include a presentation on updates in services or technology at the hospital. They are also very social gatherings and provide an excellent opportunity to make connections with other members and to enjoy some good local entertainment.

The Partners are very involved in fundraising for St. Luke's and Children's Miracle Network. Funds are generated by the Glass Apple Gift Shop, Book Fairs, Jewelry Fairs and Mountain Man Fruit & Nut Company sales. Revenue from these fundraisers provides funding for major projects such as a \$250,000 contribution for the NICU renovation. Any department at St. Luke's may apply for St. Luke's Partners grants to provide needed equipment, facility renovations, or staff education. A Membership Contribution Campaign is held annually to offer the members a chance to personally contribute to a St. Luke's project designated to benefit from those donations. Past projects have included the S.A.N.E. Room (Sexual Assault Examiner Room) and the TCAB project.

Other fundraising efforts are dedicated to CMN such as the Miracle Pennies Campaign in April and Santa's House in December.