

Maximize your donation to Raise ‘em Up by becoming part of the PGRS \$50,000 Matching Gift opportunity!

The PGRS Matching Gift Opportunity- PRAY about your gift to Salem Lutheran School, GIVE as you can and are blessed to do so, RAISE up those funds to provide for current needs and programs for our students to go out and SERVE in their community!

Raise ‘em Up has as its goal to raise up funds for current budgetary needs as well as those unbudgeted expenses that occurred in response to COVID 19 – cleaning supplies, safety equipment, signage, additional tuition reduction requests, instructional technology, etc. If our needs are met and we experience additional funds, we are hoping to better secure the campus perimeter, plan for expanding outdoor athletic facilities, and begin the ground work for a multi-grade SMART lab.

An anonymous donor has provided us with an extremely generous opportunity to “raise up” additional funds to be matched up to \$50,000! So, whether you choose to donate a \$1, or \$100, or \$1000, or \$10,000, it will double!

If your corporation has a matching gift program that matches your gift to a non-profit agency, this is the time to leverage this opportunity, too!

You may choose to give online through the link provided, or you may bring in a check, or mail a check, made out to “Salem Lutheran School,” **attention PGRS Match**. Please note that monetary gifts provided by credit card cost the school 2.85% of the amount, an ACH draft is only 25 cents per transaction, and no fee at all if a check is provided. Salem Lutheran School is a 501 c 3 nonprofit organization and provides the donor with the opportunity for a tax deduction.

As part of the CARES Act, a new deduction for 2020 is available up to \$300 per taxpayer (\$600 for a married couple) in annual charitable contributions to people who take the standard deduction. It is an “above the line” adjustment to income to reduce a donor’s adjustment gross income (AGI),and thereby reduce taxable income.

As part of the bill, individuals and corporations that itemize can deduct much greater amounts of their contributions. Individuals can elect to deduct donations up to 100% of their AGI (up from 60% previously).

Consider maximizing your gift with this amazing PGRS Matching Gift opportunity and RAISING UP those funds to benefit our students!

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