



**HELPING HAND AWARD  
NOMINATION FORM - 2016**

*Deadline for submission is August 15*

**The Award**

Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries established the Helping Hand Award to recognize outstanding volunteer service to ALSM, whether in “hands-on service”, agency leadership, or financial support.

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Criteria**

The recipient of this Award is someone who:

1. Is an active volunteer for Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries (includes “hands-on” volunteer work, agency leadership, or financial support);
2. Has rendered significant service to the agency through volunteering;
3. Has, by example and/or personal invitation, encouraged others to provide volunteer resources for the agency;
4. Has demonstrated a positive image of ALSM in the community; and
5. Has demonstrated personal integrity and compassion for people in the service rendered.

With specific reference to each of the criteria for this Award, explain why you believe that this nominee would be a worthy recipient.

**1. Volunteer Activities at ALSM .** Please describe volunteer role of nominee including agency leadership through board of trustees and board committee positions; auxiliary membership and/or auxiliary officer; hands-on volunteer in an ALSM program/facility; etc. \_\_\_\_\_

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**2. Significance of Service.** Please describe the approximate number of volunteer hours, length of service, or time commitment per hour of the nominee. \_\_\_\_\_

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- 3. Encouragement of Others.** Please give an example of an activity/efforts of the nominee to involve others in ALSM (such as congregation key person; recruits members for auxiliary; etc.). \_\_\_\_\_
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- 4. Promotion of Agency.** Please give an example of how the nominee represents himself/herself as an ambassador for ALSM in the general community. \_\_\_\_\_
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- 5. Personal Integrity and Compassion.** Please give an example of the nominee's efforts on behalf of ALSM to serve others. \_\_\_\_\_
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Submitted By: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to: Office of Advancement  
 Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries  
 998 Logan Blvd.  
 Altoona, PA 16602  
 814.696.4560

**Past Award Recipients**

- 1999 - Dean and Betty Grove, Petersburg, PA
- 2000 - Ruth Marshall, Martinsburg, PA
- 2001 - Dorothy Naugle, Hooversville, PA
- 2002 - Jim and Sylvia Collanbine, Hollidaysburg, PA
- 2003 - Helen Watters, Johnstown, PA
- 2004 - Robert and Jeanne Kunes, Hollidaysburg, PA
- 2005 - Nancy Pannebaker, Hollidaysburg, PA
- 2006 - Joyce Schimminger, Altoona, PA
- 2007 - Alfreda Ellis, Altoona, PA
- 2008 - Lucille Magnusson, State College, PA
- 2009 - Greer Koeller, First Lutheran Church, Johnstown, PA
- 2009 - Caryl Swanson, First Lutheran Church, Johnstown, PA
- 2010 - Phyllis Hultman, Zion Lutheran Church, Hollidaysburg, PA
- 2011 - Eileen Heffley, Davidsville, PA
- 2012 - Virginia McClure, Bellefonte, PA
- 2013 - Bonnie Miller, Grace Lutheran Church, State College, PA
- 2014 - Jeanne Fleegle, Moxhan Lutheran Church, Johnstown, PA
- 2015 - Lois Gallus, Mount Calvary Lutheran Church, Johnstown, PA

**All nomination forms must be returned by August 15, 2016 to be considered for this year.**