



# Thrivent Builds Congregational Champion Role Description

## Thrivent Builds Congregational Champion responsibilities

Provide education, leadership and encouragement at the congregation level for Thrivent Builds efforts. In addition, the Congregational Champion:

- Supports local Thrivent Builds work efforts, including recruiting volunteers within the congregation.
- Works closely with Thrivent Builds Chapter Specialist to achieve and monitor fundraising and volunteer goals.
- Oversees congregational fundraising efforts to support *Thrivent Builds Homes* and reports results to the Thrivent Builds Chapter Specialist or online.
- Identifies Thrivent Financial for Lutherans members and others within the congregation to form service teams to raise funds and provide volunteers to support Thrivent Builds efforts.

## How much time will this position require?

Volunteers in this role can expect to spend three to four hours a week during peak periods, such as in the months preceding a build. There can be more than one person appointed to take on the roles listed above, reducing the number of hours each person needs to contribute.

## What knowledge, skills and qualities will the person need to fulfill the role?

- Passion and commitment for the Thrivent Builds program.
- Desire to engage Thrivent Financial members, Lutherans and others in meaningful volunteer opportunities.
- Organizational and motivational skills.
- Ability to attract volunteers.
- Access to the Internet and email strongly encouraged.
- Ability to track funds and report basic fundraising and administrative information, either online or to the Chapter Specialist.

**Note: Current Congregational Coordinators may agree to hold this position in addition to continuing in their current role.**

## What are the benefits?

- Firsthand experience in mobilizing volunteers to make a difference in your community.
- Satisfaction of knowing that you are making a vital difference in your local community.
- A sense of belonging to a nationwide Thrivent Builds community.