



Community Foundation
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CFMC to Offer Free Dinner and Report to the County on Aug. 27

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MORGAN COUNTY, Ind. – The Community Foundation of Morgan County would like to invite county residents to enjoy a free dinner on Thurs., August 27 at Faith Church in Martinsville at 6:30 p.m.

The “Philanthropy Lives in Morgan County” dinner will begin with fried chicken, sides and dessert. After the meal, Executive Director Tom Zoss will share stories of how the foundation helped friends and neighbors over the past year.

“With the economy in a recession, we have seen needs in our community rise, and our donors and fellow non-profits have helped us fulfill many of those needs,” Zoss said. “Our dinner will be a celebration of the efforts of our board of directors, our organization, and the community as well.”

After last year’s flood, the foundation opened the Morgan County Disaster Relief Fund to raise money for the flood recovery efforts. The foundation later became the fiscal agent for the Morgan County Long Term Recovery Committee.

The foundation also helped several families continue the legacy of their loved ones, such as the family of Ben Elo. The Elo family sponsored their first soccer camp this summer and raised over \$9,000 for the Ben Elo Memorial Fund, which will provide a scholarship, character award, and grief counseling, among other services.

Stories and updates such as these as well as information on grant and scholarship recipients will be presented at the dinner and the foundation’s newest annual report will also be available.

Everyone is invited to attend. The dinner also provides an opportunity for past board and committee members to catch up on foundation news.

There is no RSVP required, and the foundation hopes that all its friends and neighbors will join the celebration. Faith Church is located at the corner of State Roads 44 and 37 in Martinsville. The event will be casual and family friendly.

More information is available by calling the CFMC office locally at (317) 831-1232 or toll-free (877) 822-6958. Interested individuals may also visit the CFMC Web site online at www.cfmconline.org.