## LifeSource

## A Faithful Witness: The Lifesaving Gift of Organ Donation



- All major religions in the United States support donation and consider it a generous act of caring.
- Every year, organ, eye and tissue donations provide hope to tens of thousands of people suffering from disease, injury and trauma. In Minnesota alone, over 2,100 people are on the waiting list for a lifesaving organ transplant, yet only 50% of people are registered as donors.

- The donation of organs in a morally acceptable manner, at the end of life, offers the gifts of the health and life to those who are most vulnerable and who are at times without hope. It is one of the many pro-life positions an individual can choose to foster a culture that values life in our world.
- LifeSource partners with communities, families and healthcare professionals to save and heal lives through excellence in organ, eye and tissue donation in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and western Wisconsin.
- LifeSource has a legal and ethical obligation to save and heal lives through organ donation and transplantation through excellence in recovery, and by compassionately respecting the donor and family's wishes throughout the transplantation process.
- Learn more about organ donation and what you can do as a faith community: www.lifesource.org/latest/donor-sabbathan-interfaith-initiative



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