

# Lutheran Church Charities

## Comfort Dogs - WI

\$21,000



The Comfort Dogs are a bridge for compassionate ministry, opening doors for conversation about faith and creating opportunities to share the mercy, compassion, presence, and proclamation of Jesus Christ. With seven Comfort Dogs currently placed in Wisconsin, each host entity is responsible for most of the costs of having the dog. This grant will help with the costs of deployment, which is expensive. However, the need is urgent, and these dogs are ready to go when called. Your support will enable us to respond quickly to disasters and tragic events.

**Mission Grant Prayer:** Lord, You are the Creator of all. You created us in Your image, created all animals, and gave them to us for our physical and emotional needs. When great tragedy occurs, You have given us these creatures to hold and love to reflect how You hold us in Your hands and the love You provide to us, which we might receive through Word and Sacrament and conversations of faith and life. Use this grant to help the Comfort Dogs and their handlers go where they are most needed, and bless their work as they provide physical comfort so that You can provide spiritual healing through Your Son, Jesus Christ. In His healing love. Amen.



**Together in Christ**

**we are motivated to love, serve, gather, and encourage**



*And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. Hebrews 10:24-25*