

UniPlace Christian Church Community Dinner Sponsorship Program

Since 2012, UniPlace Christian Church has hosted a free community dinner for those in the Champaign-Urbana community. Every Wednesday during the University of Illinois academic school year, students at the university volunteer in the UniPlace Christian Church kitchen where they serve free meals to those who live in the Champaign-Urbana community.

Since 2012, UniPlace has served over 10,000 meals to those in the Champaign-Urbana Community.

- Each community dinner has approximately 100 participants.
- About 400 students from the University of Illinois volunteer at the UniPlace Community Dinner each year. Starting in 2018, we will also be hiring at-risk high school students in our kitchen to learn about the culinary business.
- While the meals are free for anyone who attends the community dinner, it costs UniPlace \$2.00 per meal or \$200 each week to pay for each dinner.
- With the discontinuation of free meals being served at The Time Center, UniPlace has seen an increase of attendees at the community dinner—particularly those struggling with hunger and housing related issues.

Sponsor A Meal!

By sponsoring a Community Dinner for \$200, your business will be able to feed 100 individuals. Your business's information, logos, and advertising information will be listed on all promotional material for the dinner you sponsor including our church sign and our church's website and social media. Your business leaders will also be invited to attend the dinner in person. Your sponsorship is also tax deductible and you will receive a receipt for you dinner sponsorship.

For more information on UniPlace Community Dinner sponsorship, contact UniPlace Christian Church at 217-352-5118.