



Fast Facts About Legacy Giving

If you hear “planned giving” or “legacy giving” and think it’s only for people older or wealthier than you—or that it’s just too confusing—you’re not alone. However, legacy giving is for people of all ages and economic positions, and it doesn’t have to be difficult.

Check out these common planned giving misconceptions and get the answers you need.

#1. Legacy gifts are complicated and confusing.

They don’t have to be. There are many types of planned gifts: Most are simple and affordable, like a gift in your will or living trust. You just need to find the one that best meets your needs. We can help you find the best gift for you, just contact Mike on the Philanthropy team today!

#2. Legacy gifts are only for the wealthy.

Anyone can make a legacy gift—no matter if your estate is worth \$100 or one million dollars. Gifts of all sizes make a difference at the St. Louis Area Foodbank. In fact, you may even be able to make a bigger impact than you thought possible when you make a planned gift.

#3. Wills are only for older adults.

Having a plan for the future is important—no matter your age. An estate plan makes your wishes known and provides your loved ones with peace of mind.

Include the St. Louis Area Foodbank in Your Future Plans

By including a gift to the St. Louis Area Foodbank in your estate plans, you can help ensure that future generations grow up healthy - not hungry.

We can help you get started. Contact Derek May at dmay@stlfoodbank.org or 314-292-5398 for help finding the right gift for you.

To learn more about different legacy giving options, visit www.stlfoodbank.org/legacy.