



# THE **big** **give** BACK

The Thrivent Member Network will be blessing five Thrivent Choice organizations in its annual, **The Big Give Back**. Five local Thrivent Choice organizations will be selected for the opportunity to highlight their mission and community impact. Then the Thrivent Member Network along with each of the selected Thrivent Choice Organizations will spread the word and earn votes for their cause. Voting will take place online Oct. 12-18 via an online link where participants can cast their vote for their favorite Thrivent Choice organization for the opportunity to help the Thrivent Member Network award \$25,000 in Community Grants.

**Want the opportunity to be selected ... Apply Today!**

## **Community Grant Awards**

A total of \$25,000 in Community Grants will be awarded during **The Big Give Back** interactive campaign.

- First Prize: Community Grant of \$10,000
- Second Prize: Community Grant of \$5,000
- Third Prize: Community Grant of \$5,000
- Fourth Prize: Community Grant of \$2,500
- Fifth Prize: Community Grant of \$2,500

\*Community Grants will be awarded based on public voting during this live interactive online event from Oct. 12-18. One vote per person per email address during the voting period.

## **Eligibility**

Applicants must be an incorporated, nonprofit organization that is exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Must operate and serve communities in Ohio, Pennsylvania or West Virginia. Must be a current Thrivent Choice Recipient in good standings with Thrivent. Non-Profit Finalist from our 2023 or 2024 Take The Plunge or The Big Give Back and Carols For A Cause events are ineligible for this year's event.

## **How To Apply**

Please submit application to:  
The Thrivent Member Network at  
[OhioValleyTMN@Thrivent.com](mailto:OhioValleyTMN@Thrivent.com)  
*Subject:* The Big Give Back Application

**Completed applications must be submitted by 12:00pm ET on Friday, August 1, 2025.** Incomplete applications will not be considered.

## **Selected Non-Profit Organization**

Selected organizations will be announced Friday, August 22, 2025. Non-Profit Organizations will be notified via email.

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Application Due No Later Than 12:00pm ET on Friday, August 1, 2025

**Non-Profit Name:**

**Address:**

**City:**

**State:**

**Zip Code:**

**Website Address:**

**Please Select Which Social Media Platforms Your Non-Profit Organization Uses.** If yes, please provide Social Media Handle:

Facebook

Instagram

Twitter

**Contact Name:**

**Contact Email:**

**Contact Phone Number:**

**If selected, are you or a representative from your Non-Profit Organization available to participate in the following online event activities:**

Yes  No  **Kick Off Call:** Thursday, September 18, 2025 at 10:00am ET

Yes  No  **Check In Call:** Thursday, October 9, 2025 at 10:00am ET

Yes  No  **Promotion of Online Voting:** Sunday, October 12 - Saturday, October 18

**If your organization was not selected for The Big Give Back. Would you be interested in being selected for similar events?**

Yes  No

**Tell us about your organization.**

Please include your mission, who you serve, and what makes your organization different. (Maximum of 1250 Characters)

**What problem/issue/community need are you addressing within your Non-Profit Organization?**

Please explain what your organization needs and why? Share more about your target audience and geographic focus. (Maximum of 2000 Characters)

**If you were to be selected, how grant further the mission of your Non-Profit Organization?**

Please explain how the community grant would be utilized within your Non-Profit Organization. (Maximum of 2000 Characters)