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Form **990**
 Department of the Treasury
 Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)
 The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

OMB No 1545-0047
2011
Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning 10-01-2011 and ending 09-30-2012

B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	C Name of organization LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS Doing Business As	D Employer identification number 56-1286323
	Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite PO BOX 2369	E Telephone number (704) 637-2870
City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 SALISBURY, NC 281452369		G Gross receipts \$ 14,442,172
F Name and address of principal officer TED GOINS PO BOX 2369 SALISBURY, NC 281452369		H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all affiliates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number
I Tax-exempt status <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) () (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		
J Website: WWW LFSCAROLINAS ORG		
K Form of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other		L Year of formation 1980 M State of legal domicile NC

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS (LFS) IS DEDICATED TO ONE SIMPLE GOAL, HELPING THE MOST VULNERABLE IN NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA EMBRACING CHRIST'S CALL TO SERVE, LFS WALKS ALONGSIDE THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITIES AS THEY JOURNEY THROUGH HEALING AND WHOLENESS WE HELP PLACE CHILDREN IN LOVING FOSTER AND ADOPTIVE HOMES, PROVIDE COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES TO ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, AID VETERANS IN REGAINING INDEPENDENCE, HELP REFUGEES ACCLIMATE TO LIFE IN A NEW COUNTRY AND COUNSEL FAMILIES IN THEIR TIME OF NEED		
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets		
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	19
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	18
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2011 (Part V, line 2a)	276
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	700
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	0
7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34		
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year: 377,193 Current Year: 1,827,191
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	3,500,042 12,454,441
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	138,741 21,690
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	27,645 138,005
	12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	4,043,621 14,441,327
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	66,406 202,758
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	1,887,575 7,059,687
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0
	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 94,738	
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	1,821,638 7,365,870
18	Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	3,775,619 14,628,315	
19	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	268,002 -186,988	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year: 3,430,095 End of Year: 2,820,736
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	6,413,149 6,079,027
	22	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	-2,983,054 -3,258,291

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here	***** Signature of officer	2013-02-11 Date		
	TED GOINS PRESIDENT Type or print name and title			
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature ANTHONY T PANDISCIA	Date 2013-02-13	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	Preparer's taxpayer identification number (see instructions)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 LANGDON & COMPANY LLP 223 US HIGHWAY 70 EAST SUITE 100 GARNER, NC 275294051			EIN Phone no (919) 662-1001

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) Yes No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission
 LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS (LFS) IS DEDICATED TO ONE SIMPLE GOAL, HELPING THE MOST VULNERABLE IN NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA EMBRACING CHRIST'S CALL TO SERVE, LFS WALKS ALONGSIDE THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITIES AS THEY JOURNEY THROUGH HEALING AND WHOLENESS WE HELP PLACE CHILDREN IN LOVING FOSTER AND ADOPTIVE HOMES, PROVIDE COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES TO ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, AID VETERANS IN REGAINING INDEPENDENCE, HELP REFUGEES ACCLIMATE TO LIFE IN A NEW COUNTRY AND COUNSEL FAMILIES IN THEIR TIME OF NEED

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No
 If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No
 If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a (Code) (Expenses \$ 6,446,563 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 6,909,856)
 LFS OFFERS FAMILY AND THERAPEUTIC FOSTER CARE TO MEET THE SPECIAL PHYSICAL AND EMOTIONAL NEEDS OF THE VULNERABLE CHILDREN IN OUR CARE SOME CHILDREN SUFFER FROM MEDICAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS FETAL ALCOHOL SYNDROME AND DRUG ADDICTION OLDER CHILDREN CAN HAVE EMOTIONAL AND BEHAVIORAL ISSUES AND ARE GIVEN COUNSELING WHEN NEEDED MANY FAMILIES WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ADOPT WHEN REUNIFICATION WITH A CHILD'S BIOLOGICAL FAMILY IS NOT POSSIBLE FINDING PERMANENT, SAFE, AND SUPPORTIVE FAMILIES FOR CHILDREN IS THE GOAL OF LFS FOSTER CARE

4b (Code) (Expenses \$ 1,673,762 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 1,276,056)
 LFS GROUP HOMES FOR CHILDREN SERVE YOUTH WHO HAVE ANY COMBINATION OF EMOTIONAL, MENTAL, AND PHYSICAL PROBLEMS, AND PROVIDE A HAVEN WHERE THEY LEARN RESPONSIBILITY AND RESPECT FOR SELF AND OTHERS CHILDREN COME TO LFS THROUGH COURT ORDER OR DEPARTMENTS OF SOCIAL SERVICES AND MENTAL HEALTH INDEPENDENT LIVING SKILLS ARE INSTILLED AND YOUTH LEARN HOW TO MANAGE THEIR BEHAVIORS AND LIVE COOPERATIVELY IN THE COMMUNITY

4c (Code) (Expenses \$ 2,867,514 including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 2,426,158)
 LFS PROVIDES RESIDENTIAL SERVICES FOR ADULTS COPING WITH VARIOUS DEGREES OF AUTISM, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY, MENTAL ILLNESS, AND SYMPTOMS RESULTING FROM TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY SELF-SUFFICIENCY IS TAUGHT AND ENCOURAGED IN THESE HOMES, THOUGH MANY CLIENTS WILL LIVE OUT THEIR LIVES WITH LFS

(Code) (Expenses \$ 1,172,536 including grants of \$ 202,758) (Revenue \$ 1,842,370)
 OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES INCLUDE ADOPTION, COUNSELING, REFUGEE, COMMUNITY- BASED PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVES AND DISASTER RESPONSE

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)
 (Expenses \$ 1,172,536 including grants of \$ 202,758) (Revenue \$ 1,842,370)

4e Total program service expenses \$ 12,160,375

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I.</i>		No
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II.</i>		No
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III.</i>		No
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes,' then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional.</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E.</i>		No
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		No
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I.</i>		No
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the U S? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II and IV.</i>		No
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the U S? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III and IV.</i>		No
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000, of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I.</i>		No
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II.</i>		No
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III.</i>		No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H.</i>		No
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach its audited financial statement to this return? Note. All Form 990 filers that operated one or more hospitals must attach audited financial statements.		

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

<p>21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>21</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>22</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>
<p>23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5, about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>23</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>
<p>24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25</i></p>	<p>24a</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?</p>	<p>24b</p>	<p></p>	<p></p>
<p>c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?</p>	<p>24c</p>	<p></p>	<p></p>
<p>d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?</p>	<p>24d</p>	<p></p>	<p></p>
<p>25a Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i></p>	<p>25a</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i></p>	<p>25b</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i></p>	<p>26</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i></p>	<p>27</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties? (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)</p>			
<p>a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i></p>	<p>28a</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i></p>	<p>28b</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i></p>	<p>28c</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>29</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>
<p>30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>30</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i></p>	<p>31</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i></p>	<p>32</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>33</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>34</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>
<p>35a Is any related organization a controlled entity of the filing organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?</p>	<p>35a</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>
<p>b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>35b</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>
<p>36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>36</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>37</p>	<p></p>	<p>No</p>
<p>38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O</p>	<p>38</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p></p>

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

Table with columns for question number, question text, and Yes/No columns. Includes rows for 1a, 1b, 1c, 2a, 2b, 3a, 3b, 4a, 4b, 5a, 5b, 5c, 6a, 6b, 7, 7a, 7b, 7c, 7d, 7e, 7f, 7g, 7h, 8, 9, 9a, 9b, 10, 10a, 10b, 11, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 13, 13a, 13b, 13c, 14a, 14b.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a (19), 1b (18), 2 (No), 3 (Yes), 4 (Yes), 5 (No), 6 (No), 7a (No), 7b (No), 8a (Yes), 8b (Yes), 9 (No).

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a (No), 10b, 11a (Yes), 11b, 12a (Yes), 12b (Yes), 12c (Yes), 13 (Yes), 14 (Yes), 15a (Yes), 15b (Yes), 16a (No), 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public. See Additional Data Table.
20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization.

Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any See instructions for definition of "key employee "
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order individual trustees or directors, institutional trustees, officers, key employees, highest compensated employees, and former such persons

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organizations compensated any current or former officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) TED GOINS JR PRESIDENT	40 00	X		X				0	233,724	8,258
(2) REV SUSAN BAME DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(3) REV DR LEONARD BOLICK DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(4) JERRY BRAMLEY DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(5) DR JOHN BUMGARNER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(6) JOYCE ERICSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(7) REV MARY FINKLEA DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(8) JOY FISHER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(9) REV DR THOMAS HURLOCKER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(10) JOYCELYN JOHNSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(11) KAYE LEONARD DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(12) BETTY LOHR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(13) DR SHANNON MATHEWS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(14) LORETTA MEYERS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(15) DOUG NELSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(16) DEREK SHOEMAKE DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
(17) STEVE STANFIELD-SWITZER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0

Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) ERIC VAUGHN DIRECTOR	1 00	X					0	0	0	
(19) REV DR HERMAN YOOS III DIRECTOR	1 00	X					0	0	0	
(20) ELIZABETH KUHN DIRECTOR R&D	40 00			X			0	109,483	6,108	
(21) MYRA GRIFFIE CHIEF OPER	40 00			X			104,904	0	5,588	
(22) KESHA SMITH CHIEF ADMIN	40 00			X			0	103,810	6,286	
(23) JOHN BURNS EXECUTIVE DI	40 00			X			100,009	0	5,451	
(24) JEFFREY DEMAGISTRIS NC EXEC DIR	40 00			X			53,035	0	532	
(25) KAREN MADDRY SECRETARY	40 00			X			0	48,836	5,899	
(26) BETHANY VAUSE SC EXEC DIR	40 00			X			42,762	0	511	
(27) KIRBY NICKERSON TREASURER/CF	40 00			X			0	0	0	
(28) ANNETTE CONRAD TREASURER	40 00					X	0	162,842	7,210	
(29) DEBORAH MATHIS CHIEF OPER	40 00					X	0	69,900	3,539	
(30) PATRICK FOLEY CHIEF OPER	40 00					X	0	38,077	5,369	
1b Sub-Total										
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							300,710	766,672	54,751	

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **2**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	3 Yes	
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	4 Yes	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>	5	No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **2**

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

			(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
			Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1a	Federated campaigns 1a					
	b	Membership dues 1b					
	c	Fundraising events 1c					
	d	Related organizations 1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions) 1e	1,305,768				
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above 1f	521,423				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$ <u>34,958</u>					
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f ▶	1,827,191				
Program Service Revenue	2a	SERVICE FEE REVENUES	11,244,696	11,244,696			
	b	OTHER CONTRACTS FOR SERVICES	717,985	717,985			
	c	TITLE IV E FEE REVENUE	491,760	491,760			
	d						
	e						
	f	All other program service revenue					
	g	Total. Add lines 2a-2f ▶	12,454,441				
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts) ▶	22,535			22,535	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . ▶					
	5	Royalties ▶					
	6a		(i) Real				
			(ii) Personal				
		b	Gross rents	49,893			
		c	Less rental expenses				
	d	Net rental income or (loss) ▶	49,893	49,893			
	7a		(i) Securities				
			(ii) Other				
		b	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	845			
		c	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	-845			
	d	Net gain or (loss) ▶	-845	-845			
	8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 a					
	b	Less direct expenses b					
c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . ▶						
9a		Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 a					
	b	Less direct expenses b					
	c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . ▶					
10a		Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances a					
	b	Less cost of goods sold b					
	c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . ▶					
	Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code					
11a	OTHER INCOME		88,112	88,112			
b							
c							
d	All other revenue						
e	Total. Add lines 11a-11d ▶		88,112				
12	Total revenue. See Instructions ▶		14,441,327	12,591,601		22,535	

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns

All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D)

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.		(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States See Part IV, line 21				
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States See Part IV, line 22	202,758	202,758		
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	283,055	247,857	33,247	1,951
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7	Other salaries and wages	5,527,413	4,829,613	659,258	38,542
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)				
9	Other employee benefits	700,506	633,962	62,599	3,945
10	Payroll taxes	548,713	469,140	75,137	4,436
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
a	Management	84,000		84,000	
b	Legal	4,864	2,266	2,598	
c	Accounting	67,791	31,582	36,209	
d	Lobbying				
e	Professional fundraising See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees				
g	Other	89,711	41,793	47,918	
12	Advertising and promotion	2,097	923	574	600
13	Office expenses	25,213	11,045	10,694	3,474
14	Information technology				
15	Royalties				
16	Occupancy	529,714	274,091	255,623	
17	Travel	375,194	325,088	47,136	2,970
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20	Interest	156,323	7,860	148,463	
21	Payments to affiliates				
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	127,814	53,164	74,650	
23	Insurance	105,868	75,817	30,051	
24	Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24f If line 24f amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24f expenses on Schedule O)				
a	FOSTER CARE BOARD PMTS	3,770,378	3,770,378		
b	BAD DEBT	431,518	25	431,493	
c	REFUGEE ASSISTANCE EXP	326,486	326,486		
d	CONTRACTED SERVICES	321,735	149,471	167,566	4,698
e					
f	All other expenses	947,164	707,056	205,986	34,122
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	14,628,315	12,160,375	2,373,202	94,738
26	Joint costs. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Part X Balance Sheet

		(A)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	553,611	1	339,440
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments		2	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net	1,897,617	4	1,900,141
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	104,894	9	67,954
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	2,175,978		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	2,026,837	10c	149,141
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	489,997	11	268,294
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11	107,021	15	95,766
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	3,430,095	16	2,820,736	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,930,174	17	1,089,435
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	38,160	19	38,160
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties	550,000	24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	2,894,815	25	4,951,432
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	6,413,149	26	6,079,027
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets	-4,483,665	27	-3,814,633
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets	1,281,351	28	337,082
	29 Permanently restricted net assets	219,260	29	219,260
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
33 Total net assets or fund balances	-2,983,054	33	-3,258,291	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	3,430,095	34	2,820,736	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	14,441,327
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	14,628,315
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-186,988
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	-2,983,054
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	5	-88,249
6	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	6	-3,258,291

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		No
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	Yes	
c	If "Yes," to 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	Yes	
d	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separated basis		
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	Yes	

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support

OMB No 1545-0047

2011

Open to Public Inspection

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES
IN THE CAROLINAS

Employer identification number

56-1286323

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state

- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II)
- 9 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h
 - a Type I
 - b Type II
 - c Type III - Functionally integrated
 - d Type III - Other
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
 - (i) a person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the the supported organization?
 - (ii) a family member of a person described in (i) above?
 - (iii) a 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		No
11g(ii)		No
11g(iii)		No

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of support?
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
(A) EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA	411568278	1	Yes		Yes		Yes		0
Total									

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3						
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4						
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income (Explain in Part IV.) Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets						
11 Total support (Add lines 7 through 10)						
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (See instructions)					12	

13 First Five Years If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and **stop here**

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public Support Percentage for 2011 (line 6 column (f) divided by line 11 column (f))	14	
15 Public Support Percentage for 2010 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	
16a 33 1/3% support test—2011. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3% support test—2010. If the organization did not check the box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2011. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private Foundation If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a or 17b, check this box and see instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in IRC 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public Support (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) 2011	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11 and 12.)						
14 First Five Years If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public Support Percentage for 2011 (line 8 column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	15	
16 Public support percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2011 (line 10c column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	17	
18 Investment income percentage from 2010 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests—2011.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3% and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- b 33 1/3% support tests—2010.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and **stop here**. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization
- 20 Private Foundation** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a or 19b, check this box and see instructions

Part IV **Supplemental Information.** Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanation required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; or Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Explanation

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

OMB No 1545-0047

Supplemental Financial Statements

2011

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990. See separate instructions.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS

Employer identification number 56-1286323

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

Table with 2 columns: (a) Donor advised funds, (b) Funds and other accounts. Rows 1-4: Total number at end of year, Aggregate contributions to (during year), Aggregate grants from (during year), Aggregate value at end of year.

- 5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

- 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)
2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

Table with 2 columns: Held at the End of the Year. Rows 2a-2d: Total number of conservation easements, Total acreage restricted by conservation easements, Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a), Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06.

- 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year
4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located
5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?
6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting and enforcing conservation easements during the year
7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year
8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?
9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

- 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items
b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items
2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets *(continued)*

3 Using the organization's accession and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

- a** Public exhibition
- b** Scholarly research
- c** Preservation for future generations
- d** Loan or exchange programs
- e** Other

4 Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIV

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table

	Amount
1c Beginning balance	
1d Additions during the year	
1e Distributions during the year	
1f Ending balance	

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21? Yes No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current Year	(b) Prior Year	(c) Two Years Back	(d) Three Years Back	(e) Four Years Back
1a Beginning of year balance	224,550	373,599	373,599	333,245	
b Contributions		2,000	2,000	3,000	
c Investment earnings or losses	35,271	-151,049	-151,049	37,354	
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance	259,821	224,550	224,550	373,599	

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as

- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment
- b** Permanent endowment 84.000 %
- c** Term endowment 16.000 %

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

	Yes	No
(i) unrelated organizations	3a(i)	No
(ii) related organizations	3a(ii)	No
b If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?	3b	No

4 Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		2,370		2,370
b Buildings		4,125	4,125	
c Leasehold improvements		235,293	149,940	85,353
d Equipment		1,934,190	1,872,772	61,418
e Other				
Total. Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				149,141

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	14,441,327
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	14,628,315
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-186,988
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	50,772
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	945
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 - 8	9	51,717
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	10	-135,271

Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	14,493,044
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	50,772
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	945
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	51,717
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	14,441,327
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total Revenue Add lines 3 and 4c . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	14,441,327

Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	14,628,315
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	14,628,315
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	14,628,315

Part XIV Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
INTENDED USES FOR ENDOWMENT FUNDS	SCHEDULE D, PAGE 2, PART V, LINE 4	THE ORGANIZATION'S ENDOWMENT CONSISTS OF DONOR-RESTRICTED INDIVIDUAL FUNDS ESTABLISHED FOR A VARIETY OF PURPOSES. INCOME FROM THE ENDOWMENTS ARE USED BUT NOT LIMITED TO FUTURE EXPANSION, EQUIPMENT PURCHASES AND FUTURE PROGRAM SERVICE NEEDS.
LIABILITY UNDER FIN 48 FOOTNOTE	SCHEDULE D, PAGE 3, PART X	THE ORGANIZATION EVALUATES ITS UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS USING PROVISIONS OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD ACCOUNTING STANDARDS CODIFICATION (ASC) 740-10-25, RECOGNITION OF A TAX POSITION. ACCORDINGLY, THE ORGANIZATION'S POLICY TO RECORD A LIABILITY FOR ANY TAX POSITION TAKEN THAT IS BENEFICIAL TO THE ORGANIZATION, INCLUDING ANY RELATED INTEREST AND PENALTIES, WHEN IT IS MORE LIKELY THAN NOT THE POSITION OF MANAGEMENT WITH RESPECT TO A TRANSACTION OR CLASS OF TRANSACTIONS WILL BE OVERTURNED BY A TAXING AUTHORITY UPON EXAMINATION. MANAGEMENT BELIEVES THERE ARE NO SUCH POSITIONS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2012. TAX YEARS SUBSEQUENT TO 2008 REMAIN SUBJECT TO EXAMINATION BY MAJOR TAX JURISDICTIONS.
SUPPLEMENTAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION	SCHEDULE D, PAGE 4, PART XIV	PART V - ENDOWMENT FUNDS TO CLARIFY PRESENTATION OF MULTI-YEAR ENDOWMENT REPORTING, THE ORGANIZATION RECENTLY CHANGED THEIR FISCAL YEAR-END FROM 6/30 TO 9/30. THE AMOUNTS IN COLUMN (B) AND COLUMN (C) REPRESENT THE END-OF-YEAR AMOUNTS AS REPORTED PER THE PRIOR YEAR FORM 990S, SCHEDULE D, PART V. COLUMN (B) REPRESENTS THE YEAR-END 9/30/11 AND COLUMN (C) REPRESENTS THE YEAR-END 6/30/11. THE AMOUNTS REPORTED IN THESE TWO COLUMNS ARE ALSO CONSISTENT WITH THE PRIOR YEAR AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS THAT COVERED A 15-MONTH PERIOD. THE AMOUNTS REPORTED FOR THE CURRENT YEAR (COLUMN A) REPRESENT THE CURRENT 12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING 9/30/12, CONSISTENT WITH THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR 9/30/12.

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22.
Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
(1) AGGREGATE OF ALL GRANTS		159,609	43,149	FMV	

Part IV Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
PROCEDURES FOR MONITORING THE USE OF GRANT FUNDS INSIDE THE UNITED STATES	SCHEDULE I, PAGE 1, PART I, LINE 2	THE ORGANIZATION MAINTAINS CONTACT RECORDS ON ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS AS WELL AS CONSISTENTLY FOLLOWS UP WITH INDIVIDUALS TO ENSURE THEY ARE MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AND REMAIN ELIGIBLE FOR ASSISTANCE RECEIVED PART III, LINE 1 - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THE ORGANIZATION PROVIDES CLOTHING AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS COLLECTED THROUGH DONATIONS TO INDIVIDUALS IT DEEMS OF NEED THE NEED-BASED CRITERIA IS BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S JUDGMENT AND EXPERIENCE THESE GRANTS BY THE ORGANIZATION ARE CONSISTENT WITH ITS MISSION AND STATED EXEMPT PURPOSES ALTHOUGH REPORTED IN AGGREGATE FOR PURPOSES OF TRANSPARENCY, NO SINGLE GRANT MADE IN THE CURRENT YEAR WAS VALUED AT AN AMOUNT GREATER THAN 5,000

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Compensation Information

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For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES
IN THE CAROLINAS

Employer identification number

56-1286323

Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

- 1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.
- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain.

2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply.

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations | <input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

4 During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

- a** Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?
- b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?
- c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?
- If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.

Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only must complete lines 5-9.

5 For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.

6 For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:

- a** The organization?
- b** Any related organization?
- If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.

7 For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III.

8 Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs. section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III.

9 If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

	Yes	No
1b		
2		
4a		No
4b		No
4c		No
5a		No
5b		No
6a		No
6b		No
7		No
8		No
9		

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use Schedule J-1 if additional space needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, columns (D) and (E) for that individual

(A) Name		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) TED GOINS JR	(i) (ii)	233,724			2,313	5,945	241,982	
(2) ANNETTE CONRAD	(i) (ii)	162,842			1,612	5,598	170,052	
(3) DEBORAH MATHIS	(i) (ii)	69,900			762	2,777	73,439	
(4) PATRICK FOLEY	(i) (ii)	38,077			381	4,988	43,446	

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

NonCash Contributions

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30. Attach to Form 990.

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Name of the organization LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS

Employer identification number 56-1286323

Part I Types of Property

Table with 4 columns: (a) Check if applicable, (b) Number of Contributions or items contributed, (c) Contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g, (d) Method of determining contribution amounts. Rows include Art, Books, Clothing, Cars, Boats, Intellectual property, Securities, Real estate, Collectibles, Food inventory, Drugs, Taxidermy, Historical artifacts, Scientific specimens, Archeological artifacts, and Other (FURNITURE, SUPPLIES, MISCELLANEOUS).

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement

29

30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions?
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell non-cash contributions?
b If "Yes," describe in Part II
33 If the organization did not report revenues in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows correspond to questions 30a, 31, 32a, and 33.

Part II

Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
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SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

**Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or to provide any additional information.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.**

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Name of the organization
LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES
IN THE CAROLINAS

Employer identification number

56-1286323

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ORGANIZATION'S MISSION	FORM 990 - ORGANIZATION'S MISSION	LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS (LFS) IS DEDICATED TO ONE SIMPLE GOAL, HELPING THE MOST VULNERABLE IN NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA EMBRACING CHRIST'S CALL TO SERVE, LFS WALKS ALONGSIDE THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE IN OUR COMMUNITIES AS THEY JOURNEY THROUGH HEALING AND WHOLENESS WE HELP PLACE CHILDREN IN LOVING FOSTER AND ADOPTIVE HOMES, PROVIDE COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES TO ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS, AID VETERANS IN REGAINING INDEPENDENCE, HELP REFUGEES ACCLIMATE TO LIFE IN A NEW COUNTRY AND COUNSEL FAMILIES IN THEIR TIME OF NEED

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ALL OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENT DESCRIPTION	FORM 990, PAGE 2, PART III, LINE 4D	OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES INCLUDE ADOPTION, COUNSELING, REFUGEE, COMMUNITY - BASED PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVES AND DISASTER RESPONSE

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	FORM 990, PART VI	<p>WHISTLEBLOWER POLICY LUTHERAN SERVICES FOR THE AGING, INC & AFFILIATES ARE COMMITTED TO THEIR ROLE IN PREVENTING HEALTH CARE FRAUD AND ABUSE AND COMPLYING WITH APPLICABLE STATE AND FEDERAL LAWS RELATED TO HEALTH CARE FRAUD AND ABUSE. THE CIVIL FALSE CLAIMS ACT PROVIDES FOR PROTECTION FOR EMPLOYEES FROM RETALIATION. ANY EMPLOYEE WHO IS DISCHARGED, DEMOTED, SUSPENDED, THREATENED, HARASSED, OR DISCRIMINATED AGAINST IN TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT BECAUSE OF LAWFUL ACTS CONDUCTED IN FURTHERANCE OF AN ACTION UNDER THE FCA MAY BRING AN ACTION IN FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT SEEKING REINSTATEMENT, TWO TIMES THE AMOUNT OF BACK PAY PLUS INTEREST, AND OTHER ENUMERATED COSTS, DAMAGES, AND FEES.</p> <p>DOCUMENTATION RETENTION AND DESTRUCTION POLICY EACH ENTITY WITHIN THE LUTHERAN SERVICES FOR THE AGING, INC & AFFILIATES GROUP WILL ENSURE THAT RECORDS ARE RETAINED FOR THE REQUIRED TIME PERIODS ESTABLISHED BY STATE LAWS, FEDERAL REGULATIONS, AND PAYOR REQUIREMENTS TO MEET THE NEEDS OF LEGITIMATE USERS. AT THE END OF THE RETENTION PERIOD, EACH ENTITY WILL ENSURE THAT DESTRUCTION OF RECORDS IS PERFORMED ACCORDING TO SPECIFIC PROCEDURE AND AUTHORIZATION WITH APPROPRIATE SUPERVISION OF DESTRUCTION. THE PROPER METHOD OF DESTRUCTION FOR ANY PAPER RECORD IS BY SHREDDING OR INCINERATION ONLY. PRIOR TO THE DESTRUCTION OF ANY FACILITY RECORDS, WHETHER ORIGINAL OR COMPUTER MEDIA, A CHECK WILL BE MADE TO ENSURE THE RETENTION PERIOD HAS EXPIRED AS DEFINED BY STATE LAWS AND FACILITY POLICIES. ANY RECORDS IN OPEN INVESTIGATION, AUDIT, OR LITIGATION WILL NOT BE DESTROYED. FOR FACILITIES USING ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORDS, RECORDS WILL BE STORED IN THE SYSTEM INDEFINITELY AND THE DESTRUCTION PROCESS WILL NOT APPLY.</p>

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
MANAGEMENT DELEGATED	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 3	LSA MANAGEMENT, INC PROVIDES MANAGEMENT SERVICES TO ALL LSA AFFILIATES, INCLUDING THIS ORGANIZATION

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
SIGNIFICANT CHANGES TO ORGANIZATIONAL DOCUMENTS	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 4	EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2011, LUTHERAN SERVICES FOR THE AGING, INC AND LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS AND AFFILIATES UNDERWENT AN ORGANIZATIONAL RESTRUCTURE FORMING A COLLECTIVE MINISTRY, LUTHERAN SERVICES CAROLINAS DUE TO THE RESTRUCTURE, THE AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE PRESENTED ON A CONSOLIDATED BASIS DUE TO THE EXISTENCE OF BOTH AN ECONOMIC INTEREST AND CONTROL

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ORGANIZATION'S PROCESS USED TO REVIEW FORM 990	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 11B	THE FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER AND MADE AVAILABLE TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR REVIEW AND COMMENT ANY MATTERS ARE RAISED TO THE OUTSIDE ACCOUNTANTS FOR COLLABORATION AND ULTIMATE RESOLUTION

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ENFORCEMENT OF CONFLICTS POLICY	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 12C	ON AN ANNUAL BASIS, THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RECEIVE A COPY OF THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND THE POLICY IS REVIEWED AT A REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING EACH MEMBER SIGNS A STATEMENT INDICATING THIS COMPLIANCE WITH THE POLICY WHEN NEW MEMBERS JOIN THE BOARD MID-TERM, THEY ALSO RECEIVE THIS INFORMATION AND COMPLETE THE SAME STATEMENT INDICATING THEIR COMPLIANCE WITH THE POLICY

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR TOP OFFICIAL	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 15A	ALL COMPENSATION LIMITS ARE COMPARED TO STATE AND NATIONAL RANGES BASED ON FACILITY SIZE AND EXPERIENCE OF STAFF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPROVE THE COMPENSATION OF THE PRESIDENT WHICH IS PAID BY THE MANAGING ORGANIZATION OF THE CONTROL GROUP

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
COMPENSATION PROCESS FOR OFFICERS	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 15B	ALL COMPENSATION LIMITS ARE COMPARED TO STATE AND NATIONAL RANGES BASED ON FACILITY SIZE AND EXPERIENCE OF STAFF THE PRESIDENT APPROVES THE COMPENSATION OF OFFICERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES OFFICERS OF THE CONTROLLED GROUP ARE PAID BY THE MANAGING ORGANIZATION AND CERTAIN ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN THE CONTROL GROUP ALSO COMPENSATE KEY EMPLOYEES DIRECTLY

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
GOVERNING DOCUMENTS DISCLOSURE EXPLANATION	FORM 990, PAGE 6, PART VI, LINE 19	FORMS 990 ARE POSTED ON GUIDESTAR AND AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST AT THE LSA OFFICE LOCATED IN SALISBURY, NC

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	FORM 990, PART VII	FORMER OFFICERS KIRBY NICKERSON TOOK THE POSITION OF TREASURER/CFO IN JUNE OF 2012 AND THEREFORE DID NOT RECEIVE COMPENSATION IN CALENDAR YEAR 2011 OR A CORRESPONDING 2011 FORM W-2 ANNETTE CONRAD SERVED AS TREASURER FROM 10/1/11 TO 2/10/12 DEBORAH MATHIS SERVED AS CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER UNTIL 6/4/11 SHE DID NOT RECEIVE ANY FISCAL YEAR COMPENSATION BUT HER 2011 W-2 INCOME IS PROPERLY REPORTED ON PART VII PATRICK FOLEY SERVED AS CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER FROM 9/26/11 TO 10/12/12 AND HIS 2011 W-2 INCOME IS PROPERLY REPORTED ON PART VII

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS EXPLANATION	FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 5	OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS RELATE TO AN INTERCOMPANY RECONCILING ADJUSTMENT AND AMOUNTS REPORTED ON SCHEDULE D, PART XII RECONCILING ADJUSTMENT (139,966) UNREALIZED GAIN 50,772 DONATED SERVICES 945 TOTAL CHANGE IN NET ASSETS (88,249) THE 139,966 IS A RECONCILING ADJUSTMENT BETWEEN LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES IN THE CAROLINAS AND ITS SUBSIDIARY, LFS REAL PROPERTIES EIN 58-1820383 AN I R C 501(C)(2) TITLE HOLDING COMPANY (AS LISTED ON SCHEDULE R) THIS ADJUSTMENT IS REQUIRED IN ORDER TO ACCURATELY PERMIT CROSS REFERENCE BETWEEN THE BEGINNING-OF-YEAR NET ASSETS PER THE CURRENT YEAR AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE END-OF-YEAR ASSETS AS REPORTED ON THE PRIOR YEAR FORMS 990

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

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▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.**
▶ **Attach to Form 990.** ▶ **See separate instructions.**

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Name of the organization
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IN THE CAROLINAS

Employer identification number

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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled organization	
						Yes	No
See Additional Data Table							

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35, 35A, or 36.)

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III or IV

1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

a Receipt of **(i)** interest **(ii)** annuities **(iii)** royalties **(iv)** rent from a controlled entity

b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)

c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)

d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)

e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)

f Sale of assets to related organization(s)

g Purchase of assets from related organization(s)

h Exchange of assets with related organization(s)

i Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)

j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)

k Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)

l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)

m Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)

n Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)

o Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses

p Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses

q Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)

r Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)

	Yes	No
1a		No
1b		No
1c	Yes	
1d		No
1e	Yes	
1f		No
1g		No
1h		No
1i		No
1j		No
1k		No
1l	Yes	
1m		No
1n		No
1o		No
1p		No
1q		No
1r		No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of other organization	(b) Transaction type(a-r)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA	C	53,844	ACTUAL AMOUNT
(2) LFS REAL PROPERTIES INC	E	855,873	ACTUAL AMOUNT
(3) LSA MANAGEMENT INC	E	550,000	ACTUAL AMOUNT
(4) LSA MANAGEMENT INC	L	84,000	ACTUAL AMOUNT
(5)			
(6)			

Part VII Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Identifier**Return Reference****Explanation****Schedule R (Form 990) 2011**

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Form 990, Schedule R, Part II - Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary Activity	(c) Legal Domicile (State or Foreign Country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if 501(c) (3))	(f) Direct Controlling Entity	(g) Section 512 (b)(13) controlled organization	
						Yes	No
ABUNDANT LIVING ADULT DAY SERVICES INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 56-1884652	ADULT DAY	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LFS REAL PROPERTIES INC PO BOX 2369 SALISBURY, NC 28145 58-1820383	REAL ESTAT	NC	501C2		LFS	Yes	
LSA ELMS AT TANGLEWOOD INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 26-3735637	ASSIST LVG	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LSA ELMS PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 26-3739962	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LSA MANAGEMENT INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457236	MANAGEMENT	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LSA PHARMACY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457251	PHARMACY	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME - ALBEMARLE INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457298	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME - FORSYTH COUNTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 26-3328029	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME - HICKORY WEST INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457410	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME - HICKORY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457341	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME - WILMINGTON INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 26-0158686	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME - WINSTON-SALEM INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 56-1500212	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME ALBEMARLE PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457273	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME AT TRINITY OAKS PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457796	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME AT TRINITY OAKS INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457824	NURSING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME FORSYTH COUNTY PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 46-1188488	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME HICKORY PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-1457319	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME HICKORY WEST PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-5304712	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME WILMINGTON PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 26-0158745	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN HOME WINSTON-SALEM PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-5304794	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	

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LUTHERAN RETIREMENT CENTER - SALISBURY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 56-1540214	ASSIST LVG	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN RETIREMENT CENTER - WILMINGTON INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 56-1500308	INDEP LVG	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN RETIREMENT CENTER AT LUTHERIDGE INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 58-1823983	ASSIST LVG	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN SERVICES FOR THE AGING FOUNDATION INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 56-1681723	FOUNDATION	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
LUTHERAN SERVICES FOR THE AGING INC (LSA INC) PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 56-0752160	PARENT ORG	NC	501C3	9	N/A		No
LUTHERAN SERVICES PROPERTY INC PO BOX 947 SALISBURY, NC 28145 20-3895886	LEASING	NC	501C3	9	LSA INC	Yes	
MOUNTAIN RIDGE GROUP HOME INC PO BOX 2369 SALISBURY, NC 28145 58-1782084	GROUP HOME	NC	501C3	7	LFS	Yes	
WHITTECAR HOME INC PO BOX 2369 SALISBURY, NC 28145 58-1940152	GROUP HOME	NC	501C3	7	LFS	Yes	
PACE AT HOME INC 1915 FAIRGROVE CHURCH ROAD NEWTON, NC 28658 27-3462373	CARE SVC	NC	501C3	3	N/A		No
EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA PO BOX 71764 CHICAGO, IL 60694 41-1568278	CHURCH	IL	501C3	1	N/A		No

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
BETHANY VAUSE SC EXEC DIR	40 00			X				42,762	0	511
KIRBY NICKERSON TREASURER/CF	40 00			X				0	0	0
ANNETTE CONRAD TREASURER	40 00						X	0	162,842	7,210
DEBORAH MATHIS CHIEF OPER	40 00						X	0	69,900	3,539
PATRICK FOLEY CHIEF OPER	40 00						X	0	38,077	5,369

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		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
TED GOINS JR PRESIDENT	40 00	X		X				0	233,724	8,258
REV SUSAN BAME DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
REV DR LEONARD BOLICK DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
JERRY BRAMLEY DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
DR JOHN BUMGARNER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
JOYCE ERICSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
REV MARY FINKLEA DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
JOY FISHER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
REV DR THOMAS HURLOCKER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
JOYCELYN JOHNSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
KAYE LEONARD DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
BETTY LOHR DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
DR SHANNON MATHEWS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
LORETTA MEYERS DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
DOUG NELSON DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
DEREK SHOEMAKE DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
STEVE STANFIELD-SWITZER DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
ERIC VAUGHN DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
REV DR HERMAN YOOS III DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0	0	0
ELIZABETH KUHN DIRECTOR R&D	40 00			X				0	109,483	6,108
MYRA GRIFFIE CHIEF OPER	40 00			X				104,904	0	5,588
KESHA SMITH CHIEF ADMIN	40 00			X				0	103,810	6,286
JOHN BURNS EXECUTIVE DI	40 00			X				100,009	0	5,451
JEFFREY DEMAGISTRIS NC EXEC DIR	40 00			X				53,035	0	532
KAREN MADDY SECRETARY	40 00			X				0	48,836	5,899

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Form 990, Part III - 4 Program Service Accomplishments (See the Instructions)

4d. Other program services

(Code) (Expenses \$ 1,172,536 including grants of \$ 202,758) (Revenue \$ 1,842,370)

OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES INCLUDE ADOPTION, COUNSELING, REFUGEE, COMMUNITY- BASED PARTNERSHIP INITIATIVES AND DISASTER RESPONSE