



## **Reflecting Christ Through Service, Growth, and Friendship**

The Partnering for Eternity program seeks to provide students with opportunities to serve, ease senior isolation, and help with tuition assistance. This program was founded in 2006, inspired by a child who connected with an older adult, creating a lifelong friendship. We are currently partnered with 200 schools across North America who are receiving the rich blessings of PFE.

### **PFE Statistics**

- ~2,000 students participate each year
- Over 1 million hours spent in visitation since 2006
- Over \$15 million in tuition assistance since 2006
- Grades K-8 Earning Potential: ~\$1,320 per year
- Grades 9-12 Earning Potential: \$1,600 per year

## **Grades K-8 Programming**

- Participant slots are based on enrollment
  - Enrollment > 30 = 20% participation (cap of 40)
  - Enrollment < 30 = 50% participation
- Participants are paired with a mentor in the community
  - Non-relative, older adult (55+) or someone with a disability who could use the company or help around the home
- Student visits mentor for one hour, once per week (with parent present)
- Students and mentors form a friendship through shared activities
- Student submits a reflection online during each visit
- Local coordinator reviews reflections weekly for approval
- Scholarship: \$30 per visit
  - 70% funded by SFFC Foundation
  - 30% fundraised by your school community
  - Scholarship sent monthly to school

## **Grades 9-12 Programming**

- Participant slots are capped at 26 per program
- Participants are paired with a mentor in the community
  - Non-relative, older adult (55+) or someone with a disability who could use the company or help around the home
- Student visits mentor for two hours each week
  - Required to visit for 14 weeks during each 20-week term
- Student submits a reflection online during each visit
- Must complete all requirements to receive PFE scholarship
- Local coordinator reviews reflections weekly for approval
- Scholarship: \$800 per term
  - 70% funded by SFFC Foundation
  - 30% fundraised by your school community
  - Scholarship sent in January and May