

# Lincoln Variable Insurance Products Trust

## LVIP JPMorgan Core Bond Fund

### Standard and Service Class

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LVIP JPMorgan Core Bond Fund (the "Fund") is a series of the Lincoln Variable Insurance Products Trust (the "Trust"). Shares of Fund are currently offered only to separate accounts that fund variable annuity and variable life insurance contracts ("variable accounts") of The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, its affiliates, and third-party insurance companies. You cannot purchase shares of the Fund directly. This prospectus discusses the information about the Fund that you should know before investing.

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## Summary

### Investment Objective

The investment objective of the LVIP JPMorgan Core Bond Fund (the "Fund") is to seek to maximize total return by investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of intermediate- and long-term debt securities.

### Fees and Expenses

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy, hold and sell shares of the Fund. This table does not reflect any variable contract expenses. You may pay other fees, such as brokerage commissions and other fees to financial intermediaries, which are not reflected in the tables and examples below. If variable contract expenses were included, the expenses shown would be higher.

#### Annual Fund Operating Expenses

(Expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

	Standard Class	Service Class
Management Fee	0.40%	0.40%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) fees	None	0.25%
Other Expenses	0.10%	0.10%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses (AFFE)	0.01%	0.01%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	0.51%	0.76%

## Principal Investment Strategies

The Fund is designed to maximize total return by investing in a portfolio of investment grade intermediate- and long-term debt securities. As part of its main investment strategy, the Fund may principally invest in corporate bonds, U.S. treasury obligations including treasury coupon strips and treasury principal strips and other U.S. government and agency securities, and asset-backed, mortgage-related and mortgage-backed securities. Mortgage-related and mortgage-backed securities may be structured as collateralized mortgage obligations (agency and non-agency), stripped mortgage-backed securities, commercial mortgage-backed securities, mortgage pass-through securities and cash and cash equivalents. These securities may be structured such that payments consist of interest only (IO), principal-only (PO) or principal and interest.

Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets in bonds. For purposes of this policy, net assets include the amount of borrowings for investment purposes. Generally, such bonds will have intermediate to long maturities. The Fund's average weighted maturity will ordinarily range between four and 12 years. The Fund may have a longer or shorter average weighted maturity under certain market conditions and the Fund may shorten or lengthen its average weighted maturity if deemed appropriate for temporary defensive purposes. Because of the Fund's holdings in asset-backed, mortgage-backed and similar securities, the Fund's average weighted maturity is equivalent to the average weighted maturity of the cash flows in the securities held by the Fund given certain prepayment assumptions (also known as weighted average life).

Securities will be rated investment grade (or the unrated equivalent) at the time of purchase. In addition, all securities will be U.S. dollar-denominated although they may be issued by a foreign corporation or a U.S. affiliate of a foreign corporation or a foreign government or its agencies and instrumentalities. While not a part of the strategy the Fund may incidentally focus its investments in one or more regions or small groups of countries. J.P. Morgan Investment Management Inc. ("JPMIM" or the "sub-adviser") may invest a significant portion or all of the Fund's assets in mortgage-related and mortgage-backed securities in the sub-adviser's discretion. The Fund expects to invest no more than 10% of its assets in "sub-prime" mortgage-related securities at the time of purchase.

The sub-adviser buys and sells securities and investments for the Fund based on its view of individual securities and market sectors. Taking a long-term approach, the sub-adviser looks for individual fixed income investments that it believes will perform well over market cycles. The sub-adviser is value oriented and makes decisions to purchase and sell individual securities and instruments after performing a risk/reward analysis that includes an evaluation of interest rate risk, credit risk, duration, liquidity, legal provisions and the structure of the transaction. As part of its security selection process, the sub-adviser seeks to assess the impact of environmental, social and governance factors on certain issuers in the universe in which the Fund may invest. The sub-adviser's assessment is based on an analysis of key opportunities and risks across industries to identify financially material issues with respect to the Fund's investments in issuers and ascertain key issues that merit engagement with issuers. These assessments may not be conclusive and securities of issuers that may be negatively impacted by such factors may be purchased and retained by the Fund while the Fund may or not invest in securities of issuers that may be positively impacted by such factors.

The Fund's investment objective is not fundamental. This means that the Fund's Board of Trustees (Board) may change the Fund's investment objective without obtaining shareholder approval. If the objective was changed, the Fund would notify shareholders at least 60 days before the change became effective.

The Fund's 80% policy is not fundamental and may be changed without shareholder approval. Fund shareholders would be given at least 60 days' notice prior to any such change.

## Principal Risks

All mutual funds carry risk. Accordingly, loss of money is a risk of investing in the Fund. The following risks reflect the principal risks of the Fund.

- **General Market Risk.** Economies and financial markets throughout the world are becoming increasingly interconnected, which increases the likelihood that events or conditions in one country or region will adversely impact markets or issuers in other countries or regions. Securities held by the Fund may underperform in comparison to securities in general financial markets or a particular financial market or other asset classes, due to a number of factors, including inflation (or expectations for inflation) or deflation (or expectations for deflation), interest rates, global demand for particular products or resources, market instability, debt crises and downgrades, embargoes, tariffs, sanctions and other trade barriers, regulatory events, other governmental or market control programs and related geopolitical events. In addition, the value of the Fund's investments may be negatively affected by the occurrence of global events such as war, terrorism, environmental disasters, natural disasters or events, currency instability, and infectious disease epidemics or pandemics.

For example, the outbreak of COVID-19, a novel coronavirus disease, has negatively affected economies, markets and individual companies throughout the world, including those in which the Fund invests. The effects of this pandemic on public health and business and market conditions, including exchange trading suspensions and closures may continue to have a significant negative impact on the performance of the Fund's investments, increase the Fund's volatility, exacerbate pre-existing political, social and economic risks to the Fund, and negatively impact broad segments of businesses and populations. The Fund's operations

may be interrupted as a result, which may contribute to the negative impact on investment performance. In addition, governments, their regulatory agencies, or self-regulatory organizations may take actions in response to the pandemic that affect the instruments in which the Fund invests, or the issuers of such instruments, in ways that could have a significant negative impact on the Fund's investment performance. The full impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, or other future epidemics or pandemics



## Annual Total Returns (%)

## Payments to Broker-Dealers and other Financial Intermediaries

Shares of the Fund are available only through the purchase of variable contracts issued by certain life insurance companies. Parties related to the Fund (such as the Fund's principal underwriter or investment adviser) may pay such insurance companies (or their related companies) for the sale of Fund shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest and may influence the insurance company to include the Fund as an investment option in its variable contracts. Such insurance companies (or related companies) may pay broker-dealers or other financial intermediaries (such as banks) for the sale and retention of variable contracts that offer Fund shares. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealers or other financial intermediaries to recommend variable contracts that offer Fund shares. The prospectus or other disclosure documents for the variable contracts may contain additional information about these payments, if any. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.



## Additional Information about the Fund

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Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets in bonds. For purposes of this policy, net assets include the amount of borrowings for investment purposes. Generally, such bonds will have intermediate to long maturities. The Fund's average weighted maturity will ordinarily range between four and 12 years. The Fund may have a longer or shorter average weighted maturity under certain market conditions and the Fund may shorten or lengthen its average weighted maturity if deemed appropriate for temporary defensive purposes. Because of the Fund's holdings in asset-backed, mortgage-backed and similar securities, the Fund's average weighted maturity is equivalent to the average weighted maturity of the cash flows in the securities held by the Fund given certain prepayment assumptions (also known as weighted average life).

Securities will be rated investment grade (or the unrated equivalent) at the time of purchase. In addition, all securities will be U.S. dollar-denominated although they may be issued by a foreign corporation or a U.S. affiliate of a foreign corporation or a foreign government or its agencies and instrumentalities. While not a part of the strategy the Fund may incidentally focus its investments in one or more regions or small groups of countries. J.P. Morgan Investment Management Inc. ("JPMIM" or the "sub-adviser") may invest

**Average Weighted Maturity.** The Fund's average weighted maturity will ordinarily range between 4 and 12 years. The Fund will have a longer or shorter average weighted maturity under certain market conditions, and the Fund may shorten its average weighted maturity if deemed appropriate for temporary defensive purposes. Average weighted maturity is the average of all the current maturities (that is, the term of the securities of the individual bonds in the Fund calculated so as to count most heavily those securities with the highest dollar value). Average weighted maturity is important to investors as an indication of the Fund's sensitivity to changes in interest rates.

Usually the longer the average weighted maturity, the more fluctuation in share price you can expect. Mortgage-related securities are subject to prepayment of principal, which can shorten the average weighted maturity of the Fund. Because the Fund holds asset-backed, mortgage-backed and similar securities, the average weighted maturity of the Fund is equivalent to its weighted average life. Weighted average life is the average weighted maturity of the cash flows in the securities held by the Fund given certain prepayment assumptions.

**Investment Strategies.** As a matter of fundamental policy, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its net assets in bonds. For purposes of this fundamental policy, a "bond" is a debt security with a maturity of 90 days or more at the time of its issuance. Some examples of bonds include securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or its agencies and instrumentalities, a domestic or a foreign corporation or a municipality, securities issued or guaranteed by a foreign government or its agencies and instrumentalities, securities issued or guaranteed by domestic and supranational banks, mortgage-related and mortgage-backed securities, including principal-only and interest-only stripped mortgage-backed securities, collateralized mortgage obligations, asset-backed securities, convertible bonds, stripped government securities, inverse floaters, and zero-coupon obligations, pay-in-kind, and deferred payment obligations.

The Fund may invest in bonds and other debt securities that are rated in the lowest investment grade category.

**Additional Strategies.** The Fund has flexibility to invest in derivatives and may use such instruments to manage duration, sector and yield curve exposure, credit and spread volatility and to respond to volatile market conditions. Derivatives, which are instruments which have a value based on another instrument, exchange rate or index, may also be used as substitutes for securities in which the Fund can invest. Although the use of derivatives is not a principal strategy of the Fund, the Fund may use futures contracts, options,

Please note that the Fund also may use strategies that are not described herein, but which are described in the Statement of Additional Information.

The Fund's Board of Trustees may change the Fund's investment strategies or policies in the interest of shareholders without a s

changes in economic conditions than issuers or counterparties of higher grade securities. Prices of the Fund's investments may be adversely affected if any of the issuers or counterparties it is invested in are subject to an actual or perceived deterioration in their credit quality. Credit spreads may increase, which may reduce the market values of the Fund's securities. Credit spread risk is the

***Inverse Floater Risk.*** The Fund may use inverse floaters and inverse IOs which are debt securities structured with interest rates that reset in the opposite direction from the market rate to which the security is indexed. Generally, interest rates on these securities vary inversely with a short-term floating rate (which may be reset periodically). They are more volatile and more sensitive to interest rate changes than other types of debt securities. Interest rates on inverse floaters and inverse IOs will decrease when the rate to which they are indexed increases, and will increase when the rate to which they are indexed decreases. In response to changes in market interest rates or other market conditions, the value of an inverse floater or inverse IO may increase or decrease at a multiple of the increase or decrease in the value of the underlying securities. If interest rates move in a manner not anticipated by the adviser, the Fund could lose all or substantially all of its investment in inverse IOs.

***Prepayment Risk.*** The issuer of certain securities may repay principal in advance, especially when yields fall. Changes in the rate at which prepayments occur can affect the return on investment of these securities. When debt obligations are prepaid or when securities are called, the Fund may have to reinvest in securities with a lower yield. The Fund also may fail to recover additional amounts (i.e., premiums) paid for securities with higher coupons, resulting in an unexpected capital loss.

***Foreign Issuer Risks.*** U.S. dollar-denominated securities of foreign issuers or U.S. affiliates of foreign issuers may be subject to additional risks not faced by domestic issuers. These risks include political and economic risks, civil conflicts and war, greater volatility, expropriation and nationalization risks, sanctions or other measures by the United States or other governments and regulatory issues.









## Portfolio Holdings Disclosure

A description of the Fund's policies and procedures with respect to the Fund's disclosure of portfolio securities is available in the Fund's SAI.

## Share Classes and Distribution Arrangements

The Fund offers two classes of shares: Standard Class and Service Class. The two classes are identical, except that Service Class shares are subject to a distribution (Rule 12b-1) fee which has been adopted pursuant to a distribution and service plan (the "Plan"). Under the Plan, Service Class shares pay annual amounts not exceeding 0.35% of the average daily net assets of the Service Class shares of the Fund. The Fund offers shares to insurance companies for allocation to certain of their variable contracts. The Fund has its principal underwriter, Lincoln Financial Distributors, Inc. ("LFD"), out of the assets of the Service Class, for activities primarily intended to sell Service Class shares or variable contracts offering Service Class shares. LFD pays third parties for these sales and ties pursuant to written agreements with such parties. The 12b-1 fee may be increased by the Fund's Board up to the maximum allowed by the Plan, without shareholder approval, in accordance with the Plan's terms. These fees are paid out of the Service Class assets on an ongoing basis, and over time will increase the cost of your investment and may cost you more than other types of sales charges.

LFI and its affiliates, including LFD, and/or the Fund's sub-advisers or underlying funds, if any, or their affiliates, may pay additional compensation (at their own expense and not as a Fund expense) to certain affiliated or unaffiliated brokers, dealers, or other financial intermediaries (collectively, "financial intermediaries") in connection with the sale or retention of Fund shares or insurance products that contain the Fund and/or shareholder servicing ("distribution assistance"). The level of payments made to a qualifying financial

## Financial Highlights

The financial highlights tables are intended to help you understand the financial performance of the Fund's Standard and Service shares for the past five years. Certain information reflects financial results for a single Fund share. Total investment return is based on the change in net asset value of a share during the period and assumes reinvestment of dividends and distributions at net asset value. This table does not reflect any variable contract expenses. If variable contract expenses were included, the expenses shown would be higher. The information for the fiscal year ended 2022 has been audited by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, (the "Predecessor Fund Auditor"), whose report, along with the Fund's financial statements, is included in the annual report, which is available upon request by calling 800-480-4111. The information for fiscal years ended prior to May 1, 2023 has been audited by the Predecessor Fund's Auditor.

### LVIP JPMorgan Core Bond Fund Standard Class

	Year Ended				
	12/31/2022	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	12/31/2019	12/31/2018
Net asset value, beginning of period.....	\$ 11.34	\$ 11.88	\$ 11.24	\$ 10.66	\$ 10.94
Income (loss) from Investment operations:					
Net investment income.....	0.24	0.21	0.24	0.30	0.29
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss).....	(1.66)	(0.37)	0.63	0.56	(0.29)
Total from investment operations .....	(1.42)	(0.16)	0.87	0.86	<sup>5</sup> —
Less dividends and distributions from:					
Net investment income .....	(0.20)	(0.22)	(0.23)	(0.28)	(0.26)
Net realized gain .....	(0.05)	(0.16)	—	—	(0.02)
Total dividends and distributions.....	(0.25)	(0.38)	(0.23)	(0.28)	(0.28)
Net asset value, end of period.....	\$ 9.67	\$ 11.34	\$ 11.88	\$ 11.24	\$ 10.66
Total return <sup>2,3</sup> .....	(12.58%)	(1.35%)	7.84%	8.18%	0.05%
Ratios and supplemental data:					
Net assets, end of period (000 omitted).....	\$48,705	172,023	\$190,891	\$162,192	\$158,167
Ratio of expenses to average net assets..... <sup>4</sup>	0.53%	0.53%	0.53%	0.58%	0.56%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets...	2.34%	1.79%	2.09%	2.70%	2.76%
Ratio of expenses to average net assets prior to expenses waived/reimbursed .....	0.55%	0.54%	0.55%	0.58%	0.61%

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	Year Ended				
	12/31/2022	12/31/2021	12/31/2020	12/31/2019	12/31/2018
Net asset value, beginning of period.....	\$ 11.17	\$ 11.72	\$ 11.09	\$ 10.53	\$ 10.82
Income (loss) from Investment operations:					
Net investment income <sup>1</sup> .....	0.21	0.17	0.21	0.27	0.26
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss).....	(1.62)	(0.37)	0.63	0.55	(0.29)
Total from investment operations .....	(1.41)	(0.20)	0.84	0.82	(0.03)
Less dividends and distributions from:					
Net investment income .....	(0.18)	(0.19)	(0.21)	(0.26)	(0.24)
Net realized gain .....	(0.05)	(0.16)	—	—	(0.02)
Total dividends and distributions.....	(0.23)	(0.35)	(0.21)	(0.26)	(0.26)
Net asset value, end of period.....	9.53	11.17	11.72	\$ 11.09	\$ 10.53
Total return <sup>2,3</sup> .....	(12.74%)	(1.66%)	7.68%	7.87%	(0.23)%
Ratios and supplemental data:					
Net assets, end of period (000 omitted).....	\$21,729	\$350,986	\$340,885	\$218,268	\$150,156
Ratio of expenses to average net assets <sup>4</sup> .....	0.78%	0.78%	0.78%	0.83%	0.81%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets...	2.10%	1.54%	1.82%	2.45%	2.51%
Ratio of expenses to average net assets prior to expenses waived/reimbursed .....	0.80%	0.79%	0.79%	0.83%	0.85%
Portfolio turnover rate.....	60%	93%	92%	20%	20%

<sup>1</sup> Calculated based upon average shares outstanding.

<sup>2</sup> Includes adjustments in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and as such, the net asset values for reporting purposes and the returns based upon those net asset values may differ from the net asset values and returns for shareholder transactions.

<sup>3</sup> Total returns do not include charges that will be imposed by variable insurance contracts or by Eligible Plans. If these charges were reflected, return lower than those shown.

<sup>4</sup> Includes earnings credits and interest expense, if applicable, each of which is less than 0.005% unless otherwise noted.

## General Information