



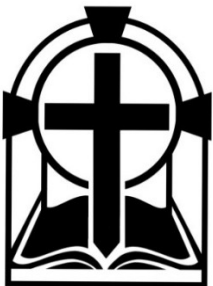
So to keep me from becoming conceited because of the surpassing greatness of the revelations, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to harass me, to keep me from becoming conceited. Three times I pleaded with the Lord about this, that it should leave me. But he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me. For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

2 Corinthians 12:7-10

The Gift of a Thorn

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 7, 2024



St. Paul Lutheran Church

Lutheran Church- Missouri Synod
Columbus, Indiana

Welcome to St. Paul!

We are glad that you have come to God's house to be fed and strengthened by His holy Word. The order of service for today is printed on the **insert** in this bulletin. Guests, we extend a special welcome to you this morning. We are privileged to have you as our guest today and encourage you to worship with us again soon.

The Family Quiet Room and Restroom are located outside the doors of the sanctuary and to the left. In the Family Quiet Room, you can hear and see the service. **Assisted hearing devices** are available for the service. Please contact an usher.

Do you need prayer support? Please call Bonnie England at 812-392-2732 to activate our **Prayer Chain**. Your fellow church members will pray for you.

Our Communion Practice: We invite and encourage those who have been instructed, confirmed, and confess the faith of this congregation and other congregations of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod to receive the Sacrament. Communicants at this altar acknowledge their sins, believe that the body and blood of Christ are truly present in the bread and wine for the forgiveness of sins, and desire the Spirit's help to turn from their sins.

Those who are not communing are invited to come forward and receive a blessing by placing their arms across their chest.

If you have questions regarding our Communion teaching and practice, please speak to a pastor.

Communion Preparation: To prepare for the Lord's Supper, you may wish to pray the prayer on the inside cover of the hymnal or review the Christian Questions and Answers on pages 329-330.

Today's Christian Education Opportunities

Little Ones (infants-three years old) in the nursery for a Bible lesson and activity.

KfC Youth meet during Sunday School. Children will be learning and practicing the skit they will present tomorrow morning in VBS.

SPY and C4Life Youth meet for a study led by Deaconess Fickenscher

Today's adult study is led by Pastor Fickenscher on the Theology and History of the Service of Matins

Serving Today

Organist: Kantor Dan Mau
Acolytes: 8 AM Service Kylie Price
10:45 AM Service Grant Gillmore

Church Calendar

Today	Mite Box Sunday 8:00 AM Divine Service 9:10 AM Fellowship 9:15 AM Phone Call Committee Training 9:30 AM Sunday School/KfC Event 9:30 AM Radio Service WYGS 91.1 FM 10:45 AM Divine Service—English and Spanish Noon Phone Call Committee Training 12:15 PM Spanish Bible Study 7:00 PM Lutheran Hour WYGS 91.1 FM
Monday	August Newsletter Deadline 9:00-11:30 AM Vacation Bible School 7:00 PM Church Council Meeting
Tuesday	9:00-11:30 AM Vacation Bible School
Wednesday	<i>No Matins or Bible Study</i> 9:00-11:30 AM Vacation Bible School
Thursday	9:00-11:30 AM Vacation Bible School 11:30 AM Evangelism Board Meeting 6:00 PM Women's Bible Study
Friday	9:00-11:30 AM Vacation Bible School 11:00 AM VBS Closing Program 11:30 AM SPY and C4Life Lunch and Racin' Mason Outing
Next Sunday	Harvest Mission Sunday <i>Extending Christ's Love Sermon Series begins</i> 8:00 AM Divine Service 9:10 AM Fellowship 9:15 AM Prayer Vigil Training 9:30 AM Sunday School 9:30 AM Radio Service WYGS 91.1 FM 10:45 AM Divine Service—English and Spanish Noon Board of Education Meeting 12:15 PM Spanish Bible Study 7:00 PM Lutheran Hour WYGS 91.1 FM

THE FLOWERS IN CHURCH AND TODAY'S RADIO MINISTRY... are given to the glory of God in memory of Gene Strietelmeier by Don, Scott, Renee, Jacob, and Suzie Strietelmeier, and Paul and Sara Nash.

ON THE TABLE IN THE GATHERING SPACE...

+ July-September Portals of Prayer
+ New edition of Lutheran Women's Quarterly

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

All Glory Be to God on High—P. Manz

Welcome and Announcements

Extending Christ's Love

Please sign the Record of Fellowship

Ringling of the Bell

Opening Hymn

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Confession of Sins

please stand pages 184-185

Introit

from Psalms 132 and 34

P Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in Him! For the LORD has chosen Zion; He has desired it for His dwelling place: "This is My resting place forever; here I will dwell, for I have desired it. I will abundantly bless her provisions; I will satisfy her poor with bread. Her priests I will clothe with salvation, and her saints will shout for joy."

G (*all sing—page 186*) **Glory be to the Father and to the Son...**

Kyrie and Gloria in Excelsis

pages 186-189

Salutation and Collect for the Day

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P The Lord be with you.

G (*sung*) **And with thy spirit.**

P Let us pray. O God, Your almighty power is made known chiefly in showing mercy. Grant us the fullness of Your grace that we may be called to repentance and made partakers of Your heavenly treasures; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

G (*sung*) **Amen.**

please be seated

Old Testament Reading

Ezekiel 2:1-5

And [the LORD] said to me, "Son of man, stand on your feet, and I will speak with you." And as He spoke to me, the Spirit entered into me and set me on my feet, and I heard Him speaking to me. And He said to me, "Son of man, I send you to the people of Israel, to nations of rebels, who have rebelled against Me. They and their fathers have transgressed against Me to this very day. The descendants also are impudent and stubborn: I send you to them, and you shall say to them, 'Thus says the Lord GOD.' And whether they hear or refuse to hear (for they are a rebellious house) they will know that a prophet has been among them."

P This is the Word of the Lord.

G **Thanks be to God.**

Epistle Reading

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

[Paul writes:] I must go on boasting. Though there is nothing to be gained by it, I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. I know a man in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows. And I know that this man was caught up into paradise—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows—and he heard things that cannot be told, which man may not utter. On behalf of this man I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. Though if I should wish to boast, I would not be a fool, for I would be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think more of me than he sees in me or hears from me. So to keep me from being too conceited by the surpassing greatness of the revelations, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to harass me, to keep me from being too conceited. Three times I pleaded with the Lord about this, that it should leave me. But He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for My power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may rest upon me. For the sake of Christ, then, I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities. For when I am weak, then I am strong.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

G **Thanks be to God.**

Triple Alleluia

please stand page 190

G (all sing) Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Gospel Reading

Mark 6:1-13

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark the sixth chapter. **G** (sung) **Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

[Jesus] went away from there and came to His hometown, and His disciples followed Him. And on the Sabbath He began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard Him were astonished, saying, "Where did this man get these things? What is the wisdom given to Him? How are such mighty works done by His hands? Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon? And are not His sisters here with us?" And they took offense at Him. And Jesus said to them, "A prophet is not without honor, except in his hometown and among his relatives and in his own household." And He could do no mighty work there, except that He laid His hands on a few sick people and healed them. And He marveled because of their unbelief. And He went about among the villages teaching.

And He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He charged them to take nothing for their journey except a staff—no bread, no bag, no money in their belts— but to wear sandals and not put on two tunics. And He said to them, "Whenever you enter a house, stay there until you depart from there. And if any place will not receive you and they will not listen to you, when you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that people should repent. And they cast out many demons and anointed with oil many who were sick and healed them.

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

G (sung) **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

Apostles Creed

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Little Sermon

Hymn of the Day

754 stanzas 1-4

Sermon

The Gift of a Thorn

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Offering

754 stanzas 5-6

Prayer of the Church

please stand

Service of the Sacrament

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Distribution

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Visitors: Please read our Communion statement on the inside front cover of the bulletin.

Closing Liturgy

please stand pages 199-202

Closing Hymn

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Postlude

Es ist das Heil uns kommen her, BWV 638—J. S. Bach

Pastor Patterson is leading worship and Bible study at Faith, Columbus this morning.

Please continue to pray for both Faith and Grace, Columbus during their pastoral vacancies that the Lord would provide a faithful shepherd for both of these congregations.

The Gift of a Thorn

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Paul's thorn in the flesh is a messenger of S_____ to harass him.

When Paul is afflicted with this thorn, he p_____.

The Lord's answer: "My g_____ is sufficient for you, for My p_____ is made perfect in weakness."

Paul confesses that his thorn is a gift because God is at w_____ through this affliction...

...to keep Paul from becoming c_____.

...in his w_____, Christ's power is revealed.

How are Jesus and Paul similar in their response to their thorns in the flesh?

Satan's e_____ purposes are overcome by God's g_____ purposes.

Even when afflicted with a thorn, we are c_____ because when we are w_____, then we are s_____.

Next Sunday's Readings Amos 7:7-15; Ephesians 1:3-14; Mark 6:14-29

Next Sunday we begin our eight-week sermon series on Extending Christ's Love based on the Paul's letter to the Ephesians.

LIVING THE SERMON... What thorns in the flesh are afflicting you? Like Paul, like Jesus, take it to the Lord in prayer. Be confident that whatever the answer is to your prayer, God's grace is sufficient for you and His power is made perfect in weakness.

PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH... Pray for strength in the midst of every thorn. Pray for the gift of contentment in every circumstance, trusting that God is always at work for your benefit and for the benefit of others. Pray for the gift of humility, trusting in Christ alone, and not in your own ability, strength, and success.

MEMORY VERSE FOR THE WEEK... *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places.* Ephesians 1:3

Extending Christ's Love

Something Must Be Done

Our early childhood ministry is one of a handful of early learning centers in Bartholomew County to be fully accredited. Our accrediting body, National Lutheran Schools Accreditation, which is recognized by the state of Indiana, has praised our staff, curriculum, and our congregational support of the school. But we are in danger of losing our accreditation in 2030. The reason: **our facility**.

In Indiana, there are three levels of certification for early learning centers: registered, unlicensed, and licensed. Registered centers are reserved for religious schools and have the fewest requirements. Unlicensed centers have more requirements but typically do not have teachers with education degrees. Licensed centers are the highest level and are eligible to participate in the On My Way Pre-K program, which offers vouchers at the preschool level.

Because of our current facility, we do not meet the requirements for *any* of these three levels. Thus, we find ourselves in an interesting place. Our school is fully accredited with the state of Indiana, but we are not listed on the state's website (in.gov/fssa/childcarefinder/) as an early childhood center in Bartholomew county since we are not certified. For this reason, by the 2025 accreditation visit, we must have a plan in place to be certified and by 2030 to be in full compliance to maintain our school's accreditation.

So what about our current school building is preventing us from reaching even the lowest level of state certification? There would need to be improvements in both the kitchen and restrooms. In addition, a dedicated staff restroom would need to be constructed. This would be a costly remodeling project. In addition, to create a separate staff restroom, we would either lose office space or classroom space, neither of which we are able to sacrifice due to our school size and church staff. In addition, our playground area does not meet the requirements for school safety since the children's play area is not completely fenced and its close proximity to county road 300 East. Although signs are posted that the speed limit on the county road is to be 20 miles per hour when children are present, very few vehicles slow down during school days on the county road.

Remodel or build—these are our two options. Through the construction of the Christian Education Center, we will be able to become both a fully licensed and accredited early childhood center! The preschool and kindergarten classrooms will be age-appropriate classrooms. The Center will allow us to double the size of our school from three to six classrooms. The playground will be fenced and secure on the back side of the building. The restrooms and kitchen will fully comply with state requirements. The greatest blessing of all is the Christian Education Center will enable us to extend Christ's Love to more children and families, not only through our early childhood ministry but also through Sunday School, youth ministry, and Latino outreach.

Please continue to pray for our Extending Christ's Love campaign. Please also pray for God's wisdom and guidance as you consider your support for Extending Christ's Love.

Mark your calendars for these important dates!

Today, July 7th—Phone Call Committee Training

After both services, there will be training sessions in the Conference Room. If you cannot attend next Sunday, the training will also be offered on July 14th or you can contact Skip Taylor to set up an alternative time.

Next Sunday, July 14th—Extending Christ's Love Sermon Series Begins

Paul's letter to the Ephesians is all about the love of God. Beginning July 14th-September 1st, we will focus on this powerful Epistle, rejoicing in Christ's love for us and through the Word being empowered to extend Christ's love in our daily callings.



Next Sunday, July 14th—Prayer Vigil Host Training

Those who will be serving as hosts for the Prayer Vigil will have a brief training session at 9:15 AM in the Conference Room. If you cannot attend, please contact Pastor Bauman.

Sunday, July 21st—Extending Christ's Love Bible Study Begins

Please plan to attend this Bible study as we explore what the Bible teaches about receiving Christ's love and then responding to His love by extending His love to others.

Saturday, August 3—Prayer Vigil

Please set aside thirty minutes on this Saturday morning or evening to come and pray for our congregation and submitted prayer requests. Prayer times are 8 AM, 8:30 AM, 9 AM, and 9:30 AM, and 5 PM, 5:30 PM, 6 PM, and 6:30 PM.

Saturday, August 17—Commitment Service of Thanksgiving and Celebratory Meal

At 5 PM, we will gather for a thirty-minute service of praise and thanksgiving where the pledges that have been offered will be dedicated to the Lord. Following the service, we will enjoy a meal together. The menu is a variety of Italian casseroles, garlic bread, green salad and toppings, applesauce, cottage cheese, desserts, and drinks. At the conclusion of the meal, the total amount pledged to that point will be announced.

RSVP for the meal: Please sign-up for the meal by Sunday, August 11th in the gathering space or on the church website: stpaulcolumbus.org.

Sunday, August 18—Celebration Sunday

Our Extending Christ's Love celebration continues at our Sunday services on August 18th and with an extended fellowship hour.

Opportunities to Serve

Food Donations for Celebration Weekend: Volunteers are needed to prepare Italian casseroles and desserts for the congregational meal on Saturday, August 17th and quick breads are needed for the fellowship hour on August 18th. Sign-up to serve in the gathering space.

Testimonials

During the coming weeks, our brothers and sisters in Christ will be sharing their reasons for supporting Extending Christ's Love. Today's testimonial is from Andrea Cotton:

I have had the privilege to be a part of this congregation my entire life. I was baptized as a baby and confirmed as a teenager in the chapel up on the hill. Later as an adult I was married and then witnessed all three of my children baptized at St Paul in our current sanctuary. My fondest memories from childhood are at church. A lot of those memories are traditions that we still carry on today. Many of my friends from childhood at church have children that are now my children's friends. I cannot express how grateful I am that that is the case.

I have really enjoyed getting involved in these last few years by helping to start up our Mom's group, dabbling in social media and videography for church events, as well as be on the Early Childhood Ministry board. Our continued growth in our ECM is why I believe it's so important for this expansion. VBS, our youth group activities, our school and children's Christmas program are examples that would greatly benefit from more room. God has truly blessed my family and this congregation in so many ways. I am looking forward to what is to come.

A Dinner Conversation

One of our member families had a recent conversation over dinner about their pledge to Extending Christ's Love. The parents purposely included their children in the discussion about giving sacrificially and generously. They talked about how the Christian Education Center would be a blessing to their children for Sunday School, confirmation, and youth activities. They discussed how many more children could be served through our early childhood ministry.

The conversation then turned to how they could support Extending Christ's Love. After some discussion, it was decided that, as a family, that would eat out one less time per week, and this savings would become their weekly pledge of \$60.

However, the conversation wasn't finished. Their children began brainstorming even more ways to give up some things to give sacrificially for Extending Christ's Love. After an extended discussion, their weekly pledge increased from \$60 to \$85. Multiplied by 277 weeks, their children were amazed that their total pledge is \$23,545!

In the coming weeks, as we have this prayer-filled conversations, may we be moved to respond sacrificially and joyfully as together we extend Christ's love.

Prayerfully Consider

Extending Christ's Love is an ambitious project as we seek to meet the current and future needs of our congregation. As we prepare to offer our pledges in August, prayerfully consider how you can support this endeavor. The pledging period is 5 years and 4 months/277 weeks. A weekly gift for 277 weeks can become a significant pledge to help us reach our \$9 million goal.

Questions? Please contact Extending Christ's Love Co-chairs: Colin and Linda Scheidt or Dalton and Libby Workman.

Youth Events

Today, July 7th

KfC Event during Sunday School hour: Children fifth grade and younger are invited to prepare the skit for Monday of Vacation Bible School.

This Friday, July 12th

SPY and C4Life youth are invited to stay after the conclusion of VBS for lunch and then an afternoon of fun at Racin' Mason Fun Zone in Seymour. Pick-up is at 3:30 PM at Racin' Mason or 4 PM at church. Please bring money if you want snacks or to play arcade games.

Rally Day, Sunday, August 4th

All three youth groups meet for lunch and activities as we gather around the theme of *Extending Christ's Love*. Also, the KONA ice truck will be in the parking lot for dessert.



Vacation Bible School

THIS WEEK: July 8-12; 9:00-11:30 AM



Go to stpaulcolumbus.org/vbs2024 or use the QR code to:

- + Register your child(ren) ages three-sixth grade.
- + Volunteer (youth and adults). Volunteers can also sign up on the in the gathering space.
- + ***It's not too late to volunteer or to invite others to attend!***



IN OUR PRAYERS... Sick and Recovering: Vern Sullivan, Nancy Dyer, Bob Runge, Kay Newton, Kathy Hoover, Jill Scheidt, Karen Hendershot, Debbie Schroer, Jill Hoeltke, Gloria Schultz, Pam Jenkins, Rena Dillman (Skip and Kris' Taylor's friend), Jill Many (Cindy Hendershot's daughter), Dylan Eaken (South Decatur student), Marcell Williams (Bridges' friend's mother), William Leitshuh (Cleary's friend), Julie Phillips (Bonnie Nolting's sister), Connie Ball (Jan Voelz's friend), Lisa Benes (Kruger's friend), Kyle Huckaby (Koester's friend), Erica Gretzinger (Jennifer Dougherty's cousin), Naomi Gillespie (Haak's great-niece), Rick Sapper (Cleary's brother-in-law), Julia Carmichael (Kathy Harner and Nancy Lipka's cousin), Lauren Brewer (Kathy Harner and Nancy Lipka's niece), Lucy Boyd (Hinds' neighbor); **Active Military:** Garrett McGaha, Noah Hoeltke and Michael Mullins (friend of the Sperry's)

CONNER FORBES ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION... Conner Forbes, son of St. Paul members Greg and Chris Forbes and grandson of Darlene Bower, will be ordained and installed **today** at St. James Lutheran Church in St. James, New York. Please pray for Pastor-elect Forbes and his wife Emmi and the St. James congregation. Cards of congratulations and encouragement can be mailed to: St. James Lutheran Church, 230 Second Avenue, St James, NY 11780.

AUGUST NEWSLETTER DEADLINE... is **tomorrow, Monday, July 8th**.

NO WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY OR MATINS... this week due to Vacation Bible School. The current study on Getting Ready for Sunday by looking at the Scripture reading continues through Wednesday, July 31st.

WOMENS BIBLE STUDY... Join the women of St. Paul for an honest look at Sunday School stories in the Bible on **Thursday, July 11th**.

VBS CLOSING PROGRAM... You are invited to attend the closing program for VBS **this Friday, July 12th** at 11 AM. The program will be followed by an ice cream social.

LAKEVIEW MINISTRIES TOWN HALL... You are invited to attend a town hall to hear from supporters and create a vision for the future of camp. The forum will start with a brief presentation of the staff's plan for Camp Lakeview, Lakeview Villages, and Lakeview Springs. This will be followed by small group discussions to get

feedback from attendees. Sandwich platters and snacks will be served 30 minutes before the forum begins. Two forums will be offered: **this Saturday, July 13th** at Immanuel, Seymour and **next Sunday, July 14th** at St. Peter's, Columbus, both beginning at 12:30 PM. If you plan to attend, please RSVP at <https://forms.gle/RUZvgc48HPXicoVa7>

HARVEST MISSION... is every **second and fourth Sunday** of the month through October. This mission allows you to extend Christ's Love in two ways: to share extra produce from your garden with your church family and to share in the bounty of others, and to make a donation for these items if you are so inclined. Donations collected will go to St. Paul's Food Pantry to help pay for milk, eggs, meats, etc.. If you have any questions, or would like to help with this mission, please contact Nora Cleary at 812-343-9142.

CONFIRMAND STUDENT AND PARENT MEETING... is **Sunday, July 21st** at 9:15 AM in the sanctuary. All incoming seventh and eighth graders and their parents should plan to attend. If you cannot attend, please speak to Pastor Bauman.

NEW FINANCIAL SECRETARY... Rachel Fohne has agreed to serve as our financial secretary. We are thankful for her willingness to serve even as are grateful for Melissa Pevlor's service in this position these past years.

ECM STAFFING NEEDS... Our early childhood ministry is growing! For the 2024-2025 school year, we are seeking a kindergarten teacher assistant Monday-Fridays mornings. Also needed are classroom and extended care helpers, substitute teachers, and substitute teacher assistants. For more information or to apply, please contact Director Jen Probst.

ECM OPENINGS... For the 2024-2025 school year, seven openings remain in the Little Lambs (three-year-old) class, and four openings remain in the kindergarten class. The Doves class (four-year-old) is full and a waiting list has been started. For more information or to register: visit stpaulcolumbus.org/ecmregistration.

WISH LIST... Every November, we publish a Wish List of needed items for mission and ministry. Thanks to your generosity all the items, except for one, were sponsored by the end of 2023. The only item remaining on the Wish

List are the books and resources for Faith Milestones which are presented to our Sunday School students on Rally Day. **\$2,800** is needed for these resources. If you would like to support this endeavor, please use your Designated Offering envelope and indicate it is for "Faith Milestones." If you have any questions or want more information, please contact Sunday School Superintendent Katie Arnholt.

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE... We are thankful that Jill Scheidt has returned home for continued rehabilitation. A meal train site has been created to provide meals for Randy and Jill twice a week. If you are interested in serving in this way, please visit mealtrain.com/trains/7z9wk1 to sign-up for a day to provide a meal.

Jill and Randy are thankful for your ongoing prayers, cards, and words of encouragement.

CHURCH HVAC UNITS TO BE REPLACED... All six of the church HVAC rooftop units were damaged by hail. An insurance claim was filed, and we received \$43,141 for repairing the units. At a special Council meeting last

Sunday, the Council approved a motion to apply these insurance funds to the replacement of all six units. Total replacement cost is \$134,295 so the general fund expense after insurance is \$91,154. Since the units are more than 15 years old, Council members concluded the best stewardship of our resources was applying the insurance funds to replace rather than repair the units. As a church family, we will need to be generous in our regular offerings to overcome this unexpected, unbudgeted expense. If you have any questions, please contact a trustee: Dan Schroer, Steve Potter, or Corbin Oliver.

THANKS TO... everyone who spread the word through our Neighborhood Information Distribution.

The Response of God's People

Last Sunday, June 30th

Divine Service Attendance: **318**; Communion: **262**
Offering: **\$18,406.30** Needed Weekly: \$15,397
Extending Christ's Love: \$25 Myron Glick Memorial
Additional Gifts: \$50 Faith Milestones; \$8 Harvest Mission

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ECM Teachers: Anne Wiltsey (kindergarten); Jen Probst and Michelle Schultz (preschool)

ECM Assistants: Gayla Alesandro, Sarah Lewis, and Glory Wofford

Reaching out with Christ's Love to Serve and Grow

Connected to Christ ✠ Connected to One Another ✠ Connecting Others to Christ