



## **EXPANDING PREACHING** AND CARING MINISTRIES

Servant of Christ Lutheran Church

## THE PAST YEAR

Sunday morning worship serves as the heartbeat of our congregation. It sustains us as we go out into the world during the week to our jobs, schools, homes and greater community. Excellent Preaching and Worship helps guide, empower, and encourage us in our daily lives.

Keeping in touch with our elders, visiting them in their homes, nursing homes and gathering them together in worship at area nursing homes assures them they are still valued and honored. Personal attention given them by pastors is crucial to elders' spiritual and emotional health.

Live streaming of worship services keeps our members tightly tied into our community. They join with us in prayer, songs, and meditation on the Word. The live-streamed services keep them connected to us and the Lord.

Difficult life circumstances such as ongoing health concerns, divorce, mental illness and addiction can benefit from pastoral conversations, prayers and encouragement.

## THE COMING YEAR

We will expand these ministries by calling a part-time pastor.

This will provide another voice in preaching and teaching, as diversity in preaching helps congregation members grow in faith. It will also expand our capacity to care for those in need in our congregation.

Investing in expanding preaching and caring ministries by calling a part-time pastor are included in the LifeTogether 2024 Stewardship Appeal. Our goal is to increase offerings by \$90,000.

Pray for a generous response to this appeal. Pray about your own response. Consider increasing your giving as the Lord leads you. Be ready to make your commitment known on Commitment Sunday, November 12th. In our giving we will be saying thank you to the Lord.



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