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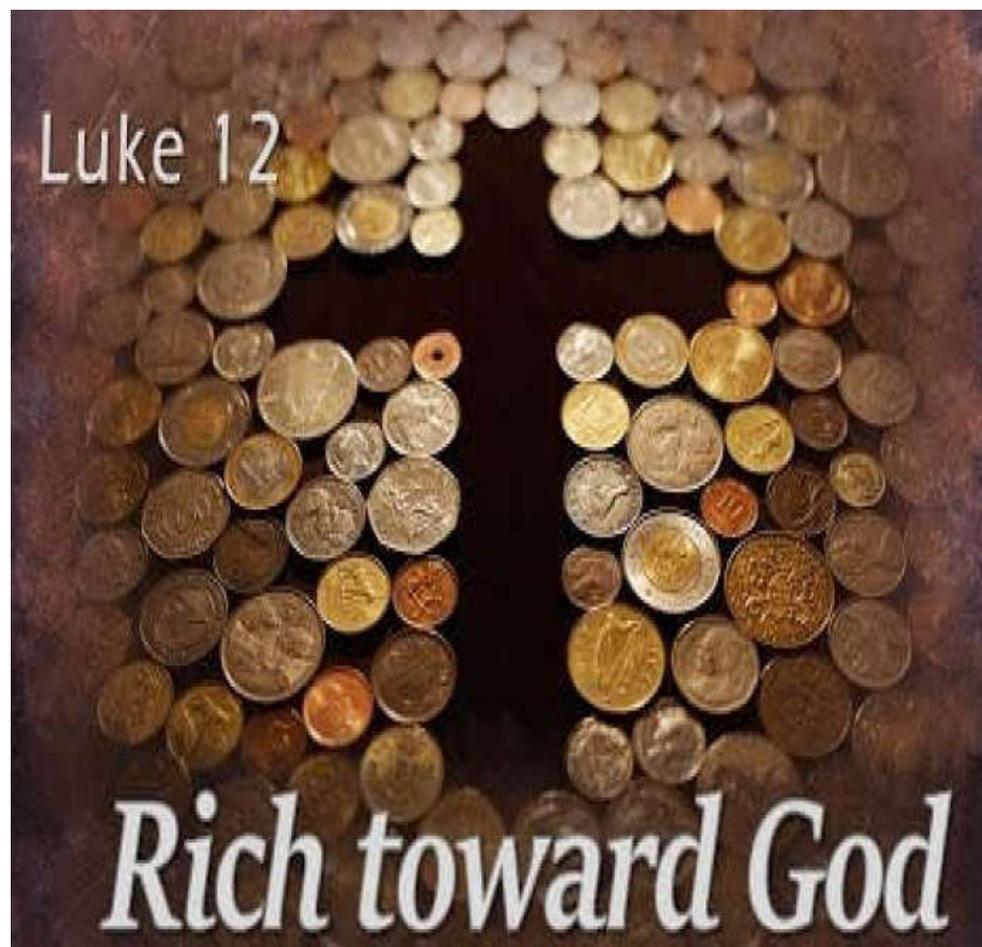
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T. Green

**July 30 & 31,
2022**



TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH



SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
July 30 & 31, 2022

OUR RITE OF FRIENDSHIP: *Members and guests: Please register your attendance in the red pad located at the end of each row. **We ask our guests to please print your complete address and phone number.** When it reaches the other end of the row, pass it back. Upon its return note the other names; you may meet a new friend in Christ today.*



Please turn off your cell phone.

If you desire a hearing assistance unit, please ask an usher.

May the Holy Spirit bless our worship!

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

“Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated” *arr. C Nordman*

“Sweet Hour of Prayer” *arr. W Bradbury*

“His Eye Is On the Sparrow” *arr. M Hayes*

Music Minister, T. Green

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

[Please Stand]

OPENING HYMN “O Savior, Precious Savior” (LSB527) CCLI #1373091



1 O Sav - ior, pre - cious Sav - ior, Whom yet un - seen we love;
2 O bring - er of sal - va - tion, Who won - drous - ly hast wrought
3 In Thee all full - ness dwell - eth, All grace and pow'r di - vine;
4 O grant the con - sum - ma - tion Of this our song a - bove



O name of might and fa - vor, All oth - er names a - bove,
Thy - self the rev - e - la - tion Of love be - yond our thought,
The glo - ry that ex - cel - leth, O Son of God, is Thine,
In end - less ad - o - ra - tion And ev - er - last - ing love;



We wor - ship Thee, we bless Thee, To Thee, O Christ, we sing;
We wor - ship Thee, we bless Thee, To Thee, O Christ, we sing;
We wor - ship Thee, we bless Thee, To Thee, O Christ, we sing;
Then shall we praise and bless Thee Where per - fect prais - es ring,



We praise Thee and con - fess Thee, Our ho - ly Lord and King.
We praise Thee and con - fess Thee, Our gra - cious Lord and King.
We praise Thee and con - fess Thee, Our glo - rious Lord and King.
And ev - er - more con - fess Thee, Our Sav - ior and our King!

INVOCATION

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the ☩ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

Pastor: Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!

People: **How unsearchable His judgments and how inscrutable His ways!**

All: **For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things and to Him be glory forevermore.**

CONFESSION and ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Let us confess our sins to God and seek His forgiveness.

(Silence for reflection)

Pastor: Holy God,

People: We confess that often we focus on the treasures here on earth and fail to rejoice in the treasures you have stored up for us in heaven. Sometimes we take your grace for granted without being thankful. Our sinful nature wants to be in charge and we fail to trust in Your promises. Yet Your steadfast love taught our hearts to hope in You and recall that You gave your only Son, Jesus, to suffer and die for our sins. Forgive us, O Lord, and renew us by Your Holy Spirit that we discover where true riches exist. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

Pastor: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us and given us His only Son for the riches of our salvation. As a called and ordained servant of Christ and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the  Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen.

Pastor: May He who began this good work in you bring it to completion on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. Peace be with you.

People: And also with you.

[Please be seated]

HYMN OF PRAISE **“All Things Bright and Beautiful”**

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*Refrain: All things bright and beautiful,
 All creatures great and small,
 All things wise and wonderful:
 The Lord God made them all.*

**Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings:
God made their glowing colors,
God made their tiny wings. *[Refrain]***

**The purple-headed mountain,
The river running by,
The sunset, and the morning
That brightens up the sky, *[Refrain]***

**The cold wind in the winter,
The pleasant summer sun,
The ripe fruits in the garden,
God made them every one. *[Refrain]***

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Pastor: Let us pray together:

All: **Lord, grant us wisdom to recognize the treasures You have
stored up for us in heaven, that we may never despair but
always rejoice and be thankful for the riches of Your grace;
through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and
reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and
forever. Amen.**



THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT Ecclesiastes 1:2,12-14 and 2:18-26

Reader: The First Reading for the eighth Sunday after Pentecost is from the 1st and 2nd chapters of Ecclesiastes.

“Meaningless! Meaningless!” says the Teacher. “Utterly meaningless! Everything is meaningless.” I, the Teacher, was king over Israel in Jerusalem. I applied my mind to study and to explore by wisdom all that is done under the heavens. What a heavy burden God has laid on mankind! I have seen all the things that are done under the sun; all of them are meaningless, a chasing after the wind. I hated all the things I had toiled for under the sun, because I must leave them to the one who comes after me.

And who knows whether that person will be wise or foolish? Yet they will have control over all the fruit of my toil into which I have poured my effort and skill under the sun. This too is meaningless. So my heart began to despair over all my toilsome labor under the sun. For a person may labor with wisdom, knowledge and skill, and then they must leave all they own to another who has not toiled for it.

This too is meaningless and a great misfortune. What do people get for all the toil and anxious striving with which they labor under the sun? All their days their work is grief and pain; even at night their minds do not rest. This too is meaningless. A person can do nothing better than to eat and drink and find satisfaction in their own toil. This too, I see, is from the hand of God, for without him, who can eat or find enjoyment? To the person who pleases him, God gives wisdom, knowledge and happiness, but to the sinner he gives the task of gathering and storing up wealth to hand it over to the one who pleases God. This too is meaningless, a chasing after the wind.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM **Psalm 100**

Reader: **We read responsively the Psalm for the week.**

Reader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

People: **Serve the LORD with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!**

Reader: Know that the LORD, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

People: **Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!**

Reader: For the LORD is good;

People: **his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.**

EPISTLE **Colossians 3:1-11**

Reader: **The Epistle is from the third chapter of Colossians.**

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory. Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry. Because of these, the wrath of God is coming. You used to walk in these ways, in the life you once lived.

But now you must also rid yourselves of all such things as these: anger, rage, malice, slander, and filthy language from your lips. Do not lie to each other, since you have taken off your old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator. Here there is no Gentile or Jew, circumcised or uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave or free, but Christ is all, and is in all.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

[Please stand]

HOLY GOSPEL **Luke 12:13-21**

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 12th chapter.

People: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

Someone in the crowd said to him, “Teacher, tell my brother to divide the inheritance with me.” Jesus replied, “Man, who appointed me a judge or an arbiter between you?” Then he said to them, “Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; life does not consist in an abundance of possessions.” And he told them this parable: “The ground of a certain rich man yielded an abundant harvest. He thought to himself, ‘What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.’ “Then he said, ‘This is what I’ll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store my surplus grain.

And I’ll say to myself, ‘You have plenty of grain laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry.’” “But God said to him, ‘You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?’ “This is how it will be with whoever stores up things for themselves but is not rich toward God.”

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

[Please Be Seated]

SERMON HYMN *“Christ Jesus Was for Us Made Poor”* to the Tune of LSB500

**Christ Jesus was for us made poor,
That He our ransom might secure;
He gladly paid the needed price:
His sinless life as sacrifice.
Such lavish mercy let us heed
And ever guard against all greed!**

**For life is not what we possess,
Our many tokens of success;
The goods we hoard extend their rule,
Become our gods---and we the fool!
What will we do, should death arrive?
Who'll get the things for which we strive?**

**There are no treasures here on earth
That can compare with heaven's worth.
No sin can tarnish or degrade
That endless life which cannot fade.
Through faith as heirs, by God's great pow'r,
We are protected till that hour.**

**With grateful hearts and with one voice,
Come sing your praises and rejoice!
Though now you suffer trials and grief,
God sees and cares and brings relief.
His perfect love seeks to refine
Your precious faith by sure design.**

**To works of love, O Spirit prod;
May we be rich toward You, O God;
Make strong our faith and pure our love;
Affix our gaze on things above;
Lord, from all evil grant release;
Bring us at last to heaven's peace.**

SERMON

“Rich Toward God” Luke 12:13–21

[Please Stand]

CONFESSION OF FAITH: APOSTLES’ CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

DOXOLOGY “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” (LSB805)

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heav’nly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; Amen.**

[Please be seated]



PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

(Silence for prayer)

O Lord, You are God. You made us; we are Yours; we are Your people, the sheep of Your pasture. Your faithfulness and love continue forever. Creator of all things, help us to perceive that our possessions are only gifts from You to be used for Your glory.

People: Keep our possessions from possessing us; help us to always remember we are Yours.

Pastor: Come, O Holy Spirit and keep us rich toward You through Your Word and Sacrament. Help us to manage what You have entrusted to us in ways that bring honor to You.

People: Keep us from greed and avarice. Help us to see that our lives do not consist in the abundance of our possessions.

Pastor: Lord, without You, everything is meaningless---work, food, knowledge, things, family, recreation, nature.

People: May Your continual grace give meaning to all that we say, do, and are.

Pastor: Lord, there is a stench of death and sin about us. Help us put to death all that keeps us from You.

People: Give us minds set on things above, not earthly things.

Pastor: Lord, protect all who must endure conflict & war. Especially in Ukraine.

People: Watch over our military personnel wherever they are serving, that they remain safe and wars may cease.

Pastor: Great Physician of body and soul, we pray for the sick, the injured, and all who suffer (*especially* _____). Give them strength to endure their afflictions and grant them healing according to Your good and gracious will. O God, who dwells where true riches are found,
People: **have mercy on us and hear our prayer.**

Other petitions offered here

Pastor: We thank You for inviting all who turn away from sin and believe in You to unite with You today at the altar on which You have prepared for us a feast of countless worth.
People: **Feed us with Your own true body and blood under the humble forms of bread and wine, that we may receive the priceless treasures of Your forgiveness.**

(Intercessory Prayers)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 30 –**Vic Stevens**

July 31 –**Mary Ann Burgard**

August 1 –**Ron Lilley, Bob Oilschlager, Jeffrey Omann,
Jim Stencel, Laura Stensrud**

August 2 –**Bill Myers**

August 3 –**Barb Thompson, Woody Wood**

August 4 –**Johnny Byard, Jan Morland, Carolyn Steinbeck**

August 5 –**Christel Galvin, Ron Koenig, Connie Squadere, Jane Van Lanen**

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

July 30 –**Mike & Stacy Guinn (2)**

Tom & Shirley Radkiewicz (35)

July 31 –**Monte & Chris Coy (29)**

August 2 –**Vic & Brigitte Stevens (53)**

Carl & Mary Ventura (8)

August 3 –**Rich & Marilyn Scaer (65)**

August 5 –**Bob & Marlene Ackerman (32)**

Pastor: Into Your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray,
trusting in Your mercy; through Your Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord.
People: Amen.

[Please stand]



SACRAMENT

The Lord's Supper is a gracious gift instituted by Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of sins and as a means of receiving God's grace. We believe that in the holy supper, the true body and blood of the Savior, along with the bread and wine, comes to us. We are encouraged by Jesus to commune frequently and God tells us through St. Paul that we must examine ourselves in preparation for a worthy reception of the sacrament. This includes a confession of our sins, a proclamation of our faith, and a determination to lead a more godly life in the future. If you also acknowledge your sinfulness and your need for a Savior, and recognize Christ's physical presence in the bread and wine, we invite you to join us at the Lord's table.

PREFACE

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

PROPER PREFACE

Pastor: It is truly good, right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is seated at the right hand of God where true riches are to be found. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You as we pray:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen

WORDS OF OUR LORD

Pastor: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: "Take, eat; this is My  body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me."

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: "Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the  new testament in My blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me."

PEACE OF THE LORD

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
People: **And also with you.**

[Please be seated]

**O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
Have mercy on us, Lord, we pray.**

**O Jesus Christ, true Lamb of God,
You take the sin of the world away;
Have mercy on us, Jesus Christ,
And grant us peace, O Lord, we pray.**

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“Lord, You are More Precious Than Silver” vs. 1, 2, 4

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**Lord, You are more precious than silver;
Lord, You are more costly than gold;
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds;
And nothing I desire compares with You.**

**Lord, Your life is divine, eternal.
Lord, Your life regenerated me.
Lord, Your life is growing within me,
Until I am fully conformed to Thee.**

**Lord, Your light is shining within us;
Lord, Your light drives darkness away.
Lord, Your light is guiding us onwards,
Preparing us for the coming wedding day.**

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” (LSB761)

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1 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my - self in Thee;
2 Not the la - bors of my hands Can ful - fill Thy Law's de-mands;
3 Noth - ing in my hand I bring; Sim - ply to Thy cross I cling.
4 While I draw this fleet - ing breath, When mine eye - lids close in death,



Let the wa - ter and the blood, From Thy riv - en side which flowed,
Could my zeal no res - pite know, Could my tears for - ev - er flow,
Na - ked, come to Thee for dress; Help - less, look to Thee for grace;
When I soar to worlds un-known, See Thee on Thy judg - ment throne,



Be of sin the dou - ble cure: Cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.
All for sin could not a - tone; Thou must save, and Thou a - lone.
Foul, I to the foun-tain fly; Wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.
Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, Let me hide my - self in Thee.

“Change My Heart, O God”

*Refrain: Change my heart oh God Make it ever true
Change my heart oh God May I be like You*

You are the potter; I am the clay.

Mold me and make me; This is what I pray. [Refrain]

[Please stand]

BLESSING

Pastor: May the body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in His grace, unto life everlasting. Go in peace, to serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Thank You, Father, for feeding us with the rich food of Your kingdom that is Your Son's body and blood. Use our eating and drinking in remembrance of Him to fortify our faith; that we may not be distracted by what the world has to offer, but may ever fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith who is seated at Your right hand on high with power and all authority; we pray through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

People: Amen.

BENEDICTION

Pastor: The LORD bless you and keep you.
The LORD make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The LORD look upon you with favor and give you peace.

People: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN “Christ Be My Leader” (LSB861)

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1 Christ be my Lead - er by night as by day; Safe through the
2 Christ be my Teach - er in age as in youth, Drift - ing or
3 Christ be my Sav - ior in calm as in strife; Death can - not



dark - ness, for He is the way. Glad - ly I fol - low, my
doubt - ing, for He is the truth. Grant me to trust Him; though
hold me, for He is the life. Nor dark - ness nor doubt - ing nor



fu - ture His care, Dark - ness is day - light when Je - sus is there.
shift - ing as sand, Doubt can - not daunt me; in Je - sus I stand.
sin and its stain Can touch my sal - va - tion; with Je - sus I reign.

SILENT PRAYER

POSTLUDE “Blessed Assurance” arr. Hayes Music Minister, T. Green

OUR MISSION: *The mission of Trinity Lutheran Church is to share the good news of Jesus Christ by serving the spiritual, family and personal needs of the community. We believe that the primary reason for our existence is to bring people closer to Jesus Christ by providing worship, Bible studies, prayer and fellowship to foster spiritual growth.*



ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the honor and glory of our risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ by ***Duane Wood*** in ***memory of Mary Wood***.



SPECIAL PRAYERS: Judy Myers, Pam Petro, Wil Morman, Lon Hertel, Kitty Evans, Bev Tibbits, Don Butenhof, C.C. Acker, John Starr, Sandy Hooten, Kathy Bultman, Bonnie Wuethrich, Cindy Checke, Marilyn & Bob Tomsik, Dan Lindstrom.

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Christianity is the only religion of the world to insist that reconciliation with the creator cannot ever be accomplished by our performance. Only through the revelation of a Savior, who would be the substitute sacrifice for all of our wrongdoing and make us right with God, can we finally overcome our sense of separation from the Almighty.

This is a gift and promise of life that we rejoice in and share with Christians around the world. We share with all Christians the desire that everyone would come to know Jesus and experience a life under “new management” – the grace and purpose of God.

Trinity is a member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod. We enjoy a blessed confessional heritage of Biblical Christianity with over 65 million Lutherans around the world and over 7 million Lutherans in the U.S. alone. What we know and believe comes only from the Bible, which is God’s inspired Word. While the Bible is certainly our guide for holy living, the primary purpose of the Bible is to reveal Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.

We believe every Sunday at Trinity Lutheran Church is a “little Easter”, a celebration of the resurrection of our Lord. We celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper in all worship services. We believe the forgiveness and strength of faith we are promised through receiving the very body and blood of Christ is so greatly needed by all of God’s people, for we are truly a community of wounded healers. For a Christian Church to be anything else than a place of common fellowship and unity and a source of strength for our fragile faith is to fail its God-ordained purpose and intent.

Our pastors would like to be of service to you in any way they can. Feel free to call the church office or speak with Pastor Roger or Pastor Blair directly if you wish to find out more about the church or have more personal needs of a spiritual nature.