

Faith Lutheran Church Voters' Meeting Information Packet November 17, 2024

Our Mission Statement

Know Christ Live Christ

Make Christ Known

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Agenda for 2024 Fall/Winter Voters Assembly

- 1. Welcome, Opening Prayer, Roll Call and Introduction of New Members
- 2. Review and Approve Minutes of 2024 Spring/Summer Voters Meeting
- 3. Financial Reports
- 4. By-Faith Capital Campaign Report
- 5. Columbarium Project Report
- 6. Council Proposal to elect slate of candidates for 2025 Council
- 7. Council Proposal to approve 2025 Budget
- 8. Other new business
- 9. Closing prayer and adjournment

Staff Reports

Senior Pastor's Report

I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now.

(Philippians 1:3)

Dear ones! Our partnership in the gospel began before any of us knew each other. From eternity God chose us for the sanctifying work of His Spirit. In time He called us to faith in His Son and equipped us for lives of discipleship. Through the years He brought us into each other's company and blessed us by each other's spiritual giftedness. As I ponder the future, in which I will no longer serve as Senior Pastor of Faith Lutheran Church, I want you to know how grateful I am that God arranged the intersection of our lives. You have taught me much about the love of Jesus, and I am humbled by your lives of devotion to Him.

So, with joy I pray for you—in thanksgiving and in petition. Since we share in the Great Commission of making disciples in all nations, I praise God for your mission-heartedness. Faith's generosity toward mission ministries is a mark of mature discipleship and a hallmark of our congregation's life. Your willingness to designate a substantial portion of the annual budget to reach beyond Faith's walls fills me with excitement. The addition of new believers in Jesus invigorates the whole Church; it keeps our earthly fellowship fresh and results in heavenly celebration.

I praise God, too, for your dedication to the holy scriptures, which inspire your mission-heartedness. The saving truths we confess together are revealed nowhere but in the Bible. They are undiscoverable by reason yet remain the sole source of our hope of everlasting life. The scriptures identify Jesus Christ as the Son of God and Redeemer of the world. His is the blood that cleanses us from all unrighteousness. His are the words of eternal life. His is the name that is above all names. I find great wisdom in St. Paul's farewell exhortation to the Christians in Ephesus: *And now I commend you to God and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up and give you the inheritance among all those who are sanctified.*" (Acts 20:32) I pray that Faith will always be a congregation forged by the Word of God for ministry that proclaims the Word of God.

I won't ever be able to say "finally" as I consider reasons for remembering you as partners in the gospel, for each reason brings still others to mind. But I cannot say enough about your love for each other. Tertullian, one of the earliest Christian writers and defenders of the faith, tells us that in the first centuries of Christian history pagans were often struck by demonstrations of Christian love. They would exclaim in wonder, "See how they love each other!" I have seen Jesus through you more times than I can count, and by each I have been reminded of the Savior's own word to His disciples, "By this all people will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another." (John 13:35)

Are there challenges ahead? Yes! The times in which we live are hostile to Christianity, and Satan loses no opportunity to attack believers and mock their Lord. Long ago, when Israel seemed badly outnumbered and in peril of brutal defeat, Elisha reassured his frightened servant by saying, "Do not be afraid, for those who are with us are more than those who are with them." (2 Kings 6:11) Then he prayed, and God opened the servant's eyes to see the armies of heaven arrayed in Israel's defense. Many years later, to assuage the similar fears of other disciples frightened by the evils authored by the spirit of the antichrist, John the apostle wrote, "Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for He Who is in you is greater than he who is in the world." (1 John 4:4)

My friends, the Spirit of the Lord Jesus lives in you. How can I not give thanks to God for all that we have shared together in Jesus' name, in all that we will yet share in His name, and in the eternity of blessings we will ultimately share in His name? Perhaps the best way for me to close this page, however, is not with a thanksgiving but with a verse of scripture that I have used as the text for a number of confirmation sermons and that I am fully confident that you will embrace: *Grow* [that is, always be growing, keep on growing, don't ever stop growing] *in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.*

Prayerfully, gratefully, earnestly, lovingly, humbly, tearfully and in so many more ways than I have words to express,

Pastor Walt Pohland

Associate Pastor's Report

Dear sisters and brothers in Jesus,

It has been a wonderful year! Day by day I grow by hearing your stories of faith through joys and sorrows. I have enjoyed finding my own place at Faith, as has my family. We are thankful for you!

My role has shifted quite a bit over the last year, especially as we have experienced so many ministry transitions together. I am thankful for the opportunity to learn and to grow as a servant at Faith, using the gifts God has given for His glory and the advancement of His Kingdom. As one of our significant achievements together this year has been the naming of our strategic values—Worship, Christian Education, and Human Care—I will organize my report accordingly.

Worship

I continue to enjoy preaching and leading the worship service. Learning to be a "regular" preacher has been a particular joy this year, and I always learn so much by preparing and delivering a sermon. Thanks for the privilege of that work! I am also thankful for the music team that serves us week after week, and love seeing all of our church musicians using their gifts to God's glory. Additionally, I give thanks for all the teams that help make worship happen each Sunday, including our Tech team, Elder teams and our Hospitality teams. Sunday morning is truly a team effort and a

beautiful reflection of the body of Christ in action! I look forward to seeing that team continue to grow and expand this next year.

Christian Education

I give thanks for the awesome work of our board of Education, who have energetically and creatively worked to fill the gaps left in some of the ministry transitions of 2024. We have a very good system and team of teachers and leaders on Sunday morning, serving our members of all ages with faithfulness and expertise! I have enjoyed contributing to this each week, teaching "Lectionary Leftovers" last Spring, "Revelation" over the summer, and Confirmation this Fall. I also enjoy the regular insights (and antics!) of the Thursday morning Men's study!

I give thanks for Faith Lutheran Preschool, our board, and our director. The preschool continues to grow in quality and constituency, and I am thankful for the conscientious work that occurs in that ministry area. I'm excited for some ideas we have for the future to strengthen the partnership between the church and the preschool!

Human Care

We are exc. d to recommend and call our first ever Director of Human Care, hoping to have that person in place by 2025. The call committee has been a joy and delight, investing time and energy in assessing our needs and prayerfully discerning candidates. Faith already has a robust engagement with human care, both in programs and in practice, and I look forward to this new ministry partner helping us grow in that more and more!

Faith in the Future

As we support our strategic values, we have seen a few structural and administrative changes at Faith. The most significant, perhaps, is the addition of Anne Kennedy as Business Manager. Anne's energy and persistence are such a blessing to our office, teams, and church, and I look forward to the ongoing expertise that she offers us as she settles into this role.

We also celebrate the paying off our mortgage and the development of our new capital campaign—Faith in the Future! God has richly blessed Faith Lutheran and will continue to do so in 2025! We have clear challenges and opportunities ahead. As we celebrate Pastor Pohland's retirement, our church will have the opportunity to discern new leadership and new ways forward. We will do so together, as the body of Christ, with Jesus at the head. I am thankful for each of you! Thanks for being a blessing to me!

Rev. Dr. Jim Marriott, Associate Pastor

Austin Angerman, Director of Christian Outreach & Youth Ministry

Greetings! What a year it's been here at Faith Lutheran Church in Georgetown. God continues to richly bless our congregation, and in the midst of seemingly constant change His love towards our church body and church staff remains faithful and evident. Adult Bible study, both on Sunday mornings and during the week has continued to bless over 150 adults each week on average. Elementary Sunday School is thriving, with an average of 18 children in class every Sunday morning. Worship attendance has averaged 510 people each Sunday so far this year, with an average of 50 people watching the online live stream every week! I have personally been blessed by the audio recordings of our adult Bible classes, which I listen to in the car during the week.

Adult Bible Class

Offering multiple adult Bible class options on Sunday mornings is valuable to members of our congregation, and to ensure we continue to have a variety of class topics and sizes (small, medium, and large classes), we're looking to equip lay leaders in our congregation who might be willing to help! If you're interested in teaching an adult Bible class, or even helping lead a weekly Sunday morning book study, please reach out and I'd love to talk with you!

Historically, we've referred to the Adult Bible Class quarterly rotations by the season that they aligned with ("Winter Quarter", "Spring Quarter", etc.) In 2025 we'll be switching to a numerical listing: "First Quarter", "Second Quarter", etc. It's a small change, but we're hoping that it can give some clarity when discussing timelines as well as allow us to standardize some of the start/end dates for each quarter to standardize their length. Besides, we all know that "Summer" in Texas doesn't end on September 1st!

Changes to Confirmation

We have restructured the youth Confirmation class at Faith Lutheran Church to now meet on Sunday mornings and follow the "schedule" of the Adult Bible class quarters. In this new model, the students will learn all 6 chief parts in one year, with a quarter of Biblical foundations overview in the middle. Pastor Jim is teaching the current quarter on the Means of Grace, I'll be teaching Q1 of 2025 on the 10 Commandments. For more information about changes to the program, reach out to me or grab one of the green information sheets in the Ministry Center!

We currently have 14 students in youth Confirmation class ranging from 6th to 9th grade.

LCMS Youth Gathering

The 2025 LCMS Youth Gathering will be held in New Orleans, LA next summer from July 18 - 23. Faith Lutheran currently has 18 high school students registered and 5 adult leaders, praise God! Be on the lookout for student-led fundraisers that will begin happening over the next few months

as we prepare to spend a week in New Orleans next Summer learning about the Gathering theme: ENDURE (Hebrews 12:1-3).

Rock House

We continue to hold monthly chapel services at the Rock House of Georgetown (6920 Williams Dr, Georgetown) where we regularly minister to 50+ adults with disabilities. On the 2nd Wednesday morning of each month, we lead a chapel service from 9:30am - 11:00am where we sing songs, read Bible stories, and pray over our Rock House friends. Every-other month we serve communion.

We have a team of people who regularly assists in these chapel services. If you would like to be a part of this ministry opportunity, please reach out and let us know! This is a community of loving individuals who would be thrilled for a chance to talk and listen with anyone who is interested in getting involved.

Fall Blast

Just last weekend we lead a group of 11 elementary-aged youth to camp Lone Star's "Fall Blast" weekend retreat. There were 9 other Lutheran churches in attendance, and over 100 children there in total! The camp staff said this was their largest Fall Blast ever, praise God!

Anne Kennedy, Business Manager

I have only been on board for a brief time but have been able to complete several projects thus far and start on other priorities. The staff and council members have been incredibly supportive and helpful as I learn more about how the church operates, and many members have been very welcoming and helpful as well.

- Completed Projects:

- Renewed Canon copier lease for office and preschool with \$6,950 in annual savings.
- Implementing a new background check & sexual awareness training system (discounted contract through our synod) for the church and ensuring all child workers are up-to-date for screenings and training.
- Attended District Treasurer Conference, a great learning opportunity, with Mike Martin, Vice Chair of the Council, and am currently reviewing the district Treasurer's Manual recommendations against FLC current practices.
- Worked with office staff to re-implement Ministry Center planning to reduce the number of materials there each weekend.
- Assisted the Council in preparation of the church's 2025 budget.
- Analyzed prior year insurance contract and losses and reported same to council.

- Active Projects:

- Assisting Facility Manager in mapping sanctuary lighting controls for better utilization.
- Working with Facility Manager on repairs still pending from lightning strike in July.
- Evaluating all office procedures for recommendations to Pastors or Council for updates.
- Replacing older church-owned computers, with the council's assistance. Office staff have been completed, Pastors Walt & Jim completed, plus Financial Secretary. Next is Elders laptop for security, remaining pastoral staff (Austin & new DCE), activity center PC for presentations and preschool.

Church Council Reports

Chairman Report

Grace and peace to you from God our Father and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. My report to you is my last as Chairperson of the Church Council. It has been my pleasure to serve in this capacity even though at times it has been overwhelming due to the size and complexity of our church and the work it takes to fulfill our mission to KNOW CHRIST, LIVE CHRIST, and MAKE CHRIST KNOWN. The task was made much easier because of the hard work, commitment and determination of our fabulous ministry staff, office staff, Church Council and the multitude of volunteers who worked on all the council boards and committees. God's blessings on each and every one of you.

Since the beginning of 2024, we have experienced several events which have tested our endurance and our expectations. Our ministry staff dropped from six to three. Our church building was damaged by flooding, a lightning strike, and the continuing repair to our damaged roof. Our desire to build a columbarium failed to progress well beyond the time anyone imagined it would take and some major equipment failures (air conditioners, computers and the church projection screens) exceeded our expectations. The final and most expensive issue was the decision of our previous property and casualty insurer to quit writing insurance policies in Texas, leaving us with almost no alternatives.

But God's blessings have also exceeded our expectations. Our church building has been repaired. Our damaged or worn equipment has been replaced. A Church Business Manager was hired and is busy helping us with the administrative tasks that face our organization every day. We have initiated contracts with an IT service provider, choir director, worship music leader, Sunday School teachers and childcare provider. A Call Committee was established and will recommend a candidate soon for the position of Director of Human Care.

All of these actions though, come at a price. At our last Council meeting in October, we reviewed our proposed budget for 2025 for the last time after a long process with the input of many. The new budget is about 7.7% higher than in 2024 due to a number of changes none of which were greater than the \$50,000 increase in the annual cost of our property and casualty insurance. By itself, it contributes about 3.2% of the 7.7% increase from our 2024 budget. Nevertheless, the Council unanimously voted to recommend the budget and a slate of candidates to the Voters for approval. Both will be presented in the Voters meeting on November 17th.

The apostle Paul wrote two long letters to the church in Corinth to encourage them. In 1 Cor 12: 27 he reminded them, "Now you are the body of Christ and each one of you is a part of it". Thank you for your service to His church and I hope you will continue to be a part of it.

Rick Schmidt, Council Chairperson

Board of Assimilation

Current BOA Members

Gen Shepherd, Mary Fuller, Dorothy Bowers, Holly Decherd, Diana Tchida, Gayle Schulz, Jean Linderman, Dedie Wright, Susan Craig, Gil Bowers, Bill Fuller

Meetings are held prior to events for planning (quarterly)

A meeting was held on 13 June to plan the New Member Luncheon for 30 June and on 14 November to plan the New Member Luncheon on 24 November and the Advent Taco Salad Dinner in December.

New Member Luncheons

We welcomed approximately 21 New Members including children in June and are planning for approximately 19 New Members including children in November. We serve sandwiches and chips purchased from HEB, and fruit salad, green salad, desserts, and drinks provided by BOA members.

New Member Directory and Faith Directory

Photos and Bio information is obtained from New Members and New Member Directories are compiled and distributed in the Narthex in the weeks following each luncheon. Photos of New Members are posted on the New Member Bulletin board and added to the Faith Directory, which is reprinted as needed for New Members and those who request them. The online Directory updates immediately as information changes. New photos can be submitted at any time to update the directory.

New Member Interests to Committees and Ministries

New member interests are obtained from the Opportunities to Serve worksheet that each new member is invited to fill out after joining. This information is shared with the committee/ministry contact person so that the New Member can be contacted. New members are sent a welcome card and follow up email from BOA members in the weeks after joining.

Opportunities to Serve

On 23 June, Assimilation hosted an Opportunities to Serve and Get Involved Sunday on behalf of the Church Council. Printed copies of the Opportunities to Serve Handbook were provided and the new online access to the Handbook QR Code was introduced. QR Code and Printed Handbooks are now available for pickup in the mail room.

New Leadership

Beginning in January 2025, Gen Shepherd and Holly Decherd will serve as Co-Chairman of the Board of Assimilation.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Fuller - Co-Chairman Gen Shepherd - Co-Chairman

Board of Christian Education

Dear Members of Faith Lutheran Church,

The board of education has been diligently meeting each month to discuss how we, as a church body, can better help people to know Christ through educational opportunities and resources. This comes out most notably in children and adult Sunday School, resources at the children's ministry table, and VBS. However, we also do many smaller things that may go unnoticed by some but are important to the education of many within our body of believers.

The Board of Education has traditionally advised on educational aspects from ages newborn-5th grade as well as adult, but since January 2024 we have expanded our advising to include 6th-12th grade as well. This means we will be working closely with Austin Angermann to advise on topics for 6th-12th grade Sunday School and confirmation. Our most noticeable change has been the move of confirmation class to every Sunday during the Sunday School hour. This change has been well received by our confirmation families.

Another area in which wonderful changes are occurring is Children's Sunday School. As a church that values Christian education, what better place to live this out than with our youngest members, teaching them the depth and beauty of God's Word and surrounding them with His love and care. We began paying several college students to be the lead teachers, insuring stability which is so important with younger children and an opportunity for those college students to strengthen and develop some teaching skills to better serve in future ministry. They have already been forming wonderful relationships with the children which is encouraging to see. Along with our lead teachers, we have begun asking congregation members to sign up to serve just one Sunday as an assistant in one of our three children's Sunday School classes. We are excited about being able to provide this opportunity which will allow the congregation to experience the teaching and catechizing of our children—the future of the church. We promise that by assisting in Sunday School, congregation members will be blessed. If it has been on your heart, please consider this one more word of encouragement to sign up! We promise you will not regret it! Also, as of September, Kristi Marriott has begun serving as Interim Sunday School Coordinator. This is a big job, and we are thankful to have her bless us with her time and talents.

Elissa Grotefendt Chairperson of the Board of Education

Board of Hospitality

This Board was tasked to greet and share the love of Jesus with all that come to worship at Faith. The Board is responsible for recruiting, training, and scheduling ushers, greeters, and Welcome Center Volunteers, each with a leader to oversee their schedules. We are also responsible for baptism receptions as requested by Pastor Pohland. In October 2024, the Board hosted an appreciation lunch after the late service for the greeters, ushers, welcome center, and baptism reception volunteers and their spouses.

The Board is also looking to find ways in which we can initiate interaction between our members and visitors before and after each service to make our visitors feel welcome at Faith. The Board of Hospitality currently meets once a month with our staff liaison, Jim Marriott.

Baptism Receptions

We have had provided 3 Baptism Receptions since April as requested by Pastor Pohland.

Ushers

Currently the Ushers work in teams and are scheduled months out in advance. There is always a need for more ushers, especially for the late service.

Welcome Center

Four Volunteers are scheduled each Sunday. Two volunteers work each service. Currently, there are 19 total volunteers. More would always be welcome.

Greeters

We currently have approximately 50 Greeters. We welcome more to join our group because we would love to have a minimum of 6 greeters at each service: approximately 2 at each door with 2 visiting with people in the narrhex before the service.

Greet once every 6-7 weeks, according to your preferred service time. Greeter "teams" have 4-6 per team, children are invited to join.

You will be given a schedule for the year, with options to find a sub or trade dates.

Be at church about 25-30 minutes early, wear your name badge and greeters' badge, stand at one of the doors or in the narthex, welcoming everyone.

If someone is new, introduce them to others and to Pastors, if possible, walk them to the Welcome Center for a Welcome Bag, show them the family room and tell them about the nursery as needed.

Linda Bryan, Chairperson Board of Hospitality

Board of Human Care

The goals of the Board of Human Care are: 1) to provide advocacy in each ministry; 2) to assist in making ministries known to the congregation; 3) to help coordinate publicizing of ministries; 4) to seek and evaluate new ministries as needs are identified in the congregation and community; 5) to encourage measurable goals within each ministry to provide direction, purpose and promote enthusiasm and; 6) to ensure continuity of ministries in the church and show love to those in need as well as to nurture relationships between the servants and those being served.

In 2024 members of Faith and its Human Care Ministries continue to carry on the Lord's work, serving and touching lives within our congregation, our community, our region, state, nation and into the world. Following is a year-to-date update from each ministry.

Bags to Mats

Bags to Mats membership is currently 15. Several are not church members. We generally have 4-7 members at meetings and not always the same people. Several work from home only and some are presently inactive. We are pleased to be adding new members all the time and invite anyone who would like to serve the homeless and recycle with a purpose to join us. We are always actively looking for crocheters but need even more members to cut bags and make plarn. Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month at 10:00 in the Activity Center, C-101. We meet only once a month on the 3rd Friday from June to August. You do not have to attend meetings to be a part of Bags to Mats, but the meetings provide instruction, drop off and pick up of materials and most importantly, fellowship. We work with the Faith Youth Group making plarn as a service project annually. Bags to Mats works with LINC Austin who distributes mats to those who most need them. We plan to give 10 mats to LINC in December. That will be a total of 98 mats given to LINC Austin since November 2020. With approximately 700 bags needed to produce one mat, we are proud to announce that over 68,000 bags have been recycled and removed from landfills since Bags to Mats began in January 2020. We are proud to be a serious recycling project. To quote LINC Austin, "these mats are like gold to those who receive them." Although we have stopped accepting bags because we have enough at this time, we would like to thank everyone who has donated to our ministry. We will let you know when we can again accept bags. Our cart that was in the Narthex is now in the landing in front of the office door for pick up and drop off of plarn. Thanks to all who help.

Bereavement Committee

We served one meal in August, bringing our total for the year to three.

Caring Place

Since 1985, The Caring Place, located in Georgetown, has provided for the basic human needs of all people in our Central Texas community in a welcoming, respectful, and caring way. The Caring Place is a community-based, community-supported, and community-serving organization. Our service area is Georgetown, Andice, Bartlett, Florence, Granger, Jarrell, Jonah, Schwertner, Walburg, Weir, and the portion of Hutto that lies within GISD. We provide Financial Assistance for those in our service area:

Rent, mortgage, utilities

- Housing deposit
- Transportation assistance
- Medical, such as emergency dental and prescription assistance
- Temporary emergency shelter

Additional programs, which offer non-financial assistance:

- Food programs
- Monthly Food Pantry visits
- Fresh Food for Families is the 1st, 3rd & 5th Monday of each month

- HOPE (Healthy Options Program for the Elderly)
- Vouchers for clothing and household goods

In August of this year, Laundry Love Georgetown, a program offering a free laundry service at Georgetown Washatopia (1910 South Austin Avenue) on the second Tuesday and last Thursday of each month, transitioned to The Caring Place. Now named Loads of Caring, we continue to work in collaboration with other community partners to provide this service.

How you can support The Caring Place:

Call to schedule a pick-up of furniture items. You may also drop off donations, Monday – Saturday, at 2000 Railroad Avenue.

Shop in one of our two thrift stores: The Shops at The Caring Place, 2000 Railroad Avenue and Second Helping, 3700 Williams Drive.

Your neighborhood, organization, school or business can sponsor a food drive to support The Caring Place Food Pantry.

Make a financial gift.

Please look us up at caringplacetx.org for additional information

Chrismons

No report

Faith in Action Georgetown

Faith in Action (FIA) Stats as of September 30, 2024 • Total Volunteers: 180; 43 new volunteers in 2024

- Total Clients: 759; 212 new in 2024
 - The need for transportation in Georgetown for adults over 65 continues to increase and many of these persons rely on Faith in Action Georgetown because they either do not have family or friends to drive them and they cannot afford uber or paid transportation. In contrast to this, volunteer recruitment continues to decline.
 - o Rides: 6,080; 698 in September o
 - O Rides are provided either by volunteers or by one of FIA's 2 part-time paid drivers. One paid driver provides out of town medical rides when the ride is not fulfilled by a volunteer. The other paid driver provides a ride-share/uber-type service in Georgetown city limits when these rides are unfulfilled by volunteers.
 - O Van Rides: 2,932; 301 in September o The Go-Van-Go continues to grow in popularity providing weekly grocery/shopping trips to Walmart, HEB, Wolf Ranch, The Round Rock Outlet Mall, The Caring Place and social outings to movies and restaurants. Both the large van and minivan are used for the monthly social outings.
 - O Pay Your Pal Rides: 1371; Pay Your Pal Miles: 11,0683 o Miles for Pay Your Pal clients are reimbursed at \$.67/per mile up to \$200 per month. This allows clients to reimburse a neighbor or adult family member who drives them, freeing up volunteers for clients who do not have friends or family to drive.

Current Needs:

• Car -The new Uber-type of program works well and provides an additional 9 drives per week. However, the employee drives her own vehicle and mileage reimbursement expense grows as

clients increase and volunteers do not increase at the same rate. We continue to seek the donation of a gently used vehicle for the driver to use.

- Volunteers In today's busy world, volunteer drivers for FIA have as much flexibility as they need. Volunteers self-assign drives and take only the ones that fit their schedules. Volunteers choose how often they volunteer and what types of drives they can do. There is no commitment or mandatory number of hours or drives. FIA is happy to have paid drivers to provide services, but the core of our service is still our volunteers.
- Donations: All of FIA services are provided at no charge to our clients, so we rely solely on the generosity of our community including our partner churches who make the commitment to partner with FIA to serve the seniors in our community.

Faith Lutheran Participation in 2024: • Financially: \$1200 (\$400 of this from Helping Hands) • Volunteers: 3 Active volunteers • Clients: 18 clients • Support: FIA participation in Mission Fairs

Grief Support

The Grief Support Group meets on Wednesdays at 3:00 p.m. in the Family Room. The group began meeting on 10-31-2021, so we observed our third anniversary. Thanks and praises to the Lord for the lives that have been touched. This group is intended to be a safe place where grieving people can talk about the loved one who has died, what happened to him/her and how the loss has affected their life. We share our struggles and victories and listen to each other. Our aim is to develop a closer relationship with God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. God will provide comfort and healing. We practice confidentiality. It is an open group. Participants may start at any time, attend as often as they like and discontinue when the time is right for them. FLC members and nonmembers are welcome to attend. The group will help the participant to learn about grief, how to cope, to consider what God says in Scripture, to be encouraged, to receive prayer, and to experience Christian love and fellowship. Grief is the process that God gave us to deal with all life losses so that we can get to acceptance. There are many life losses, other than the death of a loved one. Some other losses include health, abilities, relationships, career, finances, home, independence, etc. Participants may also share about those situations.

Participants may attend whether their loss is recent, or they still need to process a longer-term loss or multiple losses. If you need to process grief, please attend. If you know someone in need of help to process grief, please encourage them to attend.

Habitat for Humanity

No report

Heartfelt Stitchers

The eight ladies in Heartfelt Stitchers have been busy making more than 500 items including blankets, hats, scarves, and wash cloths. We have delivered over 200 blankets and hats to Faith Homebound, Faith Baptisms, Veteran's Home in Temple, Veteran's Hospital in Austin, Williamson

County Child Advocacy, and Williamson County Sheriff's Victims Services. The remaining items will be delivered beginning the first week of November.

Hospital Chaplains

No report

Lutheran Braille Workers

Lutheran Braille Workers are volunteers throughout the USA. There are amazing letters of thanksgiving of blind people who rejoice when they can get God's Word in their language. In the USA, a full Lutheran Braille Bible would cost over \$1,320 and many could never afford to purchase God's Word or devotional writings or a Hymnal.

The Devotional Booklets are in ENGLISH BRAILLE but most of the I & II Corinthians Booklets are in SWAHILI sent to East Africa as the Trade Language of East Africa is Swahili.

Faith has a faithful group of volunteers who meet MONTHLY on the SECOND MONDAY of each month from 12:00 noon to 2 PM.

Those who volunteer from Faith are:

Wayne and Jane Schmidt, Carol Hancock, Diane Huff, Jeannet Faske, Jim Mateos, Kim Herndon, Karen and Dennis Sparks, Bonnie Tippins, Jan Roller, Pat and Lewis Klawitter, Paul and Lois Howe, Linda Bryan

Lutherans for Life

Susan Burton and I discussed plans for increasing awareness of the educational opportunities available to church members from Lutherans for Life in the coming year. We also continue to encourage support of Lutherans for Life through educational materials and brochures placed throughout the church.

Lutheran World Relief / Quilt Ministry

LWR Quilters meet each Tuesday of the month. In addition to quilting at the church, many of the ladies sew at home to increase the number of quilts we produce in a year. Currently we have completed 168 quilts as of October 22, 2024. We will ship out 160 quilts on November 1, 2024. The Fall Quilt/Craft sale will be October 27, 2024. The sale supports batting, quilting tread, sewing notions, shipping cost etc. Starting this year the LWR Quilters are supporting Isaiah House, Williamson County. We made 18 quilts this year.

Meals on Wheels

Faith's Meals on Wheels team is made up of 46 volunteers. There are nine churches in Georgetown that carry out the MOW Georgetown program. Our team will deliver meals for six service weeks in 2024. January, April, June, August, and October service weeks have been completed with December remaining. There are now fifteen delivery routes in Georgetown, delivering approximately 250 meals each day.

HEB continues to donate day old bakery items to Meals on Wheels on Saturdays and Sundays. Church volunteers collect these items on the weekend prior to their delivery service week. The bread and pastry items are distributed to Meals on Wheels clients on Monday and Tuesday along with their hot meal for the day.

Military Care Support

This ministry is in need of a leader who will step up to lead this ministry focusing on our military population. Please let Susan Schmidt or the office staff know if you will be willing to help this ministry or if you would like more information.

New Life Treatment Center / Upbring

Each June and July, LWML Helping Hands asks the congregation to donate items or monies to support the needs at Upbring and their generosity is overwhelming! It is a joy as well to deliver these items in September knowing that each girl will receive brand new towels and sheet sets as well as other items for their Point Store.

Prayer Ministries

No report

Prayer Quilts

Eleven Prayer Quilts were presented between April 2024 and November 2024. All recipients were Faith members. There are 17 women on the Prayer Quilt roster. Our supply of quilts, at this time, is good, but I would like to see more people involved in making the quilts. More monitors are always welcome, too. To God be the glory.

Pregnancy Help Center of Williamson County

On September 18th, Susan Burton and I met with two members of the staff at the Pregnancy Help Center of Williamson County (PHC), Sarah Bolton, Executive Director, and Danyel Londenberg, Operations Manager. We were given a tour of their new location at 2308 Old Airport Road in Georgetown. We discussed with them their current needs, their future plans for serving women and their babies in our area and also how we at Faith Lutheran can help support them in meeting those needs. We plan to support them in the time remaining this year by setting up a collection point in the church donations of diapers and baby care items. We will be putting information in the weekly on-line Faith Works and through fliers placed around the church.

Stephen Ministry

Faith Lutheran Church Stephen Ministry has had a significant impact on the lives of countless Care Receivers from Faith and the Georgetown community. Although the number of active Stephen Ministers at Faith has diminished, we continue to meet regularly and serve when called upon to provide high quality, one-on-one Christ centered care to people experiencing life difficulties. Potential Care Receivers are identified and meet with an assigned Stephen Minister on a regular basis who provides distinctively Christian and confidential care. Adult men and women who have the desire to be a Stephen Minister receive 50 hours of initial specific training in the areas of listening, assertiveness, maintaining boundaries, and confidentiality. First Presbyterian Church in downtown Georgetown will be offering the training on MONDAY evenings, 6:00-8:30pm, January-May 2025. All materials are supplied for the course and registration begins now until mid-December. Please call the Faith Church office (512-863-7332) for further information or questions.

Sunshine Friends from Faith

Every month, 9 Sunshine Friends send cards to 73 homebound members, non-members, and spouses. Our goal is to bring comfort and friendship while letting them know Jesus is with them and they are not alone. Cards are sent according to the season. i.e.: Christmas, Thanksgiving, Easter, birthday, or anniversary. A bond of friendship is built between the homebound and the Sunshine Friend resulting in notes of appreciation or even a phone call. Many recipients of the Sunshine Friends Ministry gifts lack contact outside of their home making this a most important ministry. Praise in the name of Jesus Christ is given to Faith Lutheran Church for this ministry.

Faith Lutheran Preschool

Faith Lutheran Preschool offered Summer Camp three days a week from June 4- July 25. Students served were 18 months to 5 years. It again proved to be highly successful.

Faith Lutheran Preschool opened for the 2024-2025 school year on September 3, 2024, with 51 students, 7 teachers and our Director, Sabrina Skelton. The Preschool has since increased enrollment to 56 and was financially able to add a part-time aide.

The Preschool already has plans for Fall Fest, Fall Feast, and our Christmas Program.

The Board continues to provide the teachers with a once a month "Teacher Appreciation" snack for the staff meetings.

Pastor Marriott has assumed the duties of our staff liaison. He envisions a closer coordination between Church and Preschool in the next academic school year. The Board will continue to discuss and pray about this in future Board Meetings.

The Preschool Board is changing, two members have left. Through the Ministry Fair we have added three. Welcome Daniel Boehm, Karen Johnston and Margaret Schmidt. They will be joining us at our November meeting. Ali Saladino will assume the chairmanship in January.

We are grateful for all the prayers and support we have received, and we look forward to continuing our mission of providing high quality, Christ-centered teaching to young children.

Board of Elders

Purpose/Responsibility/Mission

Elders assist the Pastors in matters pertaining to the spiritual and social welfare needs of the congregation. We assist with worship services including distribution of Holy Communion and preparation of the Communion elements, Baptismal water, etc. Additionally, elders watch over the doctrine, life, and administration of the Pastoral office and other called workers.

Current Elders

Mike Best, Colbey Bullock, Lee Bundy, Paul HerrNeckar, Ron Jiede, Phil Kirkle, Terry Lester, Jim Mateos, Mike McPherson, Gary Pohl, James Sanborn, Clinton Schulz, Bob Shepherd, Michael Thane, Greg Timoney, Larry Tippens, Larry Tredemeyer, Luke Wilson, Mike Whittaker, David Wright, and Mark Bolt

Elder Continuing in 2025

Mike Best, Colbey Bullock, Lee Bundy, Paul HerrNeckar, Ron Jiede, Phil Kirkle, Mike McPherson, Gary Pohl, Clinton Schulz, Bob Shepherd, Michael Thane, Larry Tippens, Luke Wilson, Mike Whittaker, David Wright, and Mark Bolt

New Elders for 2025

Lance Kroesch, George Moore, Jonathan Decherd, Dale Parker

There are currently 21 members on the Board of Elders, James Sanborn is Board Chair, Ron Jiede is Board Vice Chair, and Luke Wilson is Recording Secretary. The current Chair, James Sanborn is timing out, and cannot serve in 2025, the Elders have elected Luke Wilson as the new Chair for the Elders.

Responsibility & Expectations

- Demonstrate in our daily walk our life in Christ.
- Be active in worship and bible studies.
- Be personally responsible for fulfilling obligations (i.e., contacting Shepherding Group, covering worship assignments)
- Actively participate in Elder meetings
- Maintain confidentiality.

What Has Been Done This Year

The Elders have been very busy assisting Pastor, ensuring the services, and Communion flow smoothly. The men on the board have put much effort in ensuring that both members and guest feel welcome. Elders continue to remain in contact with their Shepard families and are available

should a need arise. Elders continue to assist with worship services, funerals, and Communion services. The Elders have also been busy improving the safety of our congregation during worship services.

The Personnel Committee, which consist of 5 Elders, an at-large member, and the Congregation Chairperson, is chaired by the vice-chair of the board, which is Ron Jiede. The Personnel committee has been busy, working with the Pastors and the new Business Manager, evaluating the staff and preparing the personnel budget for 2025.

James Sanborn Board of Elders Chair

GIFT & ENDOWMENTS COMMITTEE REPORT

The Gift and Endowments Committee has oversight responsibility for two Endowment funds and the Memorial and Special Gifts activity. The Lutheran Foundation of Texas has a professional administrative staff and a Board of Investment Directors, determines investment pools, manages the endowment funds, recommends appropriate investment allocations, and provides quarterly reports to the Gifts and Endowments Committee.

Financial Balances as of September 30, 2024

Church Worker Scholarship Endowment Fund \$129,857.01

One of the blessings that Faith has received is that some of our members have gone on to be church workers. They have completed university coursework, field training, and now serve in various church positions around the country.

The university coursework is typically completed at a Concordia University campus. As many of you know, a university education is not inexpensive, and an education at a private university is even less so. This Church Workers Scholarship and Endowment Fund provides scholarships to those who are earning a degree and intend to pursue a career in church work. This fund has helped make it possible for almost twenty students to continue their education and become church workers. There have been situations when a scholarship from this fund has been the difference between continuing an education or suspending study.

One distribution was made to three students for the current school year.

For additional information on Faith's Endowment and Gift Fund opportunities please refer to the Gift and Endowment Committee brochure located in the information racks in the Worship Center.

Restricted Private Member Memorial Endowment Fund \$8,753.41

This Restricted Private Member Memorial Endowment Fund was established by the estate of a former member of Faith. Distributions from this fund are limited to students preparing for the pastoral ministry of the LCMS. Scholarship distributions are approved by the Church Council and executed by LFOT.

One distribution was made for the current school year.

Questions concerning the Endowment or Gift Funds may be directed to David Wright, Chairman of the Gifts and Endowments Committee or to any of the committee members.

Pastor Walt Pohland Larry Bielss Paul Herrneckar Becky Pohland David Wright Kathy Nelson

Ron Jiede

Minutes of the 2024 Summer Voters' Assembly -

May 19, 2024 (Final)

Voters' Assembly Actions

- Approved November 2023 Voters' Meeting Minutes
- Approved to install LED Screen Video Walls with a budget not to exceed \$200K.
- Approved the proposal to pursue hiring a Business Manager for the church.

89 Attendees

All present were members of Faith Lutheran Church and 18 years and older.

 Welcome and Opening Prayer. The meeting was called to order at 12:28 p.m. by Rick Schmidt, Congregational Chairperson. Pastor Jim opened with prayer. Rick presented the agenda to the assembly. Packet was made available to attendees. See attached.

Rick welcomed any new members.

- 3. Minutes from the November 2023 meeting were approved unanimously.
- 4. Financial Reports David Paul Treasurer 2023 Budget \$1.48 million

Expenses - \$1.415 million

Income – \$1.607 million

Net Income \$192,000

Current Cash balance \$1.328 million

Budget for 2024 - 1.56 million

Current income (Jan – April) \$611,000

Current expense (Jan – April) \$509,000

- 5. By-Faith Capital Campaign Report YTD \$39,964.82 (as of May 2, 2024), Lifetime \$310,182.33. More information is available in the Voters' Meeting packet.
- 6. Strategic Planning Committee (SPC) Report Bill Fuller Informed of the members on the SPC –

Luke Wilson – spoke to the congregation – The SPC set out to discover what are the values of FLC. The goal was to investigate and see what Faith values as a church. What is the purpose of our values and how do they help us achieve Faith's mission? Faith's mission is facilitated by three specific values: Worship, Christian Education and

Faith's mission is facilitated by three specific values: Worship, Christian Education and Human Care.

7. Activity Center Remodeling Report – Mike Martin

Wang Architect Firm

To date they are just about done with the final design.

The congregation approved \$60K for design, cost was \$63K.

Anticipate meeting with contractors in about 4-6 weeks.

Shown pictures of the entrance – may ask for approval for adding cover to entrance of the east facing door.

Showed picture of interior – portable stage in "front" west facing wall. Sound pallets in ceiling. Sound technology, hearing impaired. Speakers, Spotlights for stage area. No carpet in current design. Colors have not yet been decided.

Permitting process – sometime next year.

The new door at "front" entrance will have a power assisted opening.

Questions – Ceiling is not lower; sound tiles are hanging from ceiling.

What is the functionality of this room to be? Worship, music venue, education. The floor space is not changing. But removing the corner room (south/west).

Fire suppression – The architect designer has not raised fire suppression concerns.

- 8. Columbarium Project Report Still waiting for a permit, 2 yrs now. Still in planning and zoning stage, stuck with the city. Not making headway. Site development plan is missing information or has deficiencies in the plan. Need an additional tree survey. The committee is attempting to address the deficiencies.
- 9. Council Proposal to purchase new LED Screens David Paul and Adam Perez. Adam gave background on our current projectors, which were installed in 2009. They are past their life expectancy. Options are to replace the bulbs and projectors or purchase new LED screens. Proposal made to install LED Screen Video Walls with a budget not to exceed \$200K. Motion made to adopt the proposal, approved unanimously.
- 10. Council Proposal to hire a Business Manager Rick Would like to have the business manager in place as soon as possible.

See Voters meeting packet. The council has approved the hiring of a business manager and requests the Voter's Meeting approve the proposal. This is not a "called position."

Currently there is no one person doing church things. It is divided among current staff. Questions:

Will the budget cover this position – yes

The request of the Voters' Meeting is to approve moving forward with pursuing hiring a Business Manager for the church. Motion made to adopt the proposal, approved unanimously.

- 11. Review of Council/Elders plans and actions for additional staff hires.
- 12. Other new business None

13. Closing prayer and adjournment - A motion to adjourn was made, it was seconded. Motion passed. The meeting was adjourned at 1:47pm. Pastor Pohland closed the meeting with prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

Becky Paul, Recording Secretary

Financial Reports – All figures are YTD September 30

Faith Balance Sheet (starts on page 28)

Faith Budget vs Actual (starts on page 31)

Financial Summary - Offerings

YTD Projected Offerings \$1,169,030 Actual YTD Offerings \$1,217,769 Surplus / (Shortfall) \$48,739

Financial Summary – Expenses

 YTD Projected Expense
 \$ 1,169,030

 YTD Actual Expense
 \$ 1,170,948

 (Over)/Under
 (\$ 1,918)

Financial Status – Surplus \$ 46,821

Cash Report

Total	Total Cash (CEF and Checking Acct)							
Less:	CEF – Mortgage	(\$	117,246)					
Less:	CEF – Staff Development	(\$	24,680)					
Less:	CEF – Mission Plant #2	(\$	29,642)					
Less:	Designated Funds	(\$	317,793)					
Less:	Payroll and Safety Reserve	(\$	226,000)					
Total	Total Uncommitted Reserves							

Debt – Facility Expansion (as of September 30, 2024)

30-year loan with Texas District CEF 12/21/2008 for \$ 3,708,478 Current Loan Balance \$ 204,251

Debt 1 year ago was \$ 478,665 Debt 4 years ago was \$ 1,393,497

Election of Church Council – Recommended Slate

Position Candidate

Chairperson Mike Martin Rick Schmidt Vice Chairperson Treasurer Dave Paul **Recording Secretary** Becky Paul **Assimilation Co-Chair** Holly Decherd **Assimilation Co-Chair** Gen Sheperd Board of Elders Chair Luke Wilson Christian Education Chair Elissa Grotefendt Jennifer Schmidt Financial Secretary Hospitality Chair Linda Bryan Information Tech Chair Joseph Miller Marlana Sanborn

Parish Fellowship Chair Marlana Sanl Preschool Chair Ali Saladino Stewardship Chair Gary Einam Trustee Chair Jack Gibbs

Election of Elders – Recommended Slate

Elders – First 3 Year Term Mark Bolt

Lance Kroesch George Moore Jonathan Decherd

Dale Parker

Elders – Second 3 Year Term Ron Jiede

Phil Kirkle

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH								
Balance Sheet As of September 30, 2024								
		Total						
ASSETS								
Current Assets								
Bank Accounts								
1010 First Texas New Checking		107,846.34						
1030 Texas District CEF Savings		800,071.92						
1040 Texas District CEF - Mortgage		117,246.06						
1050 Texas District CEF-Called Staff		24,680.31						
1060 TX District CEF-Mission Plant #2		29,641.92						
Total Bank Accounts	\$	1,079,486.55						
Total Current Assets	\$	1,079,486.55						
Fixed Assets	Ψ	1,079,400.33						
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1500 Buildings - FIF Expansion		5,255,292.32 1,986,853.42						
1510 Buildings - Prior 2009								
1515 Buildings - Post 2009		35,616.16						
1530 Furn,Altar Furnish,Instruments		218,618.97						
1540 Land (10 acres Cost)		900,954.63						
Total Fixed Assets	\$	8,397,335.50						
Other Assets								
1700 Funds held in trust by LFOT								
1701 Private Member Memorial Fund		7,082.43						
1702 Prof Church Worker Scholar Fund		97,480.82						
Total 1700 Funds held in trust by LFOT	\$	104,563.25						
1800 Other Long-Term Assets		0.00						
Total Other Assets	\$	104,563.25						
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	9,581,385.30						
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY								
Liabilities								
Current Liabilities								
Other Current Liabilities								
2400 Payroll Liabilities								
Concordia Plan Services		3,733.97						
Health Insurance (company paid)		1,945.76						
Life Ins Premium		11.78						
Total 2400 Payroll Liabilities	\$	5,691.51						
2500 Short-Term Liabilities - other								
2520 New Mission #2		34,761.73						
Total 2500 Short-Term Liabilities - other	\$	34,761.73						
Total Other Current Liabilities	\$	40,453.24						

FAITH LUTHERAN CH	URCH	
Balance Sheet		
As of September 30, 202	4	
		Total
Total Current Liabilities	\$	40,453.24
Long-Term Liabilities		
2600 TX District CEF (Mortg 9-2000)		495,028.18
2601 Principal		-132,650.84
2602 Additional Principal		-362,377.34
Total 2600 TX District CEF (Mortg 9-2000)	\$	0.00
2700 TX District CEF (Mortg 12-2009)		3,726,598.92
2701 Principal		-1,242,617.52
2702 Additional Principal		-2,279,730.38
Total 2700 TX District CEF (Mortg 12-2009)	\$	204,251.02
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$	204,251.02
Total Liabilities	\$	244,704.26
Equity		
3000 Net Income		-1,786.00
3100 Temporary Restricted Net Assets		
3101 Altar Guild		256.00
3102 Adult Education		540.14
3103 Bereavement Committee		263.12
3104 Bread Of Life		9,582.83
3105 Senior Ministry		5,323.57
3106 Live Streaming Balance		525.17
3107 Music Fund		205.50
3108 Vacation Bible School		571.47
3109 Bell Choir		3,141.61
3110 Debt Retirement		1,022,477.95
3111 Property Damage		-7,452.59
3115 Lutheran Witness		274.50
3119 Pastor's Discretionary Fund		9,928.81
3120 Always Sharing God's Gifts		177,406.83
3121 By Faith		361,943.58
3123 Growing Abundantly, Giving Abundantly		541,851.99
3124 LCMS World Relief		40.00
3125 Rent Income		3,284.50
3126 Stephen Ministry		112.83
3128 Earphone Hearing Devices		200.00
3131 Lent/Advent Meals		2,092.55
3132 Preschool Balance		591.03
3134 Youth Missions Restricted		5,000.00

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Balance Shee	et	
As of September 30,	2024	
	7	Γotal
3135 Youth		3,749.10
3136 Chrismons Balance		540.24
3144 MomCo Fund		1,355.46
3147 Sanctuary Video System		69,579.35
3148 Church Plant-Budget		10,015.65
3149 Church Plant New		39,906.21
3150 Staff Gift Fund		2,450.01
3154 Columbarium Build		77,315.04
3155 Restricted Living Trust		33,394.55
3158 Am Herit Girl Balance		5,197.24
3159 Activity Center Remodel		1,833.10
3162 Mission Trips		2,078.00
3163 Ministry Initiatives		5,392.65
3164 Called worker fund		9,823.36
3165 Liturgical Paraments		19,345.51
3167 Portable Risers		274.24
3168 Trail Life USA		1,062.54
Total 3100 Temporary Restricted Net Assets	\$	2,421,473.64
3200 Permanently Restrict Net Assets		
3201 Private Member Memorial Fund		7,082.43
3202 Prof Church Worker Scholar Fund		98,057.78
Total 3200 Permanently Restrict Net Assets	\$	105,140.21
3500 Unrestrict Net Asset (ret earn)		6,765,032.83
Net Income		46,820.36
Total Equity	\$	9,336,681.04
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$	9,581,385.30
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FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH												
Budget vs. Actuals: Budget_FY24_P&L - FY24 P&L January - December 2024												
		Januar	y - December	2024								
		Sep	2024				Total					
				% of					% of			
	Actual	Budget	over Budget	Budget		Actual	Budget	over Budget	Budget			
Income												
4000 Offering												
4010 Plate	1,383.56	1,291.67	91.89	107.11%		12,732.59	15,500.00	-2,767.41	82.15%			
4020 Sunday School												
4021 Sunday School Missions	0.00		0.00			0.00	0.00	0.00				
Total 4020 Sunday School	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00		\$	0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00				
4030 Offering Envelopes	132,748.69	127,313.58	5,435.11	104.27%		1,191,217.65	1,527,763.00	-336,545.35	77.97%			
Total 4000 Offering	\$ 134,132.25	\$ 128,605.25	\$ 5,527.00	104.30%	\$	1,203,950.24	\$ 1,543,263.00	-\$ 339,312.76	78.01%			
4050 Designated Gifts												
4052 Other Designated Gifts	0.00		0.00			5.00	0.00	5.00				
4053 On-line Processing Fee	73.16	75.00	-1.84	97.55%		764.03	900.00	-135.97	84.89%			
Total 4050 Designated Gifts	\$ 73.16	\$ 75.00	-\$ 1.84	97.55%	\$	769.03	\$ 900.00	-\$ 130.97	85.45%			
4100 Designated Fund Income												
4102 Adult Education			0.00			141.00	0.00	141.00				
4103 Bereavement Committee			0.00			100.00	0.00	100.00				
4104 Bread Of Life	350.00		350.00			1,350.00	0.00	1,350.00				
4107 Music Fund			0.00			1,245.00	0.00	1,245.00				
4108 Vacation Bible School	25.69		25.69			1,552.99	0.00	1,552.99				
4110 Debt Retirement	6,686.14		6,686.14			79,689.88	0.00	79,689.88				
4111 Property Damage Income			0.00			469,776.82	0.00	469,776.82				
4115 Lutheran Witness	274.50		274.50			274.50	0.00	274.50				
4116 Lutherans For Life			0.00			512.00	0.00	512.00				
4121 By Faith Income	10,287.88		10,287.88			94,604.76	0.00	94,604.76				
4124 LCMS World Relief	40.00		40.00			40.00	0.00	40.00				
4131 Lent/Advent Meals			0.00			1,141.00	0.00	1,141.00				
4132 Faith Lutheran Preschool	445.75		445.75			9,558.03	0.00	9,558.03				
4135 Youth	150.00		150.00			1,301.38	0.00	1,301.38				
4136 Chrismons Income			0.00			165.00	0.00	165.00				
4144 MomCo Income	304.13		304.13			2,193.22	0.00					
4148 Church Plant-Budget	833.33		833.33			6,666.64	0.00	6,666.64				
4149 Church Plant-Donations	25.00		25.00			225.00	0.00	225.00				
4158 Am Herit Girl Income	1,970.00		1,970.00			6,212.20	0.00	6,212.20				
4159 Activity Center Rem Income	2,125.00		2,125.00			22,847.50	0.00	22,847.50				
4170 Transfer to Temp Rest Net Assts	-23,517.42		-23,517.42			-699,596.92	0.00					
Total 4100 Designated Fund Income	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00		\$	0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00				
4200 Endowment Fund												
4210 Prof. ChurchWorker Scholar Fund	370.00		370.00			2,131.10	0.00					
4220 LFOT Scholarship Fund			0.00		<u> </u>	100.00	0.00					
Total 4200 Endowment Fund	\$ 370.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 370.00		\$	2,231.10	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,231.10				
4700 Misc. Income												
4701 Interest Income-Checking/Saving												
4701-01 First Texas Bank	15.95	43.00	-27.05	37.09%		276.78	516.00					
4701-04 Texas Dist CEF Savings	818.91	1,000.00	-181.09	81.89%		9,184.15	12,000.00					
4701-05 Tx Dist CEF Mortgage Acct	108.17	124.00	-15.83	87.23%		1,127.75	1,488.00					
4701-06 TX Dist CEF-Prof. Dev.	25.26	25.00	0.26	101.04%		229.76	300.00					
4701-07 TX Dist CEF-Mission Plant #2	6 000 00	20.00	-20.00	0.00%	_	0.00	240.00					
Total 4701 Interest Income-Checking/Saving	\$ 968.29	•		79.89%	\$	10,818.44		-				
Total Income	\$ 968.29	-		79.89%	\$	10,818.44	-					
Total Income	\$ 135,543.70	-		104.35%	\$	1,217,768.81		-				
Gross Profit	\$ 135,543.70	\$ 129,892.25	\$ 5,651.45	104.35%	\$	1,217,768.81	\$ 1,558,707.00	-\$ 340,938.19	78.13%			
Expenses E400 Outrooph												
5100 Outreach	10.050.00	12 050 00	0.00	100 000/	-	110.050.00	150 000 00	20.750.00	75.000			
5180 Texas / Synod	13,250.00	13,250.00	0.00	100.00%		119,250.00	159,000.00					
5181 Concordia	2,120.00	2,120.00	0.00	100.00%		19,080.00	25,440.00					
5182 Caring Place	636.00	636.00	0.00	100.00%	L	5,724.00	7,632.00	-1,908.00	75.00			

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Sep 2024 Total % of % of Budget Actual Budget over Budget Budget Actual Budget over Budget 5761 Scholarships 500.00 500.00 500.00 1.000.00 -500.00 50.00% 0.00 5762 National Youth Gathering 0.00 0.00 0.00 2.000.00 -2.000.00 0.00% Total 5700 Youth 531.14 \$ 291.67 239.47 182.10% 2.480.36 \$ 7.500.00 5.019.64 33.07% 5800 Human Care 5852 Faith Activities-Child Care Sup 152.00 833.33 -681.33 18.249 605.50 10,000.00 -9,394.50 6.06% -156.25 312.50 625.00 50.00% 5860 Habitat For Humanity 0.00 156.25 0.009 -312.50 5865 Meals On Wheels 200.00 200.00 0.00 100.009 600.00 800.00 -200.00 75.00% 5866 Upbring 250.00 250.00 0.00 100.00% 750.00 1,000.00 -250.00 75.00% 5870 Lutherans for Life 125.00 0.00 100.00% 381.83 500.00 -118.17 76.37% 125.00 2,000.00 -166.67 0.009 1,461.28 -538.72 73.06% 5872 Funeral Luncheons 166.67 -83.33 0.00% 640.35 1.000.00 -359.65 5873 Stephen Ministry 83.33 64.04% 5876 Prayer Quilts 25.00 -25.00 0.00% 0.00 300.00 -300.00 0.00% 5877 Sunshine Team 83 33 -83.33 0.00% 693.71 1.000.00 -306.29 69 379 5878 Grief Process Group 25.00 -25.00 0.00% 0.00 300.00 -300.00 0.00% 0.00% 5879 Mission Visions 25.00 -25.00 0.00 100.00 -100.00 0.00% 5882 Heartfelt Stitchers 0.00 0.00 300.00 300.00 0.00 100.00% 5883 Military Care Pkgs. 375.00 -375.00 0.009 0.00 1,500.00 -1,500.00 0.00% 5890 Bread Of Life 41.67 -41.67 0.00% 0.00 500.00 -500.00 0.00% 200.00 0.00 100.00% 600.00 5891 Faith In Action - Georgetown 200.00 800.00 -200.00 75.00% 25.00 -25.00 0.00% 0.00 100.00 -100.00 0.00% 5892 Senior Advocacy Group 125.00 0.00 375.00 500.00 -125.00 5895 Pregnancy Help Center 125.00 100.00% 75.00% 1.052.00 \$ 2.739.58 -\$ 1,687.58 38.40% 6.720.17 \$ 21,325.00 14.604.83 31.51% Total 5800 Human Care 5900 Congregation Support 5921 New Member Class - Child Care 0.00 33.25 0.00 33.25 5945 Portals Of Praver 1.076.50 1.125.00 -48.50 95.699 3.537.38 4,500.00 -962.62 78.61% 5960 Visitation Ministry 83.33 -83.33 0.00% 0.00 1,000.00 -1,000.00 0.00% 5990 Church Worker Assistance 166.67 -166.67 0.00% 0.00 2,000.00 -2,000.00 0.00% 5995 New Member Materials 41.67 -41.67 0.009 0.00 500.00 -500.00 0.00% Total 5900 Congregation Support 1,076.50 \$ 1,416.67 340.17 75.99% 3,570.63 8,000.00 4,429.37 44.63% 6000 Business Services/Adm. 6010 Property/Liability Insurance 0.00 0.00 118,485.18 43,370.00 75,115.18 273.20% 273.60 0.00 273.60 67.189 6015 Workers Compensation Insurance 1,679.50 2,500.00 -820.50 6020 Office Supplies 260.22 416.67 -156.45 62.45% 9.750.26 5.000.00 4.750.26 195.01% 6030 Postage -47.15 250.00 -297.15 -18.86% 3,259.90 3,000.00 259.90 108.66% 6050 Office Furniture 41.67 -41.67 0.00% 0.00 500.00 -500.00 0.00% Total 6000 Business Services/Adm. \$ 486.67 \$ 708.34 -\$ 221.67 68.71% 133,174.84 \$ 54,370.00 \$ 78,804.84 244.94% 6100 Assimilation 6101 Assimilation Expenses 83.33 -83.33 0.00% 699.03 1,000.00 -300.97 69.90% 6102 Orientation Program 83.33 -83.33 0.00% 0.00 1,000.00 -1,000.00 0.00% Total 6100 Assimilation 0.00 \$ 166.66 166.66 0.00% 699.03 2,000.00 1,300.97 34.95% 6200 Technology & Media 166.67 -166.67 6202 Computer Repairs and Maint. 0.00% 1,063.90 2,000.00 -936.10 53.20% 3,685.06 167.79% 6203 Computer Software Contracts/Tra 1.250.00 2.435.06 294.80% 25.168.91 15.000.00 10.168.91 20.00 0.00 100.00% 240.00 -60.00 6205 Vanco Host Fee 20.00 180.00 75.00% 371.67 125.00 150.679 368.62 6210 Networking, DSL 246.67 3.328.62 2.960.00 112.45% 6240 Audio/Video Equipment 225 00 291 67 -66 67 77 14% 516.82 3 500 00 -2,983,18 14 77% 6250 Printer/Copier Contracts 1.579.00 2.500.00 -921.00 63.16% 24.562.14 30.000.00 -5,437.86 81.87% Total 6200 Technology & Media 5,880.73 \$ 4,475.01 1,405.72 131.41% 54,820.39 \$ 53,700.00 \$ 1,120.39 102.09% 6300 Property 3,800.00 4,166.67 -366.67 91.20% 34,765.00 -15,235.00 69.53% 6301 Facilities Management 50,000.00 6320 Supplies 583.33 -574.08 1.599 6.892.14 7.000.00 -107.86 98.46% 6360 Bldg.Furniture/Maintenance Equp 41.67 -41.67 0.00% 0.00 500.00 -500.00 0.00% 6371 Propane 275.00 -275.00 0.00% 816.30 3,300.00 -2,483.70 24.74% 6372 Utilities 5.623.19 6.666.67 -1.043.48 84.35% 43.661.13 80.000.00 -36.338.87 54.58% 6374 Maintenance & Repair 458.33 -458.33 0.009 9.171.66 5.500.00 3,671.66 166.76%

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Sep 2024 Total % of % of Budget Actual Budget over Budget Budget Budget over Budget Actual 2.822.34 5.000.00 -2.177.66 56.45% 42.438.33 60.000.00 -17.561.67 70.73% 6376 Major Projects 6390 Maintenance Contracts 1.082.92 1.750.00 -667.08 61.889 17.461.23 21.000.00 -3.538.77 83.15% Total 6300 Property \$ 13.337.70 \$ 18.941.67 5.603.97 70.41% 155.205.79 \$ 227.300.00 72.094.21 68.28% 6400 Hospitality 6410 Baptismal Reception 41.67 -41.67 0.00% 327.01 500.00 -172.99 65.40% -166.67 0.00% 22.73 2,000.00 -1,977.27 6420 Welcome Center 166.67 1.14% 6430 Hospitality Fund 83.33 -83.33 0.009 0.00 1,000.00 -1,000.00 0.00% Total 6400 Hospitality 0.00 291.67 291.67 0.00% 349.74 3,500.00 3,150.26 9.99% 6800 Bank Expenses 0.00 85.77 85.77 0.00 6810 Service Fees 709.21 8.805.78 8.805.78 709.21 0.00 6812 Mortgage Interest Paid -140.51 7,001.36 -2.598.64 6813 Vanco Processing Fees 659.49 800.00 82.449 9,600.00 72.93% 6820 Safe Deposit Box 0.00 0.00 20.00 20.00 0.00 100 00% Total 6800 Bank Expenses 1,368.70 \$ 800.00 \$ 568.70 171.09% 15,912.91 \$ 9,620.00 \$ 6,292.91 165.41% 7000 Parish Ministry & Fellowship 7010 Coffee/Condiments 136.59 150.00 -13.41 91.06% 1.445.45 1,800.00 -354.55 80.30% 7020 Congregational Picnic -121.00 625.00 -746.00 -19.36% -121.00 2,500.00 -2,621.00 -4.84% 7030 Parish Min & Fellowship (Othe) 83.33 -83.33 0.00% 0.00 1,000.00 -1.000.00 0.00% 0.00 64.12 -935.88 6.419 7031 Lent/Advent Meals 0.00 1,000.00 Total 7000 Parish Ministry & Fellowship 15.59 \$ 858.33 -\$ 842.74 1.82% 1,388.57 \$ 6,300.00 4.911.43 22.04% 7100 Designated Fund Expenses 875.64 1.384.09 7102 Adult Education 875.64 1.384.09 0.00 2 502 00 7104 Bread Of Life 0.00 2 502 00 0.00 7105 Senior Ministry Expense 0.00 264.00 0.00 264.00 7106 Live Streaming Expenses 0.00 596.00 0.00 596.00 7107 Music Fund 0.00 5.359.46 0.00 5,359.46 0.00 1,768.66 0.00 1,768.66 7108 Vacation Bible School 7111 Property Damage Expenses 0.00 898,953.04 0.00 898,953.04 7115 Lutheran Witness 0.00 855.00 0.00 855.00 7116 Lutherans For Life 0.00 512.00 0.00 512.00 675.44 675.44 5,709.78 0.00 5,709.78 7119 Pastor's Discretionary Expenses 7131 Lent/Advent Meals 491.45 0.00 491.45 0.00 8.967.00 0.00 7132 Faith Lutheran Preschool 0.00 8.967.00 7133 Children's Ministry Events 0.00 774.00 0.00 774.00 7135 Youth 0.00 720.00 0.00 720.00 7136 Chrismons Expenses 343 09 343.09 1,262.65 0.00 1,262.65 7144 MomCo Expenses 350.00 350.00 1,433.58 0.00 1,433.58 7147 Sanctuary Video System 0.00 67,420.65 0.00 67,420.65 7148 Church Plant-Budget 833.33 833.33 7,499.97 0.00 7,499.97 7149 Church Plant-Donations 0.00 125.00 0.00 125.00 7154 Columbarium Build Exp 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 7158 Am Herit Girl Expenses 691.12 691.12 4,730.45 0.00 4,730.45 9.526.25 9.526.25 47.418.34 47.418.34 7159 Activity Center Rem Expenses 0.00 0.00 1.460.52 0.00 1.460.52 7164 Called worker fund -13.294.87 -13.294.87 -1.060.707.64 0.00 -1.060.707.64 7170 Transfer to Temp Rest Net Assts Total 7100 Designated Fund Expenses 0.00 0.00 \$ 0.00 500.00 0.00 500.00 8000 Employee Expenses 8010 Payroll Expense 44,920.37 45,158.92 -238.55 99.479 389,727.06 541,907.00 -152,179.94 71.92% 8011 Vitality Well Allocation -50.00 0.009 600.00 -600.00 0.00% 7,426.57 10,582.67 -3,156.10 70.18% 78,426.42 126,992.00 -48,565.58 8020 Employee Benefits 61.76% 8025 Health Reimbursement 525.00 -425.62 18.93% 2.815.38 6.300.00 -3.484.62 44.69% 8030 Auto Allowance 600.00 941.67 -341.67 63.72% 5,866.64 11,300.00 -5,433.36 51.92% 8050 Housing Allowance 8,269.52 12,924.08 -4,654.56 63.99% 93,043.84 155,089.00 -62,045.16 59.99% 569,879.34 \$ Total 8000 Employee Expenses 61,315.84 \$ 70.182.34 8,866.50 87.37% 842,188.00 272,308.66 67.67% 87.14% \$ 111,207.64 \$ 127,618.09 -\$ 16.410.45 1,170,948.45 \$ 1,558,707.00 387,758.55 75.12%

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Total Expenses

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			Januar	y - I	December	2024							
			Sep	2024	4					Total			
	Actual			over Budget		% of Budget	Actual	Actual	Budget		over Budget		% of Budget
Net Operating Income	\$ 24,336.0	6 \$	2,274.16	\$	22,061.90	1070.11%	\$	46,820.36	\$	0.00	\$	46,820.36	
Net Income	\$ 24,336.0	6 \$	2,274.16	\$	22,061.90	1070.11%	\$	46,820.36	\$	0.00	\$	46,820.36	
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2025 **Proposed Budget**

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INCOME						
Plate	4010		15,500	15,500		-
Offering Envelopes	4030		1,527,763	1,649,308		121,545
OFFERING TOTAL	4000	\$	1,543,263	\$ 1,664,808	\$	121,545
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Designated Gifts-Online Processing Fees	.=	1	900	1,000		100
Interest Income-Checking/Savings	4701	<u> </u>	14,544	13,500	.	(1,044)
NON-OFFERING INCOME TOTAL	4700	\$	15,444	\$ 13,500	\$	(1,944)
TOTAL INCOME		\$	1,558,707	\$ 1,678,308	\$	119,601
EXPENSES						
Texas Dist & Synod	5180		159,000	168,540		(9,540)
Concordia University	5181		25,440	26,750		(1,310)
Caring Place	5182		7,632	7,800		(168)
Concordia High School	5183		7,632	7,800		(168)
OUTREACH	5100	\$	199,704	\$ 210,890	\$	(11,186)
Conferences/Workshops	5212	T	5,000	2,500		2,500
Guest Pastor	5212		500	2,000		(1,500)
Organizational Membership	5220		100	300		(200)
PASTORAL	5200	\$	5,600	\$ 4,800	Ś	800
PASTORAL	3200	>	5,600	\$ 4,800	, >	800
Organist	5301		-	2,000		(2,000)
Choir Directors	5302		3,600	22,600		(19,000)
Nursery Attendants	5303		11,600	11,600		-
Nursery Supplies	5304		750	500		250
Altar Supplies	5321		1,000	1,600		(600)
Choir Music	5324		800	800		-
Piano Tuning	5325		900	1,200		(300)
Handbell Music	5330		100	100		-
Section Leaders Southwestern Univ.	5345		6,000	8,000		(2,000)
Instrumental Musicians	5350		10,000	25,475		(15,475)
Sound Technicians (\$53 / Hour)	5370		30,000	31,000		(1,000)
Annual Choir Concert	5380		7,000	-		7,000
Music Licenses	5390		1,700	1,800		(100)
WORSHIP	5300	\$	73,450	\$ 106,675	\$	(33,225)
D. I. P. Ster.	T 5435	1	1.000	2 000	ı	(2.000)
Publicity	5425	1	1,000	3,000		(2,000)
Community Events	5430	1	10,000	5,000		5,000
Adult Confirmation Matl-New Members	5450	1	2,500	-		2,500
Outreach Endeavors	5455	<u> </u>	5,000	2,000		3,000
Easter Pageant	5456	1.	200	220		(20)
COMMUNITY OUTREACH	5400	\$	18,700	\$ 10,220	\$	8,480
Fall Stewardship Material	5526		2,000	-		2,000
Offering Envelopes	5528		1,500	2,000		(500)
STEWARDSHIP	5500	\$	3,500	\$ 2,000	\$	1,500

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ADMINISTRATION	6000	\$	54,370	\$ 135,230	\$	(80,860)
Office Furniture	6050		500	500		-
Postage	6030		3,000	3,000		
Office Supplies	6020		5,000	7,000		(2,000)
Workers Compensation Insurance	6015		2,500	3,480		(980)
Property/Liability Insurance	6010		43,370	121,250		(77,880)
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CONGREGATION SUPPORT	5900	\$	8,000	\$ 22,500	\$	(14,500)
Security	5997		-	15,000		(15,000)
New Member Materials	5995		500	500		-
Church Worker Assistance	5990		2,000	1,500		500
Visitation Ministry Expense	5960		1,000	1,000		-
Portals of Prayer	5945		4,500	4,500		-
New Member Class - Child Care	5921		-	500		(500)
HUMAN CARE	J 3800	\$	21,325	\$ 15,950	\$	5,375
Pregnancy Help Center	5895 5800	<u> </u>	500	500	<u> </u>	- - 27-
Senior Advocacy Group	5892		100	100		-
Faith in Action Georgetown		-	800	800		-
Bread of Life	5890 5891		500	500		-
Military Care Pkgs.	5883		1,500	0		1,500
Heartfelt Stitchers	5882		300	300		1 500
Mission Visions	5879	+	100	0		100
Grief Process Group	5878	-	300	50		250
Sunshine Team	5877		1,000	1,000		-
Prayer Quilts - New	5876	-	300	100		200
Stephen Ministry	5873	1	1,000	300		700
Funeral Luncheons	5872		2,000	2,000		-
Lutherans For Life	5870	1	500	500		-
Upbring	5866		1,000	3,000		(2,000)
Meals on Wheels	5865		800	800		-
Habitat for Humanity	5860		625	500		125
Faith Activities-Child Care Support	5852		10,000	2,000		8,000
Isaiah 1:17	NEW		-	3,500		(3,500)
YOUTH	5700	\$	7,500	\$ 6,800	\$	700
National Youth Gathering	5762		2,000	2,000		-
Scholarships	5761	<u>L</u>	1,000	1,000		
Counselor Expense	5760		500	300		200
Workshop/Conference	5712		500	500		-
High School Youth	5711	1	2,000	1,800		200
Jr. High Youth	5710		1,500	1,200		300
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EDUCATION	5600	\$	21,950	\$ 35,550	\$	(13,600)
Sunday School Coordinator	NEW	+	1,/30	5,000		(5,000)
Tract Racks Licensing/Background checks	5691 5692	+	250 1,750	1,750		250
Workshops & Conferences	5690		1,200	1,200		-
DCE Fieldworkers	5670		3,000	12,700		(9,700)
Kids Clubs	5660		1,250	500		750
Rock House	5654		1,000	700		300
Family Ministry	5650		2,500	1,700		800
Compass Groups	5648		750	500		250
Special Events	5646		800	1,200		(400)
Library	5644		50	50		-
Confirmation	5643		2,500	1,000		1,500
Adult Bible Study	5642		1,500	4,750		(3,250)
Vacation Bible School	5641		3,500	2,000		1,500
Sunday School	5640		1,900	2,500		(600)

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2024 2025 Change from 2024 **Budget Proposed Budget Budget** LUTHERAN CHURCH (increase)/ decrease Assimilation Expense 6101 1,000 1,000 Orientation Program 6102 1.000 500 500 ASSIMILATION 6100 \$ 2,000 | \$ 1,500 500 **Baptismal Reception** 500 6410 500 Welcome Center 6420 2,000 150 1,850 Hospitality Fund 1,000 250 750 6430 HOSPITALITY 6400 \$ 3,500 | \$ 900 | \$ 2,600 Facilities Management (Janitor) 6301 50,000 52,000 (2,000)6320 7,000 9,500 (2,500)Supplies Bldg Furn/Maintenance Equip 500 1,000 6360 (500)3,300 1,500 1,800 Propane 6371 80,000 Utilities 6372 65,000 15,000 Maintenance & Repair 6374 5,500 13,000 (7,500) Major Projects (A/C Replacement) 6376 60,000 30,000 30,000 Capital Projects 6378 Maint Contract (landscape, pest, fire) 21,000 6390 25,000 (4,000)227,300 PROPERTY 6300 197,000 30,300 \$ Computer Replacement and Maint 6202 2,000 15,000 (13,000)Computer Software Contracts/Train. 6203 15,000 40,000 (25,000)Vanco Host Fee 6205 240 240 Networking, DSL (Optimum) 4,500 6210 2,960 (1,540)Audio Video Equipment 6240 3,500 3,500 0 **Printer and Copier Contracts** 6250 30,000 25,000 5,000 **TECHNOLOGY & MEDIA** 6200 Ś 53,700 | \$ 88,240 (34,540) 0 100 (100)Service Fees 6810 Vanco Processing Fees 9,600 10,000 6813 (400)Safe Deposit Box 6820 20 20 BANK EXPENSE 6800 \$ 9,620 | \$ 10,120 \$ (500) Coffee/Condiments 7010 1,800 2,000 (200)2,500 Congregational Picnic 7020 2,500 Parish Ministry & Fellowship (Other) 7030 1,000 500 500 Lent Advent Meals 7031 1,000 500 500 PARISH MINISTRY & FELLOWSHIP 7000 \$ 6,300 \$ 5,500 \$ 800 EMPLOYEE EXPENSES 8000 \$ 824,433 \$ 842,188 | \$ 17,755 TOTAL EXPENSES-BEFORE CALL EXPENSE \$ 1,558,707 1,678,308 (119,601) % change from prior budget 5.30% 7.67% Call Expenses \$0 \$5,000 (\$5,000) \$0 \$25,000 (\$25,000) **Moving Expenses** Total (Director of Human Care) \$ 30,000 (\$30,000) Increases from Prior Years Budget 2023 to Budget 2024 5.3% Budget 2022 to Budget 2023 5.4% Budget 2021 to Budget 2022 13.4%

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