Phillipsburg First Christian Church

APRIL 2020 NEWSLETTER

From the Pastor's Pen - By Pastor LeRoy Herder

Make this a time to find great opportunities for service.

First believe what God says in His word about what we are going through with this virus thing. **Isaiah 41:10** Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand. Say this scripture aloud. Really believe it!.

Then determine to turn this time into great opportunities for serving the Lord. Here are just a few suggestions.

- 1. Volunteer to help clean up our playground. There has already been an increase in families bringing their children to our little playground. It would be great if some volunteers (no more than 10 at a time) would come and work to spruce up the playground, sanitize the equipment, chop out weeds, add some new sand and repair the leg of one bench. This could be a great opportunity for families to work together, for youth and / or anyone who desires to use this time for service. We'll work on preparing a flyer about our church to be made available to those who use the playground.
- 2. Go through our church directory and pray for every person, couple and family. Pray for their spiritual growth and physical wellbeing. Ask the Holy Spirit to impress you of how you might help someone.
- **3. Get creative as to how you might minister to or be a blessing to others.** On Sunday Laura Bogart and her two children came by and sang for us and others. What a blessing. What can you come up with?
- **4. Send cards or make a call to our older members**, and send a text to younger members. Do what you can to keep in touch.
- 5. Listen to the Holy Spirit. He will open some amazing opportunities for you.

Love ya, Pastor Herder

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

01 Derick Coomes	15 Zachary Jacobs
02 Jason Dibble	16 Carrie Babcock
03 Ashley Constable	23 Michelle Jacobs
05 Jack Siglinger	24 Eunice Boeve
09 Delaine Thomas	25 Donna Farr
10 Mickalee McCartney	27 Wendy Turner
13 Jeremiah Minkler	28 Harlan Nonhof
14 Cody Bogart	30 Peggy Minkler
14 Scott Constable	30 Brielle Werner

15 Kay Burns

April Scripture

And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them. Romans 8:28

MARCH OFFERING

01	\$2,646.06
08	\$2,154.00
15	\$6,142.00
22	\$1,305.00
29	unavailable

Each Sunday we need to collect \$2,596.15 to meet our budget. Please pray about your giving. Remember, you cannot out-give God.

COOK MISSION OFFERING

February \$300.47

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