

## **AUGUSTUS LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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An Historic Parish for Today's People

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Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Each year Augustus Lutheran Church seeks your commitment of financial support for the ministries we plan to provide in following calendar year. Your generous commitment is essential to funding our ministries and programs of worship, learning, and serving our neighbors in need at Augustus. Without your support, these ministries cannot happen.

In Jesus'name and with your support:

- Over 40 children enrolled in Sunday School learn about God's love for them,
- 27 young people prepare for First Holy Communion or Confirmation, and
- Several dozen high school students participate in the Senior High Youth Group.

## Furthermore,

- We prepare and serve 150 meals each month to our neighbors in need in Norristown, PA.
- We provide hats, gloves, and Christmas gifts for the vulnerable young people at the Silver Springs Martin Lutheran School in Plymouth Meeting.
- We collect non-perishable food products weekly for the Daily Bread Food Pantry, which helps our less well-off neighbors in the Trappe-Collegeville area.

All of these ministries happen because of your generous support.

We ask you to consider prayerfully how your financial commitment for 2020 reflects your gratitude to God for all his blessings. Then please return the enclosed Commitment Card to the church either by placing it in the offering plate using the enclosed envelope or mailing it to the Parish Office within the next two (2) weeks. Thank you.

Yours in Christ, The Stewardship Committee

Enclosures: Commitment Card

Return Envelope

P.S. You may know that Augustus has been blessed with Trust Funds given to us by previous generations of parishioners. What you may not know is that these Trust Funds have restrictions on how the money can be spent. Because of these restrictions, we cannot use any of the earnings from those Trust Funds to support our regular program budget. Every penny of our program ministry must be funded by member offerings. We need your help.

The Reverend G. Warren Weleck – Senior Pastor
The Reverend Thomas T. Kochenderfer – Visitation and Associate Pastor