Our Commitment

We believe Jesus Christ first welcomed us through His grace. Therefore, our calling is not merely to welcome others, but to faithfully walk beside them as fellow disciples of Christ.

As a congregation, we commit ourselves to proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ, faithfully teaching the Holy Scriptures, celebrating the Sacraments, and loving our neighbors as Christ has loved us.

We commit ourselves to creating a community where every person is treated with dignity because every person is created in the image of God and is someone for whom Christ gave His life.

We commit ourselves to caring for one another through the ordinary and extraordinary seasons of life—celebrating joys, carrying burdens, comforting those who grieve, encouraging those who struggle, strengthening families, supporting children, walking beside the lonely, praying for the sick, and reminding one another that God's grace is sufficient for every circumstance.

We commit ourselves to serving our community with compassion, generosity, humility, and hope, seeking not simply to meet immediate needs but to share the lasting hope found in Jesus Christ.

We commit ourselves to speaking the truth in love, extending forgiveness as we have been forgiven, seeking reconciliation where there is division, and living together as brothers and sisters in Christ.

We commit ourselves to growing as disciples through worship, prayer, Bible study, generous service, faithful stewardship, and lives shaped by the Holy Spirit.

Martin Luther reminded the Church that "God does not need our good works, but our neighbor does." Because Christ has already accomplished our salvation through His death and resurrection, we are free to love and serve our neighbors with joyful hearts.

This is our commitment:

- To love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength.
- To love our neighbors as ourselves.
- To bear one another's burdens.
- To proclaim Christ crucified and risen.
- To serve with compassion.
- To forgive freely.
- To grow continually in faith.
- And in all things, to give glory to God.

“By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”
— John 13:35

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