

4.27.25 Heritage Updates

Mat Ministry, 4/29

Each Tuesday from 10:30 - noon. All women are always welcome to help with cutting, tying, or crocheting grocery bags for sleeping mats. (Or you're welcome to bring in whatever project you're currently working on and just enjoy the time together). Grocery bags may be dropped off in the narthex any time.

Ladies' Thursday Morning Study, 5/1

We'll continue our Gratitude study with Lesson 7 on **4.17 from 10:00 - 11:00 am** here at the church.

May 'First Supper Sunday' Lunch, 5/4

Tex/Mex is on the menu! Plan to stay after Sunday School and sign up to bring your favorite Tex OR Mex dish, side or dessert to share.

Nursery & Jr Church Volunteers

Please help share in the privilege of serving our Heritage and visitor families. You can sign up using SignUp Genius or at the signup sheets at the nursery & Jr Church doors. (A background check is required for all new volunteers, at no cost to you.)

Love God * Love Neighbor * Serve Sacrificially

Heritage Kids

Nursery is available for **infants-PreK** during worship (if staffing allows). Feel free to use it for however much of the service you desire.

Junior Church is available (if staffing allows) during the 2nd half of the service for ages **kindergarden-4th grade**. Children will leave during the songs before the sermon and return during the final song. The classroom is in the back of Fellowship Hall - straight out the back of the sanctuary.

Red Folder activity pages are also available at the table by the sanctuary door for anyone who wishes to use them.

God's Kingdom Building: Charles & Irene, preparing to serve in West Africa

In 2025 they have already visited 7+ churches & missions committees across PA & IN, presented at 2 presbytery meetings and taken part in several missions conferences.



Thanksgiving:

We thank our Lord for his faithfulness in raising up the Great-Commission-minded churches and individual faithful believers whose partnerships allowed us to cross the 50% monthly budget support threshold milestone.

Prayer Requests, please pray that:

- The Lord continues to direct our steps and leads us to churches and individual believers he has appointed to partner with us so that we may reach our ultimate goal of being fully funded by August 2025.
- He miraculously raises up ministry partners to help us raise \$3,600 monthly support by the end of May 2025 to meet the MTW required 80% monthly funding so that we may attend its June 2025 Pre-Field Training, the last of this year. Otherwise, we will have to wait for the next one in February 2026, delaying our goal of being in our mission field within the first trimester of 2025. The Pre-Field Training is the last MTW training before deployment to the mission field.
- He continues to empower and give us wisdom and travel mercies as we travel to share our ministry vision with potential support partners.
- He strengthens us to continue our support-raising efforts with joy, thanksgiving, and the sense of privilege of being graciously chosen as laborers in his harvest field of West Africa.