

A NOTE FROM PASTOR HERR

Grace and peace to you in the name of the Father, +Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

For everything there is a season and a time for every matter under heaven

--Ecclesiastes 3:1

Our family and I express our appreciation and gratitude for the many expressions of sympathy, support, and love we have received in the wake of my father's death. For many years he and my mother enjoyed visiting Christ Lutheran Gettysburg and worshipping with the congregation. They appreciated the friendships that developed and the many conversations they had with members. After he moved to Gettysburg three years ago, one of my father's highest priorities was attending worship services with Jill, Josh, and Jared. He also enjoyed working with the newsletter crew to help put together the newsletter. His final outing was to attend worship on June 4 where he received the sacrament of holy communion, clapped with the contemporary service musicians, heard God's Word, and experienced the love of this community of faith. Thank you all for your kindness, care, and love for my dad. While we miss his presence, we give thanks to God for his 90 years of life, service, witness, faith, and love. Rest eternal grant him, O Lord, and may light perpetual shine upon him.

Your servant in Christ,
Pastor Stephen Herr