

MONTHLY

DIGITAL NEWSLETTER



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MORE THAN A WINDOW

If you haven't had a chance yet, stop by the gym and take a look at the new window features that were recently installed. As the gym has seen increased use since the installation of the new gym flooring, the existing window treatments were getting damaged. That sparked an idea from our Maintenance Director, Gary Riffle, to replace them with custom metal window guards that would better protect the space.

As the project developed, Communications Coordinator Dezra Lawson was asked to help with the design. After exploring several concepts, one idea stood out. Looking at the three windows on each side of the gym, it became the perfect opportunity to incorporate Christ's Church's mission: "Following Jesus. Loving People. Making a Difference."

A new design was created, and after months of planning, fabrication, and installation by the team at **Iron Faith Metalworks**, the project is now complete. We are grateful for their craftsmanship and partnership in bringing the vision to life. More than just protecting our windows, these new features serve as a daily reminder of who we are and what we're called to do. Whether you're playing basketball, attending an event, or simply walking through the gym, we hope these words encourage us all to faithfully follow Jesus, love people, and make a difference.

CHRIST'S CHURCH, CHANGING LIVES!

Thank you for participating in Life Forwards Change for Life, baby bottle drive. We checked in with Sarah Wilcox from Life Forward and she had this to share:

"Christ's Church raised \$5,923.56 for Change for Life! This is a tremendous blessing to the women and families we serve! For context, that amount covers the cost of care for almost 10 women at no charge to them. Not only do we get to serve women and families with material and physical care, but we also have the opportunity to minister to them spiritually and pray and share the love of Jesus with them. This happens with your support, so thank you!"

JULY BAPTISMS

Congratulations to Tanis Edwards, Hudson Hunter (8), Liam Newcomer (8), and Katie O'Brien on their commitment to choose new life this month!



THE
RENDER



CHANGE
FOR LIFE

BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN RAISED

\$5,923.56

CHRIST'S CHURCH



Tanis



Hudson



Liam



Katie

AUGUST SERIES "TRAINING CAMP"

Every successful team spends weeks preparing before the season begins. They don't wait until game day to get in shape, learn the playbook, study the opponent, or build chemistry. They prepare because they know what happens before the season determines what happens during the season.

The same is true for followers of Jesus.

As we head into the fall—a season when schools begin, routines return, relationships reconnect, and our church reaches more people than almost any other time of the year—we want to prepare our church to live on mission.

This isn't simply an evangelism series.

It's a mission readiness series.

Over five weeks we'll prepare our hearts, our minds, and our lives so that when opportunities come, we're ready to point people to Jesus.

- **August 2:** *Report to Camp*
- **August 9:** *Learn The Playbook*
- **August 16:** *Stay In The Game*
- **August 23:** *Know The Coach*
- **August 30:** *Take The Field (One Service Only)*



ATTENDANCE & GIVING

JULY 5	611	\$42,166
JULY 12	536	\$39,187
JULY 19	502	-----
JULY 26	522	-----

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