

To the Council of Lutheran Women,

Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord!

Thank you so much for the gracious and generous gift that you have blessed my family and I with. As I mentioned last year, the reassurance of having your prayerful and monetary support during this busy and grueling season of balancing work and family life, along with the added pressures of seminary course work (especially now that I have been in it for over a year now) is such a beautiful blessing and gift from God! The generosity and kindness you have shown as you count me among the recipients of this amazing gesture through your monetary gift once again is truly humbling and stirs deep emotions of gratitude and thankfulness in my heart.

It is not lost on me the sacrifice you all make so that others may be lifted up, encouraged, and supported as we in turn strive to grow in our capacity to best love, lead, and care for those to whom Jesus has entrusted to our care. Thank you for reminding me of the faithfulness of God in how He is working through His you all, His church to provide for others!

May God's peace and love accompany and abide with you all!

Sincerely,

Vicar Josh Britton