

Crossfield United Church

Announcements – August 6, 2026



“...But by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning Jesus came walking toward them on the sea.”
– Matthew 14:24-25.

This Sunday at Crossfield United

Friends, we hope you can join us for worship this Sunday, June 28th, at 10 a.m. We'll sing some joyful hymns, offer prayers for our community and all of God's world, and hear an amazing story from Matthew's Gospel (Matt. 14:22-33), one with deep meaning for Christians today.

May I express my sincere thanks to Joyce, Barb, and Isabelle for offering their talents, faith, and leadership Sunday mornings over the past five weeks. We are indeed abundantly blessed in our congregation with lay leaders in so many areas of church life. My two weeks of vacation and three weeks of study leave were restful and productive.

Thank you.



August Sunday Services

August 9th – 11th Sunday after Pentecost.
Matthew 14:22-33. “Not a Magician”.

August 16th – 12th Sunday after Pentecost.
Matthew 15:21-28. “A Messiah’s Mind
Changed”.

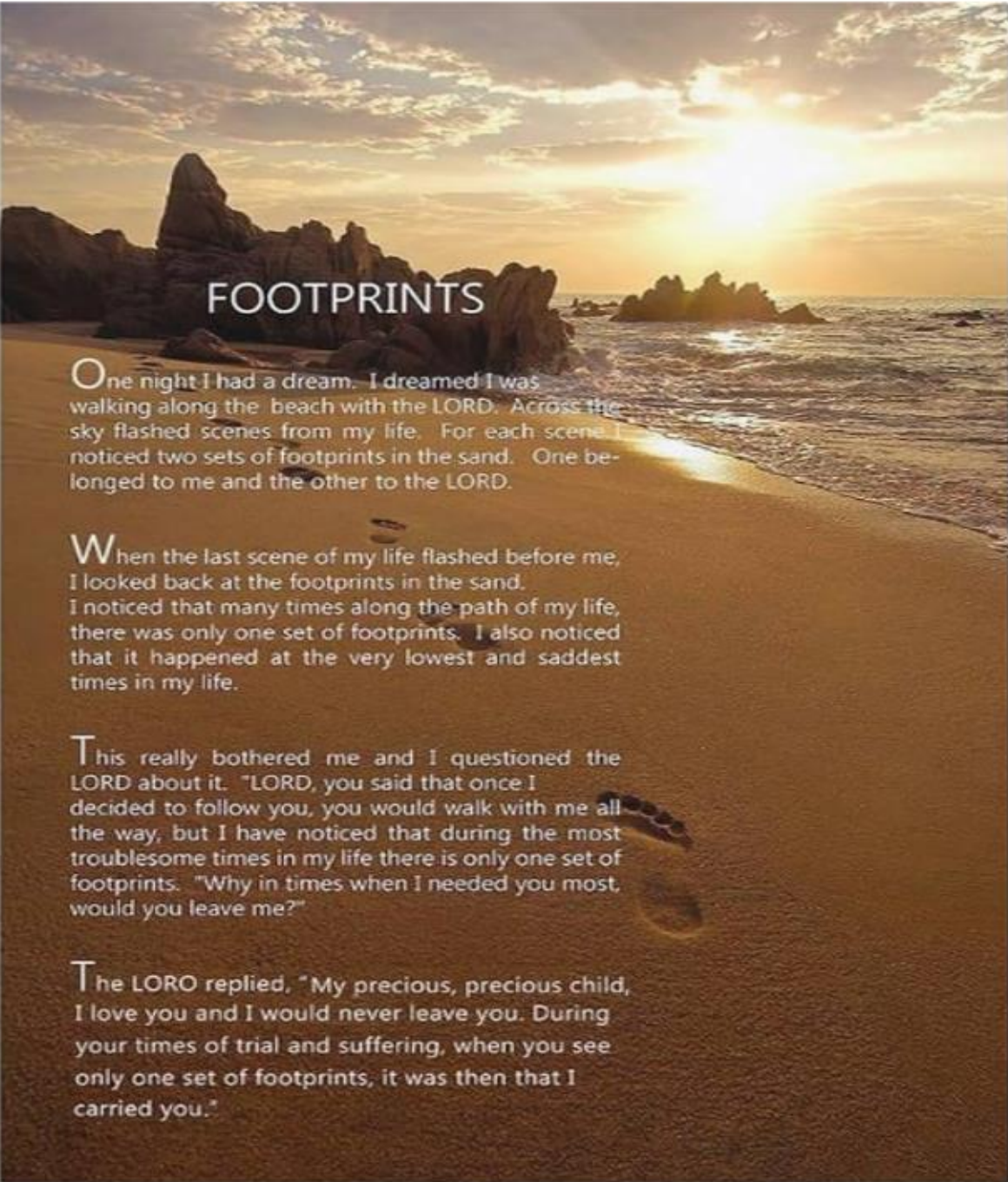
August 23rd – 13th Sunday after Pentecost.
Matthew 16:13-20. “Who do we say Jesus
is?”

August 30th – 11th Sunday after Pentecost.
Matthew 16:21-28. “He Knew Temptation”.

Next Board Meeting:

Thursday, August 13th, 1 pm.





FOOTPRINTS

One night I had a dream. I dreamed I was walking along the beach with the LORD. Across the sky flashed scenes from my life. For each scene I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand. One belonged to me and the other to the LORD.

When the last scene of my life flashed before me, I looked back at the footprints in the sand. I noticed that many times along the path of my life, there was only one set of footprints. I also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in my life.

This really bothered me and I questioned the LORD about it. "LORD, you said that once I decided to follow you, you would walk with me all the way, but I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life there is only one set of footprints. "Why in times when I needed you most, would you leave me?"

The LORD replied, "My precious, precious child, I love you and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

