## **Congregation Council Highlights**

## April 11, 2024

- The project committee met with the architect on April 11. The architect has met with the elevator company and a plan has been developed that will allow the elevator to provide access to all floors of the church building. Preliminary site work continues, along with contact with the city for necessary guidelines and requirements for construction.
- The Finance Committee recommended the use of Stifel financial firm to handle our investments and offer guidance for financing of the project. Council approved the recommendation.
- The size of the finance committee was discussed. It currently has nine members which proved to be a bit too large. The committee will be divided into two sub committees, a group of five will oversee the investment portion and four will deal with the budget. Joint meetings will be held as necessary.
- The retirement of Linda Maule was approved with a severance package and luncheon or dinner celebrating her ministry.
- We will continue to review staffing needs and present positions.