

**CHILD DEDICATION**  
**(Commitment of Christian Community)**



**PASTOR:**

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*"Christianity is more caught than taught."*

This means that all of us have responsibility for the children of our church family, and this must cause us to think about the example we are offering them.

(invite congregation to rise)

**CHURCH FAMILY RESPONSE:**

You have offered:

***Marshall Henry Campeau & Joshua John Stewart***

to the strong and tender providence of God. We rejoice with you and give thanks for the gift of your child. We promise, with humility and seriousness, to share in your child's nurture and well-being. We will support, by our example and words, your efforts to provide a loving and caring home, where trust in God grows and Christ's way is chosen. Our prayers will be with you and for you. May our shared life and witness help make your task both joyful and fruitful.

**PASTOR'S PRAYER:**

**CONGREGATION:**

The Lord bless you and keep you;

The Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;

The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

AMEN!!!

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