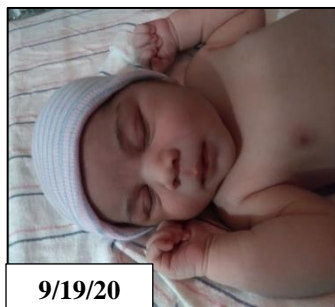
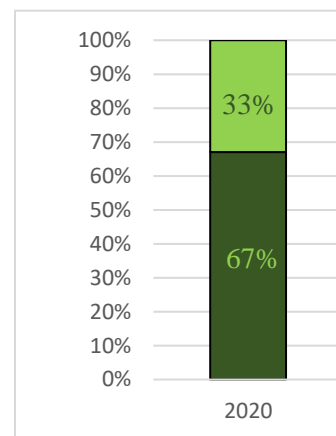
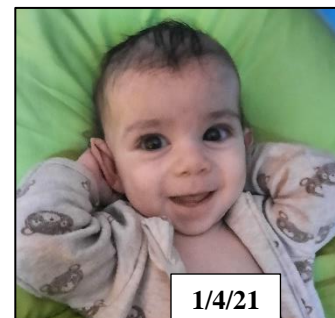


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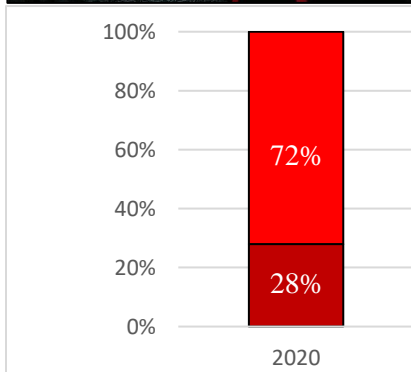


Sara cannot believe she has been inviting children into her **lifeboat** for 11 years, 7 of which have been right here in Berks County, home sweet home! She is so thankful for those who prayed for her pregnancy. On September 19, 2020 at 5:41pm she and Andy welcomed Paul Andres into the world. He was 8 pounds 0.6 ounces and 20 inches long. Birth did not go as anticipated. Although her water broke clear around 7am by noon it was darkened by meconium, Paul's first bowel movement. Also, with each contraction Paul's heartrate would drop. Since Sara was not dilating past 5cm, she had a C-section. Before she was wheeled into surgery, a nurse asked her how she was feeling. She answered, "Surprisingly calm, but then I have so many people praying." Afterwards a nurse remarked, "You are pretty chipper for just having a C-section." To which Sara replied, "That's because of the medication, and I've got a lot of people praying." Seven hours after birth it was discovered that Paul's breathing was not quite right. He was then admitted into NICU for a week. Finally, on September 27 Paul came home. Sara and Andy are indebted to you for praying for them! You helped them be a witness at the hospital. God gave them many opportunities. Sara has mostly recovered, and Paul is doing well.

Sara concluded 2020 with 67% of her support with 48% from people who designated their gift to "Sara's Support" and 19% from people who designated their gift to go to "Where Needed Most." The 33% deficit comes from our "General Fund." Will you pray for people to join Sara's financial support team?



Our Assistant Director ❄️



Matthew delights in inviting children into his **lifeboat**! He loves breaking down hard concepts and answering the unending questions children have about God. He also has a passion for God's Word and loves to preach. Matt concluded 2020 at 28% of his support with 9% from people who designated their gift to "Matthew's Support" and 19% from people who designated their gift to go to "Where Needed Most." The 72% deficit comes from our "General Fund." Will you pray more people join Matthew's financial support team?

