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Ashburn Lutheran Church Raises Steeple on New Building

ASHBURN, VA - September 5: An exciting milestone was reached recently when the steeple was raised on the new church building under construction at Our Savior's Way Lutheran Church on Claiborne Parkway. Construction on the church began in October of 2006 and is slated to be completed by spring of 2008. The new building will include a sanctuary which will seat 500 people, rooms for group meetings, and additional classrooms for the Open Arms Christian Child Development Center.

According to Pastor Bill Mann, "The steeple went up on a beautiful summer day. The blue sky reminds me of heaven - the goal of the journey for everyone at Our Savior's Way." The journey of Our Savior's Way began over 9 years ago when services were held at Broad Run High School with 30 families. Today, more than 300 families are members of the church and it continues to grow. The new church building will enable the church to provide more programs for members, more opportunities to the community for activities, and additional classrooms for the Open Arms Christian Child Development Center.

Our Savior's Way, along with the Open Arms Christian Child Development Center, has served families in the Ashburn area for over 9 years. Open Arms is open to children from 6 weeks to 12 years old and offers before/after school care for children in kindergarten through sixth grade. They are located at the intersection of Waxpool Road and Claiborne Parkway (Exit 5 of the Greenway and 1 mile south) and are currently expanding their facility to provide room for additional community activities.

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