



UNITED IN FAITH

BUILDING BETHANY'S FUTURE

Dear Bethany Family,

We find ourselves at an exciting moment in our shared life. Our church and eleven-acre campus have served us faithfully for decades, even as ministry has grown, changed, and expanded. Today, signs of aging are as evident as new opportunities for connection, learning, and service emerge. Thankfully, God is active at Bethany! We are embarking on a capital campaign to address our most pressing needs and to optimize our campus and facilities, and thereby our ministries, well into the future.

United in Faith: Building Bethany's Future is an invitation. It is not only about updating spaces and addressing long-deferred needs, it is equally about stewardship—about expanding the ministries entrusted to us. It is about cultivating spaces that better reflect our values and support those ministries: a campus-wide **Welcome**, places for Spirit-filled **Worship**, spaces for intergenerational **Faith Formation**, and **Outreach** that springs from our campus with impacts well beyond it.

We look forward with gratitude and hope. Gratitude for those whose faithfulness and hard work over the years still serve as our foundation; hope for lives to be transformed in years to come as an outcome of this initiative.

We ask you to engage this initiative with openness and prayer. Consider what Bethany means in your life. Reflect upon how God is inviting you to support Bethany's future. And trust that, as we move forward together, God will remain faithful to this community we love.

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RECOGNIZE YOUR NEED TO GIVE

In a world focused on getting more, the Christian call to generosity invites us to see giving in a new light. Generosity begins with recognizing that all we have—time, skills, and resources—is a gift from God. This awareness frees us from fear of scarcity and helps us view what we hold not as possessions to protect, but as tools for building God’s reign of love and justice.

Scripture paints a clear picture of this joy. In 2 Corinthians 9:7 we read, “God loves a cheerful giver.” The heart of generosity is not the size of the gift but the spirit in which it’s given. When we share freely, we reflect Christ’s love, strengthen relationships, and nurture a spirit of unity.

Giving also shapes our hearts. It builds gratitude and reminds us that we need one another. This connection blesses those who receive and deepens our own walk of faith.



Our call to give is not about buildings or budgets—it is about who God made us to be. We are created in the image of the generous One. Each act of generosity reflects the character of God within us and draws us closer to the life God longs for all people.