our next step

RENOVATION + EXPANSION VISION



the why

People Are Hungry For God

As we reflect on the past year, our mission to reach, restore, raise, and release disciples of Jesus Christ all to the glory of God is stronger than ever. With growing attendance, vibrant ministries, and a community eager to encounter Jesus, we are stepping into an exciting new season. To fully live out this mission and prepare for what's ahead, we must ensure that our spaces and tools effectively support the work God has called us to do.

Over the past year, we have witnessed God move in incredible ways. Since 2021, our average weekend worship attendance has grown by over 100 people each Sunday, with nearly half of that growth occurring in 2024 alone. Connecting with others through Sunday mornings is central to our mission by helping people connect with God and one another.

However, our current audio/visual setup is limiting our ability to achieve this mission. We began exploring ways to improve our sound quality both in person and online and it became clear that one key driver of our issues was acoustics. To create crisp and clear sound throughout the room, we must improve the sound panels in the auditorium. Replacing these panels is not only essential for improving acoustics but it also provides the right opportunity to fully enhance our worship space, ensuring that it reflects the vibrant and welcoming atmosphere of our worshipping community, and clear communication of the Gospel's life-changing message.

These updates are critical to creating an environment where every person, no matter where they sit, can encounter God in a meaningful way.

Our online worship experience is equally important. Studies show that 70% of first-time guests watch a sermon online before attending in person. For those exploring our church or unable to attend in person due to distance, illness, or disability, a seamless online experience is vital. While we don't need broadcast-level production, we do need clear and distraction-free audio and video to keep viewers engaged and connected. Improving our livestream isn't about competing but about fostering meaningful connections that include online worshippers in the life and mission of the church.

Investing in audio/visual upgrades reflects our commitment to excellence, community, and our mission to reach, raise, and restore disciples both in person and online. Yet, this need has also prompted us to ask a broader question:

→ How can our building better help us fulfill the mission God has given us?

\rightarrow We're growing and our community is changing.

Our church is growing, and so is our community. Our building, while a place of ministry for many years, no longer reflects the welcoming atmosphere we want to create. The last major remodel was 17 years ago, and while some updates have been made, this is about more than just wear and tear. It's about ensuring our space matches the mission field we serve—a space that is modern, inviting, and adaptable for all the ways we gather.

With more than 800 people walking through our doors each week—not just on Sundays the need for a welcoming and functional environment has never been greater. A fresh update will enhance the experience for our congregation while extending an inviting hand to the community we are called to serve.

ightarrow A space that moves with us as we move in step with the Holy Spirit.

How we utilize our space communicates what we value most. The need for versatile, multipurpose spaces has become increasingly urgent. For instance, our kid's ministry at the 9:30 service is at full capacity, creating challenges for accommodating more young families. Similarly, adult groups meeting during the week are approaching space limits, and we want to provide room for these groups to expand and thrive.

As our area is projected to grow by 10% over the next decade—particularly among families with children and teens—we must prioritize flexible spaces to meet the needs of both today and the future. This will allow us to maximize our facility's impact across multiple ministries throughout the week.

Our commitment to future generations is clear: we want to help preschool and elementaryaged kids grow closer to Jesus. This is reflected in our designated children's spaces and our vision for updated, welcoming branding and signage that convey the excitement and vibrancy of our ministry to children and families. Upgrading our preschool playground equipment is another critical step in creating a safe, engaging environment where children can build friendships and thrive.

→ Why right now?

This is a pivotal moment for our church. By investing in these updates to our facilities and technology, we are creating opportunities for deeper worship, stronger community, and impactful discipleship. Together, we can ensure that everyone who walks through our doors or joins us online has a place to connect with God, hear His truth, and experience His love. Join us in building a space and ministry that reflect the God we serve and the people we are called to reach—both now and for generations to come. Let's move forward in faith, trusting that God will use our efforts to make an eternal impact.

→ Step 1 (In Process or Completed)

Repurpose the conference room to improve functionality for multi-use by adding new flooring, countertop, furniture, and paint. Ensure parking lot longevity through maintenance creating a more welcoming entrance. Renovate the family bathroom by the Cafe to provide a clean, hospitable space for all who use our building.

\rightarrow Step 2

Build a safe, welcoming, and engaging play area for children by upgrading playground equipment, landscaping, fencing, and drainage—making it a place where families feel cared for and kids love to be.

Create a more welcoming, functional, and effective environment—both in our auditorium and online—so that nothing stands in the way of people experiencing the Gospel and growing as disciples of Jesus.

→ Step 3

Renovate high-traffic areas of our facility to create a more welcoming, modern, and functional environment. This includes updating the lobby and KidZone check-in area with new carpet, paint, furniture, lighting, and signage—enhancing both the beauty and usability of our space for everyone who walks through our doors.

→ Step 4

Reimagine the Garage, Gathering Room and Cafe to create more functional, welcoming environments for all ages. Updates will include new flooring, paint, lighting, furniture, and redesigned layouts to support multi-use gatherings, foster connection, and better serve our church family.

→ Step 5

Expand our facility with a new 1,800 sq. ft. enclosed room between the Garage and Gathering Room for year-round, multipurpose use, along with a new storage barn to house equipment and supplies used less frequently.

Step 1: Repurpose the Conference Room (Completed) and Repair Parking Lot

- Refreshed the former conference room by adding new flooring, countertops, furniture, and paint to support multi-use functionality.
- Repair, seal, and stripe the parking lot to preserve its condition and ensure long-term durability.



Before

After

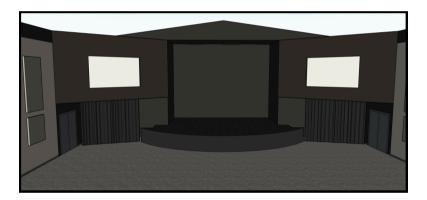


Update the Family Bathroom by Cafe (In Progress)

• Create a clean, hospitable bathroom facility with new flooring, fixtures, and paint. We will also upgrade lighting to improve brightness and lessen energy output.

Step 2: Upgrade Playground + Auditorium

- Replace and upgrade playground equipment, landscape, fencing, and drainage to make it child-safe and enticing.
- Install new carpet, apply fresh paint, replace drapes, address sound issues, and remodel the sound booth in the Auditorium.







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Step 3: Refresh High-Traffic Spaces

• **Lobby:** Update with new carpet, modern paint colors, improved lighting, updated cabinets and countertops, and new furniture to create a warm, inviting building entrance.



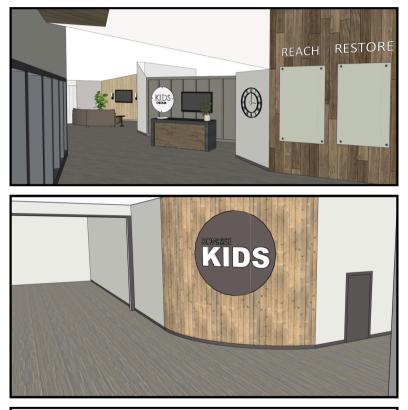






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• KidZone Check-in & Hallway: Brighten and refresh with new flooring, cabinets, furniture, and signage to create a welcoming space for families. We will also adjust the location to create a better flow through our space.





Step 4: Renew Key Interior Spaces

- Garage Renovation: Convert to multi-use space for all ages with new flooring, chairs, paint, a smaller sound booth, and reduced stage size.
- **Gathering Room:** Remodel the room for multi-use with carpet tile, updated lighting, a new counter, and furniture to maximize functionality.
- **Café Redesign:** Create a welcoming and functional space for fellowship with updated flooring, paint, lighting, cabinets, countertop, furniture, and reducing the size of the fireplace.











Step 5: Provide Additional Space

- Room Addition: Create an enclosed room of 1,800 square feet between Gathering Room & Garage for multipurpose year-round use.
- New Storage Barn: Increase storage space for items and equipment we use on a limited basis.



What does a project like this cost?

We believe every step we take is an investment in God's mission to reach, raise, restore, and release disciples of Jesus Christ—all to the glory of God. As we move forward with Our Next Step Renovation & Expansion Vision, we are committed to wise stewardship of the resources God has entrusted to us.

Costs are preliminary estimates and may be adjusted based on project needs and contractor bids. We are committed to moving forward only as funds are received, minimizing the use of any short-term financing.

Every gift, no matter the size, makes a difference in helping us take the next step together.

TOTAL ESTIMATED COST: \$1,100,000

the how

We invite you to prayerfully seek God's leading on how He would have you invest —making a faith-filled promise above and beyond your regular giving to help bring this vision to life. Every promise, whether given weekly, monthly, or yearly, can grow into a significant impact over the next three years.

Promise Chart			
Weekly	Monthly	Yearly	3 Years
\$1.00	\$4.33	\$52.00	\$156
\$1.60	\$6.94	\$83.33	\$250
\$3.21	\$13.89	\$166.67	\$500
\$6.41	\$27.78	\$333.33	\$1,000
\$12.82	\$55.56	\$666.67	\$2,000
\$16.03	\$69.44	\$833.33	\$2,500
\$32.05	\$138.89	\$1,666.67	\$5,000
\$64.10	\$277.78	\$3,333.33	\$10,000
\$96.15	\$416.67	\$5,000.00	\$15,000
\$160.26	\$694.44	\$8,333.33	\$25,000
\$320.51	\$1,388.89	\$16,666.67	\$50,000
\$480.77	\$2,083.33	\$25,000.00	\$75,000
\$641.03	\$2,777.78	\$33,333.33	\$100,000

As the Lord leads, please submit your promise card by June 1.

