

Christ Lutheran Church Highlands Ranch, CO

2019 - 2022



VISUALIZE

What do you “Visualize?”

As we explore the weekly themes during our capital campaign, **Visualize** what God could do through CLC when we move beyond our annual debt service of \$152,772 per year. *Dream* about what ministry and mission would look like then. *Envision* the ways our ministry and congregation will grow in Highlands Ranch and far beyond Colorado. *Have hope* for what will happen when we go beyond our fears and take risks to share God’s love with each other and strangers in exciting new ways. **Visualize** about what lies beyond today. Can you see it?

Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future

Step 2: Seek in Prayer God’s Will for Your Giving

What do we tend to do when the church asks for our support The common tendency is to consult our spouse, our budget, our bills, our income, our tax situation, our investments, our accountant, etc., and then determine what we can afford or spare.

Instead we should as Christians seek to discover what God’s will is for us in our giving. A Christian pledge can really only be made on our knees, seeking God’s will in fervent prayer.

Prayer is an integral part of the Christian life. The decision on how much to give should not be made without seeking first in prayer what God would have us do.



Today our Inspiration Team Volunteers will be handing out bags of information, about our capital campaign- Visualize after worship. We rejoice in their service and ask that you take time to pick up your bag.

Included in these bags will be your invitation to the all-congregation **Celebration Dinner** on the evening of **November 2nd**. Be sure to join us for a wonderful dinner and short presentation on the campaign. Remember, no commitments will be made at the event.

Also included in the bag you will receive today is a book of stories, authored by members of the congregation about where they've experienced the joy of generosity in their lives, a brochure about the campaign, as well as a copy of the campaign prayer and Bible verse.

Please place these in a prominent place in your home and pray daily for Christ Lutheran Church, the campaign and our hard-working volunteers.

