

# Christ Lutheran Church Highlands Ranch, CO

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# 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 6: Continue Growing in Christ! .....

When do you stop giving and growing in giving? You don’t. Growth in generosity is a journey

If your giving is to be blessed and joyful, it must continue to grow and expand. For each person, that growth may look different! Some are motivated by a biblical tithe and then to grow to the concept of offerings. Others seek to grow by a percent a year and never stop their giving. While still others have the challenge to find a process to be more generous even in a case where their income has declined due to layoff, death, or divorce.

In each case, once you have experienced the joy of good and generous giving, you will want to keep on growing!



# VISUALIZE CAMPAIGN PRAYER

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Holy God, your Son Jesus established your church as a welcoming and loving home for all who seek you. In celebration for your great and holy plan, you inspired the building of Christ Lutheran Church as a place of prayer, service, and community for all your children in this beautiful creation. Help us to live deeper into that legacy. Strengthen our communion and grow our shared stewardship of your mission here.

We offer prayers of thanksgiving for the sacrifices and the hard work of previous generations who have helped make CLC what it is today. May we learn from their model of discipleship and continue as a congregation of your believers along the journey of faith that leads and guides your people here.

We offer prayers of hope and wondrous anticipation for your future discoveries and renewed compassionate relationships. May CLC continue Christ's vision of continued church together for ages to come.

Bless the Visualize Campaign with a firm foundation, a growing commitment for service, a rejuvenated spirit for missional purpose, and an increased passion for generosity as we work to advance the life and ministry of Christ's gospel for the world. Continue to work in and through us as your light in the world, that we may further champion your life-giving hope for creation.

As your beloved church, we ask this prayerfully to be revealed in your holy will, through Christ Jesus our Lord.

Amen