

Generation to Generation for Grace Capital Campaign

Frequently Asked Questions

How accurate is the cost projection of 3 million dollars? As accurate as we can be without actual bids. The 3 million dollar includes a contingency but not certain soft costs of furnishing and fixtures.

What if we don't raise our full share of 1.5 million dollar portion of the matching grant? If we don't raise our half of the 3 million dollar total Session will decide whether to cut projects or borrow funds to achieve our 1.5 million dollar match.

How can I participate? On or before Commitment Sunday, May 21, we ask you to complete a Commitment Card, pledging a gift to be given over the next three years. You will be receiving a pledge card in the mail along with an electronic link to fill out a card.

Can I give in ways other than cash? Yes! You can give gifts of stock, bonds, real estate. Depending on your age, the RMD from 401 K accounts can be used. Always check with your tax/financial advisor on the best way for you to give. Contact our church office if you want to give in a way other than cash.

After submitting my Commitment Card, how is the money collected? We will kick off our giving with First Fruits Sunday on June 11. You will receive both an envelope and a link. Over the course of the three years of our campaign you can give when and how best suits your financial situation. You may choose to pay your entire commitment up front or every week for the full three years. The choice is yours.

Do employers ever match these kinds of gifts? While many do not match gifts to religious institutions, some do. It never hurts to ask.

If my financial situation changes, can I change my commitment? Yes. Your commitment is not a contract. If you need to make any changes you may do so by contacting the church office.

How does the state redevelopment grant work? We will be reimbursed from the grant at specific points in the renovation project.

Is there any risk that the state will not fund the grant? As long as we meet the grant's requirements, the state will completely fund the award it made to the church. There are no examples of this not happening.