

# Seeds of Hope

Capital Campaign

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Connecting with God, Neighbor and Nature

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# Together We CAN Reach Our Goal

To Reach our Campaign Goal we'll need gifts like these.

# of Gifts	Gift Size	Annual Gift	Monthly Gift	Weekly Gift	Total toward goal
1	40,000	13,333	1,111	256	40,000
1	30,000	10,000	833	192	30,000
1	25,000	8,333	694	160	25,000
3	20,000	6,667	556	128	60,000
5	15,000	5,000	417	96	75,000
8	10,000	3,333	278	64	80,000
8	5,000	1,667	139	32	40,000
8	3,000	1,000	83	19	24,000
9	1,000	333	28	6	9,000
8	750	250	21	5	6,000
10	500	167	14	3	5,000
59				TOTAL	\$359,000

If each SitH family gave \$5,833 over the next three years, we'd reach our \$350,000 goal and be well on the way to financing all our facility upgrade needs. This comes down to only \$162 a month, or \$37 a week.

## Counting Our Blessings



**Before**



**Now**



**The Future?**

## One Big Goal Accomplished

After years of planning, donating, and hoping, we finally relocated to this new church home where we are establishing a permanent presence in the Spicewood community. Both local zoning regulations, and our commitment to be good stewards of God's creation, make these upgrades necessary. Through this Seeds of Hope Capital Campaign we are working together to care for our property and witness to our neighbors that we care about them, creation, and environmental concerns.

# One Big Goal Ahead

Over the past few weeks, the Campaign Team and the Church Council have been hosting information sessions to explain the details of the construction projects. If you still have questions, please contact the church office to be directed to the proper person to answer them. Though the goal for our campaign seems high, we can reach it as we all put our faith into action. Each one of us our part will get us there.

## How Much Should I Give?

Please prayerfully consider your current situation. Whatever you decide to do, make it a gift in addition to what you are already giving – and thank you for your faithful support of the many ministries of Spirit in the Hills.



Give until you feel good about what you are able to do to help our congregation complete our goals.

## How Should I Give?

Cash gifts set up for monthly contributions allow even modest sized gifts to become large ones over time. A weekly gift of \$10 over the three-year length of the campaign results in a gift of \$1,560. Giving from other resources enables even larger gifts. Consider one or more of these, or a portion of one of them:

- Proceeds from sale of stocks or other assets.
- Revenue from sale of assets no longer in needed such as an RV, boat, extra vehicle, or vacation property.
- Donor Advised Funds.
- A portion of mandatory withdrawals from retirement funds.
- Cash rewards from credit cards.



- Tax refunds.
- Year-end bonuses.
- An inheritance.
- Paid up insurance policies.

Because tax implications may apply for some methods of donating, always discuss your plans with a financial advisor. Gifts to the campaign are tax-deductible as gifts to a non-profit organization. Check with a tax consultant for details.

Choose the method that works best for your situation. For example:

- Combine a modest weekly or monthly gift with one of the alternative gift options above.
- Review your monthly non-essential expenses and consider donating all or part of what you typically spent on one of them to this special all-congregational major project.
- Set up an electronic auto donation plan or set your personal bank bill pay program to give on a regular schedule.

Every gift is an important part of us working together to reach the Seeds of Hope Campaign goal.

# Our Community Together

## For Worship, Planning, Study, Fellowship, & Service



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