

## NOW TO HIM WHO IS ABLE TO DO HOPE OR IMAGINE, ACCO GENERATIONS, FOREVER AND EVER!

Ephesians 3:20-21

"I AM INCREDIBLY GRATEFUL TO BE PART OF THE OUR CITY CENTER CHURCH FAMILY AND FEEL PRIVILEGED TO WITNESS ALL THAT GOD IS DOING THROUGH OUR CHURCH.

OUR IMAGINE MORE PROJECTS WILL EXPONENTIALLY EXPAND OUR IMPACT—LOCALLY, REGIONALLY, AND GLOBALLY, WE HAVE SEVERAL KEY GOALS FOR THIS SEASON:
ENCOURAGING MORE PEOPLE TO TAKE THEIR NEXT STEP IN CONSISTENT MONTHLY GIVING, TITHING, AND HELPING US REACH OUR END-OF-YEAR GOAL. ADDITIONALLY, WE ARE INVITING THOSE WHO FEEL CALLED TO TAKE A STEP OF FAITH BY GIVING ABOVE THEIR REGULAR TITHES AND OFFERINGS TO SUPPORT THE PURCHASE OF OUR NEW BUILDING.

THANK YOU FOR PARTNERING WITH US AS WE IMAGINE MORE IN 2025."



RAYMOND HUDSON LEAD PASTOR

## WE ARE Calebrating

**180** BAPTISMS

**125,000**PEOPLE LOVED & SERVED

\$280,000
GIVEN FOR IMAGINE
MORE PROJECTS

**235**SALVATIONS

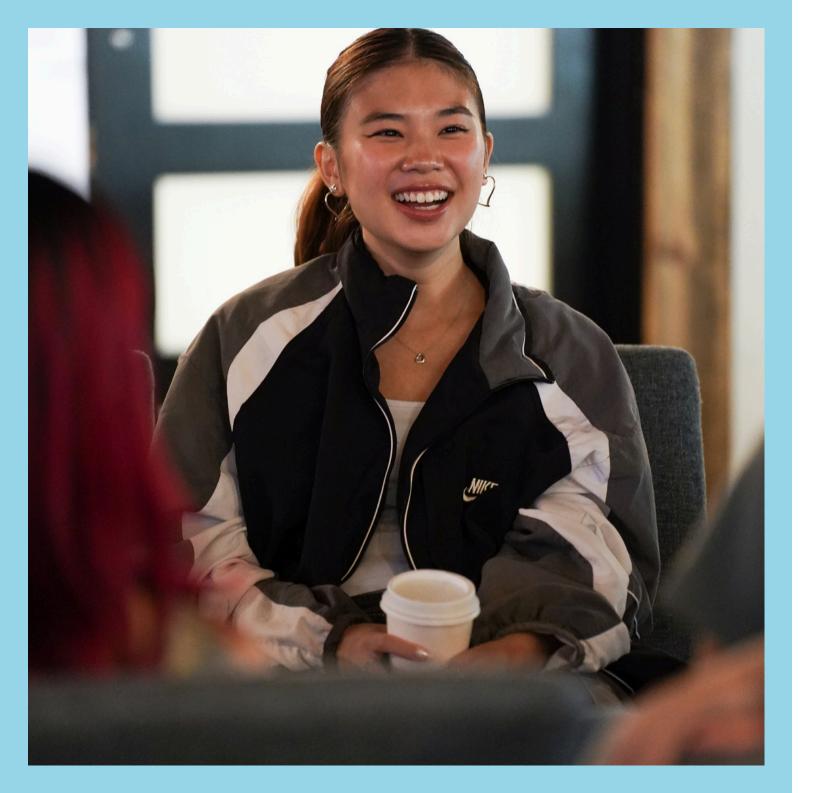
1000 AT OUR 3RD ANNUAL EGGSTRAVAGANZA **285**IN AVERAGE WEEKLY
ATTENDANCE AT ALL
LOCATIONS

# OUR MISSION IS TO HELP PEOPLE KNOW AND LOVE JESUS AND PLACE HIM AT THE CENTER OF Everything







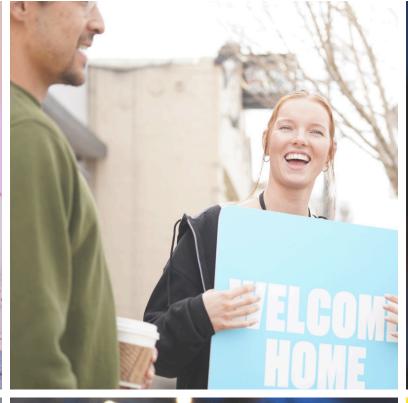


## OUR HEART IS TO CREATE SPACES WHERE PEOPLE CAN BELONG BEFORE THEY

Believe

















### GLOBAL PARTNERS

### STAND BY ME

STAND BY ME PROVIDES HOPE TO CHILDREN WHO HAVE BEEN ABANDONED OR ORPHANED BY OFFERING SAFE HOMES, OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES, PURPOSE, AND EMPOWERMENT THROUGH EDUCATION AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT. STAND BY ME NOW OPERATES CHILDREN'S HOMES AND CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS IN SIX COUNTRIES: ETHIOPIA, COLOMBIA, ROMANIA, MYANMAR, INDIA, AND KENYA.

### KRISTINA KEEN

FOR THE LAST THREE YEARS, KRISTINA HAS SERVED IN A CHURCH REVITALIZATION IN OMAGH, A TOWN OF JUST OVER 19,000 PEOPLE. OMAGH IS BEST KNOWN AS THE LOCATION OF THE DEADLIEST BOMBING IN NORTHERN IRELAND'S HISTORY, WHERE 29 INDIVIDUALS AND TWO UNBORN CHILDREN LOST THEIR LIVES. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF 2020, KRISTINA HAS HAD THE PRIVILEGE OF SERVING NOT ONLY NORTHERN IRELAND BUT ALSO THE REPUBLIC OF IRELAND, HELPING IN AN ADMINISTRATIVE ROLE FOR THE ASSEMBLIES OF GOD IRELAND.

**NORTHERN AFRICA TEAM (SENSITIVE COUNTRY)** 

### **EARL & TAMMY SHORROCKS**

EARL AND TAMMY SHORROCKS' VISION IS THAT POLISH BELIEVERS WILL RESPOND TO THE CALL OF GOD AND JOIN CHURCH PLANTING TEAMS ACROSS POLAND. IN RESPONSE, THEY WILL SUPPORT THESE TEAMS THROUGH TRAINING, MENTORING, AND FINANCIAL BLESSINGS. THEY ARE BELIEVING FOR A MOVEMENT AGAINST THE KINGDOM OF DARKNESS THROUGH CHURCH PLANTS THAT WILL PREACH THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST.

### ONEHOPE

ONEHOPE'S MISSION IS TO PROVIDE GOD'S WORD TO ALL THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH OF THE WORLD. WITH THE HELP OF MANY PARTNERS WORLDWIDE, ONEHOPE HAS REACHED MORE THAN 1.7 BILLION CHILDREN AND YOUTH WITH GOD'S WORD IN 112 NATIONS.





### REGIONAL PARTNERS

### JAMIL AND VANESSA STELL (CHI ALPHA)

JAMIL AND VANESSA STELL ARE BELIEVING GOD FOR A MASS STUDENT AWAKENING ACROSS CAMPUSES. SPECIFICALLY, THEY AIM TO DOUBLE THEIR STUDENT LEADERS TO ENHANCE THEIR EFFECTIVENESS IN MAKING DISCIPLES. ADDITIONALLY, THEY ENVISION COMPLETING THEIR GRASS FIELDS PROJECT TO HOST MULTIPLE WORSHIP GATHERINGS, BIBLE STUDIES, AND DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS IN PRIVATE OUTDOOR SPACES.

### **ECHO CHURCH PLANTING**

ECHO CHURCH PLANTING'S VISION IS FOR THERE TO BE A LIFE-GIVING CHURCH WITHIN 10 TO 15 MINUTES OF EVERY PERSON IN THE BAY AREA. CURRENTLY, THERE ARE 20 CHURCHES IN THE NETWORK WORKING TOGETHER, AND THEY HOPE TO ADD AT LEAST 10 MORE WITHIN THE NEXT YEAR.

### STADIA

STADIA'S MISSION IS TO PLANT CHURCHES THAT INTENTIONALLY CARE FOR CHILDREN. WHY? BECAUSE AS MORE CHURCHES CLOSE THEIR DOORS, FEWER PEOPLE EXPERIENCE THE LIFE-CHANGING HOPE OF JESUS. STADIA PREPARES LEADERS TO START HEALTHY CHURCHES THAT INTENTIONALLY REACH THE NEXT GENERATION OF BELIEVERS, SPREADING THE HOPE OF JESUS FARTHER THAN EVER BEFORE.

### STRATEGIC LAUNCH NETWORK

STRATEGIC LAUNCH NETWORK'S MISSION IS TO START AND STRENGTHEN NEW STRATEGIC CHURCHES IN SPIRITUALLY HARD-TO-REACH CITIES. THEY ACHIEVE THIS BY IDENTIFYING, DEVELOPING, COACHING, ENCOURAGING, AND FINANCIALLY SUPPORTING HIGH-CAPACITY CHURCH PLANTERS THROUGH COLLABORATIVE PARTNERSHIPS WITH LIKE-MINDED CHURCHES, ORGANIZATIONS, AND LEADERS.

### REGIONAL PARTNERS

### **WILL AND JEN KLIER**

FOR OVER 20 YEARS, WILL AND JEN KLIER HAVE SERVED AS U.S. MISSIONARIES WITH CHI ALPHA CAMPUS MINISTRIES AT U.C. DAVIS, ONE OF THE NATION'S TOP PUBLIC UNIVERSITIES. WITH NEARLY 40,000 STUDENTS FROM OVER 140 COUNTRIES, THIS DIVERSE CAMPUS IS A KEY MISSION FIELD. LIVING OUT THE SCRIPTURE AND U.C.'S MOTTO, "LET THERE BE LIGHT," THE KLIERS HAVE AIMED TO BRING LIGHT INTO DARK PLACES, INSPIRING OVER 70 ALUMNI TO STEP INTO MISSION WORK LOCALLY AND ABROAD. NOW, THEY ARE WORKING ON LAUNCHING NEW CAMPUS MINISTRIES FROM U.C. DAVIS ACROSS CALIFORNIA TO EQUIP STUDENTS TO IMPACT THE UNIVERSITY, THE MARKETPLACE, AND THE WORLD. WILL AND JEN HAVE THREE CHILDREN OF THEIR OWN: JOY, MERCY, AND LIAM.

### **COLLECTIVE CHURCH PLANTING**

AS CARRIERS OF THE MOST IMPORTANT MESSAGE IN HISTORY, COLLECTIVE CHURCH PLANTING IS CONSTANTLY TRYING NEW, CREATIVE STRATEGIES TO SHARE THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS IN AN EVER-CHANGING CULTURE. HOWEVER, AT THE END OF THE DAY, CHURCH PLANTING REMAINS THE MOST EFFECTIVE STRATEGY. NEW CHURCHES PROVIDE SPACE FOR PEOPLE TO GATHER, BUILD CONNECTIONS, AND FIND SUPPORT—ESPECIALLY FOR THOSE WHO MAY NOT OTHERWISE GIVE CHURCH A CHANCE. CHURCH PLANTS ARE THE BEST WAY TO REACH NEW PEOPLE, IMPACT THE NEXT GENERATION, AND BRING FRESH IDEAS TO THE KINGDOM AS A WHOLE.

### WEST COAST CHI ALPHA: HAWAII LAUNCH

JEREMY AND DEBORA ANDERSON HAVE SERVED THE LORD TOGETHER FOR OVER TWO DECADES IN UNIVERSITY CAMPUS MINISTRY. BY GOD'S GRACE, THEY HAVE REACHED THOUSANDS OF STUDENTS WITH THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST AND EQUIPPED HUNDREDS OF YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN OF GOD TO DO THE SAME. SUPPORTING THE MISSION EXPANSION PROJECT WILL HELP US PLANT NEW MINISTRIES AND CONTINUE PROVIDING THE NECESSARY SUPPORT FOR SUSTAINABLE LONG-TERM MISSIONARY SERVICE ON OUR COLLEGE CAMPUSES.

### **CHURCH MULTIPLICATION NETWORK**

CHURCH MULTIPLICATION NETWORK'S MISSION IS TO SEE A HEALTHY, SPIRIT-EMPOWERED CHURCH IN EVERY COMMUNITY. THEY DO THIS BY PROVIDING THE TRAINING, RESOURCES, AND RELATIONSHIPS NEEDED TO PLANT NEW CHURCHES.





### LOCAL PARTNERS & PROGRAMS

### **OAKLAND MEN'S CENTER**

THE TEEN CHALLENGE OAKLAND MEN'S CENTER STANDS FOR FREEDOM AND IS COMMITTED TO HELPING THE MEN AT THE CENTER FIND A SAFE HAVEN. THE CENTER IS DEDICATED TO SUPPORTING THEIR TRANSFORMATION AS THEY DISCOVER THEIR PURPOSE IN LIFE AND EXPERIENCE LASTING CHANGE.

### BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT & BERKELEY PD

THIS HOLIDAY SEASON, OUR CITY CENTER WILL CONTINUE OUR PARTNERSHIP WITH THE BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AND BERKELEY PD TO SUPPORT FAMILIES IN NEED.

### CRU

CRU IS A MOVEMENT OF UC BERKELEY STUDENTS WHO LOVE GOD AND ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT SHARING HIS LOVE ON CAMPUS. THEY HELP OTHERS EXPLORE QUESTIONS ABOUT LIFE, COLLEGE, AND WHAT IT MEANS TO KNOW GOD. AS A CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP, CRU EXISTS TO HELP STUDENTS BUILD A REAL, MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD WHILE THRIVING DURING THEIR COLLEGE YEARS.

### DREAM FLUFF DONUTS

EVERY SECOND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH, OUR CITY CENTER HOSTS A LOCAL FREE FAMILY DONUT DAY IN PARTNERSHIP WITH DREAM FLUFF DONUTS.

### CITY CARES

AS A CHURCH, WE ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT LOVING OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY, WHICH IS WHY WE INVEST IN AND SERVE THE SURROUNDING CITIES THROUGH CITY CARES. ONE KEY INITIATIVE IS PLAYGROUND PALS, A PROGRAM WHERE WE PROVIDE 2-3 VOLUNTEERS TO ASSIST LOCAL SCHOOLS BY MONITORING THE PLAYGROUND AND BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS WITH STUDENTS. CITY CARES ALSO HOSTS FREE FAMILY EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, SERVES FAMILIES IN NEED, AND PARTNERS WITH THE ALAMEDA COUNTY FOOD BANK. BY COMING TOGETHER, WE BELIEVE WE CAN MEET BOTH THE SPIRITUAL AND PHYSICAL NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY, CREATING A LASTING IMPACT.

### FREE COUNSELING

WE ARE DEEPLY COMMITTED TO SUPPORTING OUR CHURCH COMMUNITY, WHICH IS WHY WE OFFER FREE COUNSELING FOR OUR MEMBERS. WE PROVIDE UP TO SIX FREE SESSIONS FOR INDIVIDUALS FACING CHALLENGES THAT REQUIRE PROFESSIONAL, CLINICAL SUPPORT. AS A CHURCH, WE BELIEVE THAT GOD WORKS THROUGH PROFESSIONALS TO BRING HEALING AND MIRACLES INTO OUR LIVES.





## OUR PASSION IS TO LOVE AND SERVE OUR COMMUNITY IN WAYS THAT INSPIRE THEM TO Redicine THEIR PRECONCEIVED NOTIONS OF FAITH





### BE FUN, MAKE FUN, HAVE FUN. HUB TO

### **CURRENT & UPCOMING HUBS:**

**DIGITAL HUB** EST. 2020

BERKELEY HUB EST. 2021

BETHLEHEM HUB Launched Fall 2023

COMMUNITY HUB
LAUNCHED OCTOBER 2024

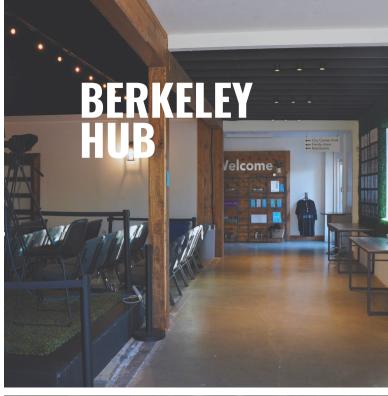
UC BERKELEY HUB COMING SOON

**ESPANOL HUB** COMING SOON

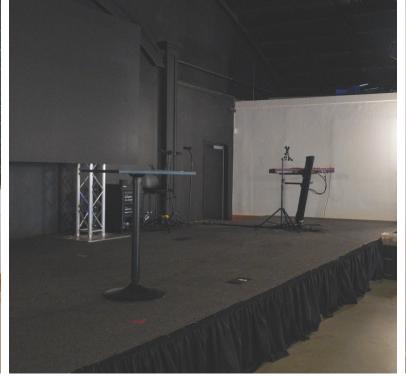
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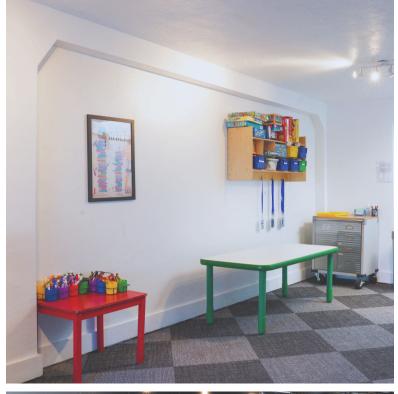
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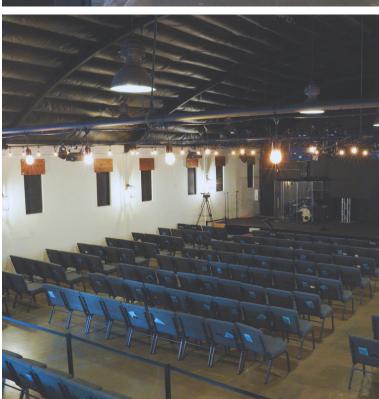






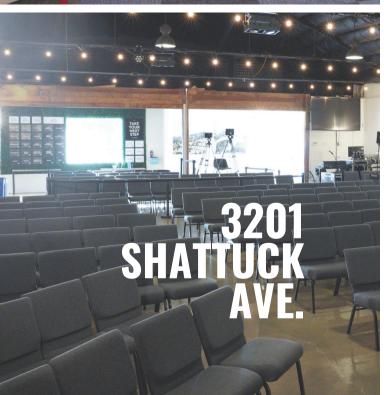


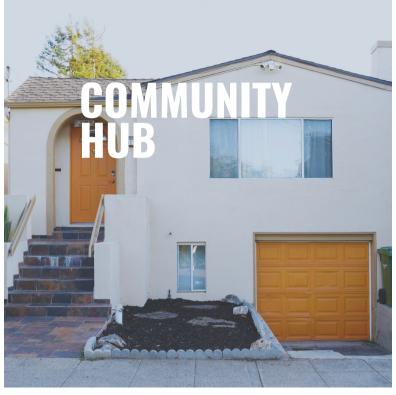


















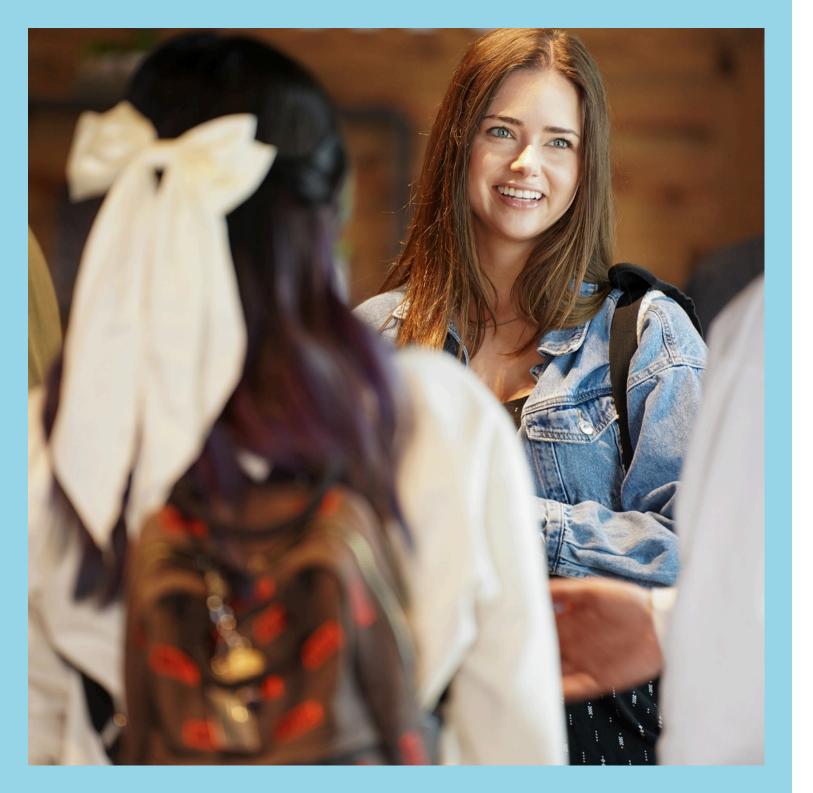












Imagine PLACES WHERE WE CAN **IMPACT THE LIVES OF PEOPLE AND** FAMILIES. PLACES THAT CAN BE EVENT CENTERS, OFFICES, PRESCHOOLS, DAYCARES, CAFES, RECORDING STUDIOS, **GATHERING SPACES & MORE. PLACES** WHERE WE COULD FULFILL OUR VISION OF BEING A CHURCH COMMITTED TO PEOPLE

**MONDAY-SATURDAY** 

## OUR IMAGINE MORE Jouls

40 NEW GIVERS
INCREASE
MONTHLY GIVING
BY 40 TO REACH
OUR GOAL OF 100
GIVERS

25 NEW TITHERS
INCREASE TITHING
BY 25 TO REACH 50
CONSISTENT
TITHERS

\$85,000 REACH \$85,000 IN THE END OF THE YEAR ONE-TIME GIVING CAMPAIGN

\$3 MILLION
HELP US RAISE
\$3M TO
PURCHASE 3201
SHATTUCK AVE.
BERKELEY HUB

### HOW TO Latener WITH OUR CITY CENTER

AT OUR CITY CENTER, ONE
OF OUR CORE VALUES IS
TO LIVE GENEROUS LIVES.
WE ENCOURAGE
GENEROSITY WITHIN OUR
TEAM AND IN OUR OWN
LIVES BECAUSE WE KNOW
GOD LOVES IT WHEN WE
GIVE WITH A
CHEERFUL HEART.

### **MONTHLY GIVING** TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP AND BEGIN GIVING MONTHLY

**ONE-TIME GIFT** PARTNER FINANCIALLY THROUGH A ONE TIME GIFT WITH CASH, CHECK, BITCOIN, OR PROPERTY DONATION

**START TITHING** TAKE THE FAITH STEP OF TRUSTING GOD WITH ALL YOUR FINANCES AND GIVING 10% TO CITY CENTER

IMAGINE MORE IMAGINE MORE WITH US FOR OUR CITY, COMMUNITY, AND CHURCH BY EXPANDING YOUR TITHING & GIVING ADDITIONAL OFFERINGS

SCAN THE QR CODE TO SECURELY GIVE ON OUR WEBSITE OR
USE OUR GIVING ENVELOPE AT ANY SUNDAY GATHERING OR
MAIL A CHECK TO: CITY CENTER CHURCH PO BOX 5591 BERKELEY, CA 94705



### OW MUCH SHOULD I GIVE?

GIVING WILL NEED TO INVOLVE EVERYONE. PLEASE PRAYERFULLY CONSIDER A SACRIFICIAL GIFT THAT WILL STRETCH YOUR FAITH. THE PRECISE AMOUNT YOU GIVE IS BETWEEN YOU AND GOD. SOME IN OUR CHURCH WILL BE ABLE TO GIVE THOUSANDS, OTHERS WILL BE ABLE TO GIVE HUNDREDS, AND THERE ARE SOME FOR WHOM \$25 WOULD BE A MAJOR SACRIFICE. THE GOAL IS NOT EQUAL GIVING. BUT EQUAL SACRIFICE.

### WHEN SHOULD I GIVE?

PLEASE SUBMIT A COMMITMENT CARD PROMPTLY, THIS WILL HELP US TO PLAN OUR 2025 BUDGET ADEQUATELY. PLEASE BRING ALL END OF THE YEAR OFFERINGS BY DECEMBER 22ND SO THAT WE CAN CELEBRATE IN THE NEW YEAR WHAT GOD HAS DONE. THIS WILL ALSO HELP US TO START TAKING STEPS IN FAITH TOWARDS SOME OF THESE DREAMS AND PARTNERSHIPS.

"IMMEASURABLY MORE THAN WE CAN HOPE OR IMAGINE."

Ephesians 3:20-21

