

Frequently asked questions

Why now?

Over the years, Trinity's members have recognized the need to move forward, acted on it, and worked hard to meet it. Now we need to embrace the foresight, courage, and hard work that got us to the point where we are today. Upgrades and improvements to our facilities will allow us to fulfill our mission and ensure that our legacy not only continues but also grows for many generations to come.

What are we proposing? How much does it cost?

Improvements to enhance our ability to worship, connect, and serve in a safe, secure, and welcoming facility. Phase 1 estimate = \$4.2 million. Phase 2 estimate = \$2.7 million. See details in this brochure.

Is it true that a plan is already locked in?

No, we do not have an actionable plan. Instead, we have a vision, and we have architects' renderings and conceptual plans to suggest how that vision might look. We cannot have an actionable plan until we know how much money we have raised and, accordingly, how much we can do.

What will happen to the current rooms that are used for certain activities and groups?

Some groups or activities may be shifted to different rooms or areas. But in such cases we will continue to meet the associated needs of the groups or activities!

What happens if we don't raise all the money we seek? Will we then go into debt?

How much we raise will determine how much we can do. It is not our plan to go into debt, and any such debt requests would have to come before the congregation for approval.

I can only make a small commitment. Is it worth it?

YES! All commitments make a big difference to this campaign. As the Bible says, "all shall give as they are able, according to the blessing of the LORD your God that he has given you."

What forms of contributions will be accepted?

Contributions can be made by cash, check, or online payment (credit, debit, checking, savings). You can also make contributions in your will, or investments such as stocks, or assets. Check with our financial office if you have questions.

Can I give electronically?

Absolutely. It's easy to support our appeal by using electronic giving. You can make a one-time online donation or easily manage your pledge commitment by setting up a recurring donation.

Visit www.trinitycamphill.org/donate now to get started!

What if I cannot meet my commitment?

We understand that life's circumstances change. Prayerfully consider how you might best alter your commitment if you cannot meet it. We ask that you then contact the church's financial office to make your change so that we can adjust our expected commitment-based outcomes.

Do I have to be a member of Trinity Lutheran Church to participate?

Just as we open our doors to all who wish to enter, we welcome anyone to participate in this appeal. We especially ask friends who are familiar with Trinity but not members—for example, community groups/outside organizations we've hosted, individual members of such groups, persons who have visited or have family/friend connections here—to consider supporting this appeal.

For more information, visit
TrinityCampHill.org/PlanOurFuture