

HORIZON PROJECT



LIMA FIRST CHURCH





Dear LFC Family,

We are in awe of how God has blessed Lima First Church, overflowing with gifts, talents and generosity. Lori and I are so grateful for the people of this church. People like you who have responded to God's invitation to be a part of something larger than all of us. God is leading our church on an adventure we could have never imagined, and we are thrilled about what is on The Horizon.

We also know that while the gifts and talents in this church are plentiful, there is no substitute for the presence of God and the anointing of the Holy Spirit in our lives. You often hear us say, "His presence is our purpose". Without a doubt, the 2100 souls saved in the last 40 months is a result of His presence at LFC. This is nothing short of a miracle.

This miraculous growth both spiritually and numerically requires us to **RISE UP** and expand our faith and our facility to accommodate all that God wants to do in every direction and every generation.

God has called LFC to pray, serve and give in order to see a broken world reconciled back to God while investing locally to be the light of Jesus in our region. We are convinced that if we train up the next generation the trajectory of our city will be impacted for God's Kingdom.

This is the time for you to Rise Up like never before as God pours out His blessings on you! Proverbs tells us that the world of the generous grows larger and larger. In other words, we are driving our stakes into the ground and taking territory! Ask God how He wants you to use your time, talent and treasure to be a part of The Horizon Project. What impact will you and your family have on our schools, workplaces, communities and beyond?

Pray for the faith to meet His request.

Pray for clarity of mind & conviction of heart to respond in obedience.

Pray for boldness to Rise Up.

Most of you have already seen or heard of the incredible things God has done through this church. Those testimonies have happened because people like you listened to God's voice and responded. As we move forward in taking up territory in our city, country and world, we will be at a tipping point of far greater things than we've ever experienced or imagined. Thank you for your partnership in accomplishing this vision. The Horizon is here.

We Love You, Church,

Pastor Dance & Low Bruke



God will often give us larger-than-life dreams, knowing that we cannot accomplish them on our own.

We have a goal of raising \$4 million above our annual ministry budget through an 18-24 month commitment. Raising this amount of money requires a generous sacrifice from all of us. Some giving sacrificially and others from great abundance. If this is your first time giving or if you're looking to grow to a new level in giving, here are some ways to rise up in generosity:

First, make a plan to give.

When you have plans and are diligent, it leads to plenty (Proverbs 21:5). God is excited when you have a plan! Whatever the amount is - have the plan in place, work the plan and be obedient with it. Start there.

Next, ask God to give you a vision for what He could do through you.

This is beyond what you can do in your natural income. This requires you to take a step of faith. Additionally, Habakkuk 2:2 tells us to write that vision down and pray about it! God will supply all your needs according to His riches in Christ Jesus (Philippians 4:19). Rising up in faith pleases God. When you look at what He has in His hands, it goes to another level!



Lastly, what would be a dream amount you could give?

Hold onto it. This number is only between you and God. Watch as each step of faith you take, God moves you closer to that dream you have. God can do exceedingly abundantly more than all we can ask for or imagine (Ephesians 3:20)

While hundreds if not thousands of people will give to the Horizon Project, always remember every gift matters to God. It's not the size of the gift, but the obedience to God's voice that matters most. Now, more than ever, make a plan to give, ask God for a vision in your generosity, and hang onto the dream of what God will do as you step out in faith.



WAYS TO GIVE

IN PERSON

Place your contribution in a Sunday offering bucket. (Envelopes can be found in the seat backs of the sanctuary).

ONLINE



MAIL

Lima First Church 1660 Findlay Rd. Lima, OH 45801

*Please write/select Horizon Project with contributions.



INITIATIVES

Jesus continually met needs & extended invitations/created space for people to experience His presence and become a part of His kingdom everywhere He went during His life on earth. He made it clear that this world does not look as it was originally designed and we should be burdened to see that change. As believers, this makes us kingdom carriers to every direction and every generation.



INITIATIVE 1

LFC Campus Expansion Phase 1

INITIATIVE 2

Increased NextGen (Kids, Youth & Young Adults) Impact

INITIATIVE 3

Increased Local Impact

INITIATIVE 4

Increased Global Impact



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LFC Campus Expansion Phase 1

- 20,200 SF
- Classrooms
- Designated Gathering Area
 - Increased Parking
- Office/Counseling/Meeting Space
 - Recording Studio -

Worship/Production Arts Capability

- Safe NextGen Space Including Restrooms
 - Special Needs Quiet Room
- Women's Restroom Expanded





Increased NextGen (Kids, Youth & Young Adults) Impact

- Discover their God-Give Purpose
- Develop them as Leaders
- Empower them to Step into God's
 Plan for their Lives







Increased Local Impact

- Build Strategic Community Relationships
- Make Space for those who have yet to experience Jesus.
 - Support organizations that are bringing hope, healing, and victory to people's lives.



Increased Global Impact

- Improve & Upgrade all aspects of Online Church
 - Missions Giving & Going

LFC

PARTNERS



GLOBAL

Destiny Rescue
Dream On Global
Fire Bible
LFC Online
Missionaries & Ministries (57
Operation Christmas Child
World Prayer Center

LOCAL

Cornerstone of Hope Emerge Ministries Father's Heart Heartbeat of Lima Heartland Conference & Retreat Center



His Home for Children
Ohio for Jesus
Our Daily Bread Soup Kitchen
Samaritan's House of Lima
Special Touch
TV 44
YWAM



BGMC
Chi Alpha
Fellowship of Christian Athletes
LifeWise Academy
Speed the Light
Youth & Kids Camp Scholarships

GENESIS 13:14-17 NRSV

... "Raise your eyes now, and look from the place where you are, northward and southward and eastward and westward (EVERY DIRECTION); 15 for all the land that you see I will give to you and to your offspring forever. 16 I will make your offspring like the dust of the earth; so that if one can count the dust of the earth, your offspring also can be counted (EVERY GENERATION). 17 Rise up, walk through the length and the breadth of the land, for I will give it to you."



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