



In Christ we are joined together to grow

Ephesians 2:21

ALMIGHTY GOD, whose loving hand has given us all that we possess: Grant us grace that we may honor you with our substance, and, remembering the account which we must one day give, may be faithful stewards of your bounty, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

*If we plant a FEW seeds
we harvest a small crop.*

*If we plant GENEROUSLY,
we will reap bountifully.*

*We must decide
what we will give...*

Knowing that God loves
a cheerful giver.

2 Corinthians 9:6-7

Since 1885, Christ Episcopal Church has been growing to meet the needs of the parish and community of Eagle Lake.

Through the generosity of those before us, we rebuilt from the tornado of 1900 and rose from the ashes after a fire destroyed the building in 1925.

Now
it's up
to us.



As Christ Church approaches its 135th birthday, she and the rectory are in need of some care. This historic building is our foundation. After a remodel more than half a century ago, some systems have simply worn out and the needs of the parish and community continue to evolve.

The sower plants in season. Our pledge is our seed, these projects are our crops. We will sow and harvest over a three year period... 2020-2022

The list is long, the need is great.

Through prayerful consideration, and with parish input, the Vestry has determined to initiate the projects in the following sequence.

First Crop - \$80,000

- A/C for Rectory & Church
- Wiring in Church & Parish Hall
- New Carpeting in Sanctuary
- Complete the AV system

Second Crop - \$80,000

- Replace Rectory Windows
- Wheelchair accessibility throughout the Church and Parish Hall
- Parish Hall Kitchen updated
- Irrigation for Church & Rectory lawns
- Replace the Rectory deck

Bonus Crop

Funds in excess of the actual cost of the projects in the First and Second tiers will be reserved and invested for future replacement, repair, and improvements of the church property.

REACH INSIDE. Discern what you can give over the next three years to sustain our church.

MAKE YOUR PLEDGE on the enclosed cards for capital improvements AND annual stewardship.

THEN CELEBRATE the Family, Faith, and Future of Christ Church with us on Sunday, November 17, 2019.

~ The *most important* thing we can do is hand a healthy, vibrant church to the next generation. ~

-The Rt. Rev. Andy Doyle



