



# CITY ON A HILL

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Building Our Future Together



Heritage  
CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

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“You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill  
cannot be hidden.”  
Matthew 5:14





# A WORD FROM PASTOR PAUL

## THE FUTURE OF HERITAGE

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Jesus said the church is to be “the light of the world.” Like a city on a hill cannot be hidden, so too the church of Christ must shine brightly for all to see (Matthew 5:14).

For over 17 years, Heritage Christian Fellowship has strived to shine brightly as a gospel-centered body of believers dedicated to making disciples of Jesus who make disciples of Jesus. We’ve sought to faithfully live out this mission in our homes, schools, neighborhoods and work places all across our valley and to the ends of the earth. This is who we’ve been from the beginning and who we believe God has called us to be as we step into our future.

## A WORD FROM PASTOR PAUL

Today, we dream of a permanent home to better live out our mission—a simple facility serving as a tool that will enable us to continue carrying out the work God has given us. We believe the time has come for our church to step forward in faith, to raise the needed resources and build a new home for our church. We are praying for a permanent facility from which to make disciples who make disciples and shine the light of Jesus brightly across our valley.

As we step out in faith, we are confident that God will entrust our church with land upon which we will build our new permanent home. We are committed to planting roots for the gospel within a growing and bustling neighborhood of our city. We are excited to establish our new church home in the midst of the mission field of Medford for generations to come.

As you look through the following pages, I'm asking God to stir in your heart that you might understand your role in this exciting new chapter in the life of our church. We, as one part of the larger church of Christ in the Rogue Valley, are to be the light of the world. We are to be as a city set on a hill that cannot be hidden. May we, together as the people of Heritage, shine brightly for His glory!



-Pastor Paul Stevens



# THE HISTORY OF HERITAGE

Where it all started >>

**2008**

Heritage Christian Fellowship is planted

**2009**

The church begins meeting in the current gymnasium of Cascade Christian School

**2011**

The Hub is leased and built out, providing offices, a small kitchen and mid-sized meeting space

**2020**

Pastor Paul Stevens becomes the Lead Pastor of Heritage

**2023**

Prayer and preparation efforts begin as Heritage considers the possibility of a permanent building

**2025**

The elders make the decision to pursue a permanent home

# THE VISION OF HERITAGE

**Heritage Christian Fellowship is a gospel-centered body of believers dedicated to making disciples of Jesus who make disciples of Jesus.**

Our commitment is to make disciples who not only have a saving relationship with Jesus, but who are also being transformed into His image, and who are being sent out into the world to lead others to follow Him.

As a church, we value:

- Keeping the gospel central
- Authentic worship of God
- A strong emphasis on discipleship
- The right handling of God's Word
- Living on mission for Jesus

We live out these values by boldly proclaiming and living in the power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We have a deep conviction to rightly preach and teach the Word of God and live lifestyles of worship for the glory of God. We aim to be a warm and welcoming church where people and families from all walks of life can find belonging, encounter God, grow as disciples of Jesus and ultimately take the gospel to the unbelieving world—here in the Rogue Valley and to the ends of the earth.

**A disciple is someone who has faith in Jesus, is growing in the likeness of Jesus and is leading others to follow Jesus.**



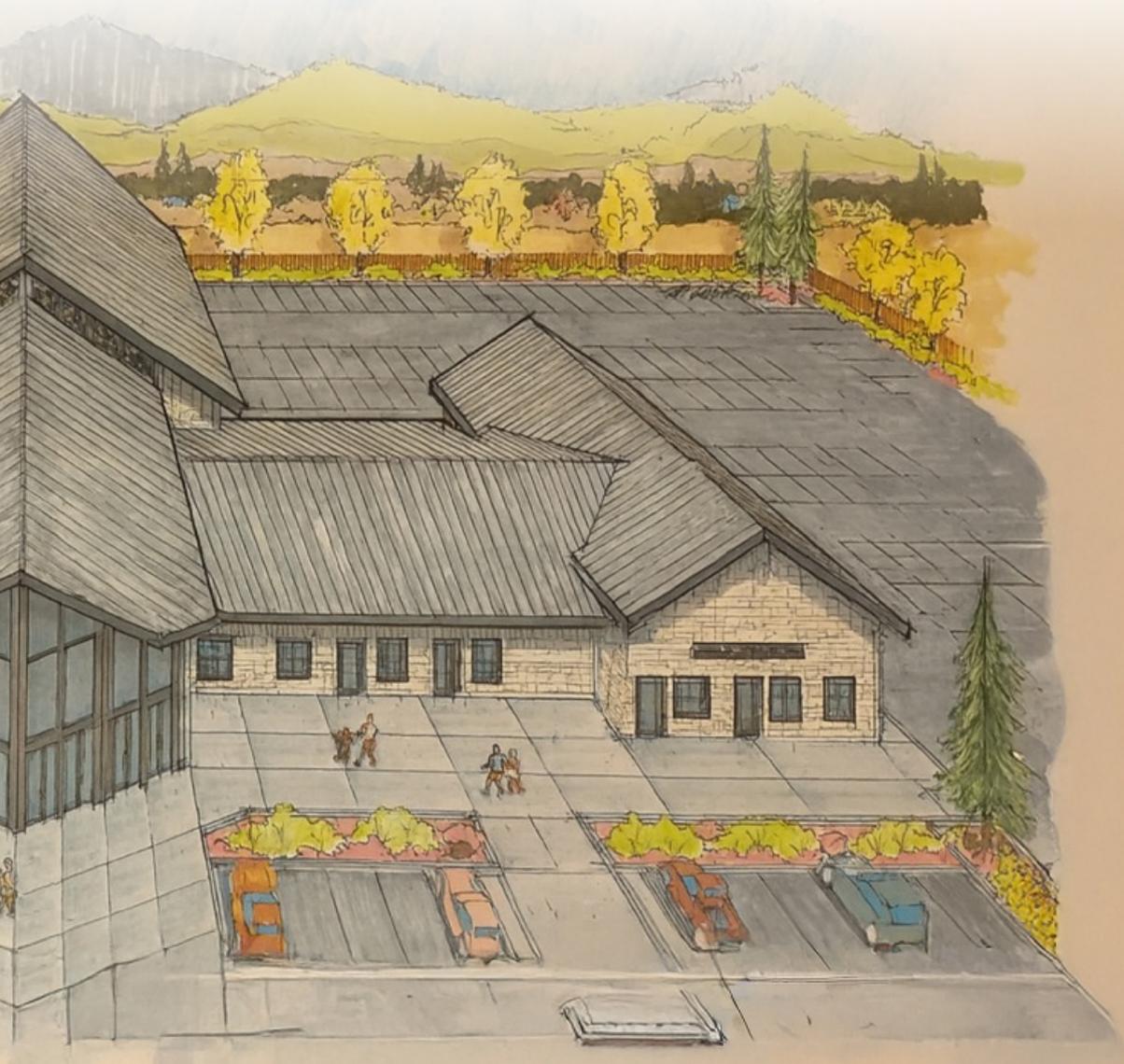
# THE BENEFITS OF BUILDING

We believe that with a permanent space and place to call home we'll have greater capacity to glorify God by growing our ministries and expanding the reach of the gospel into our city and beyond.

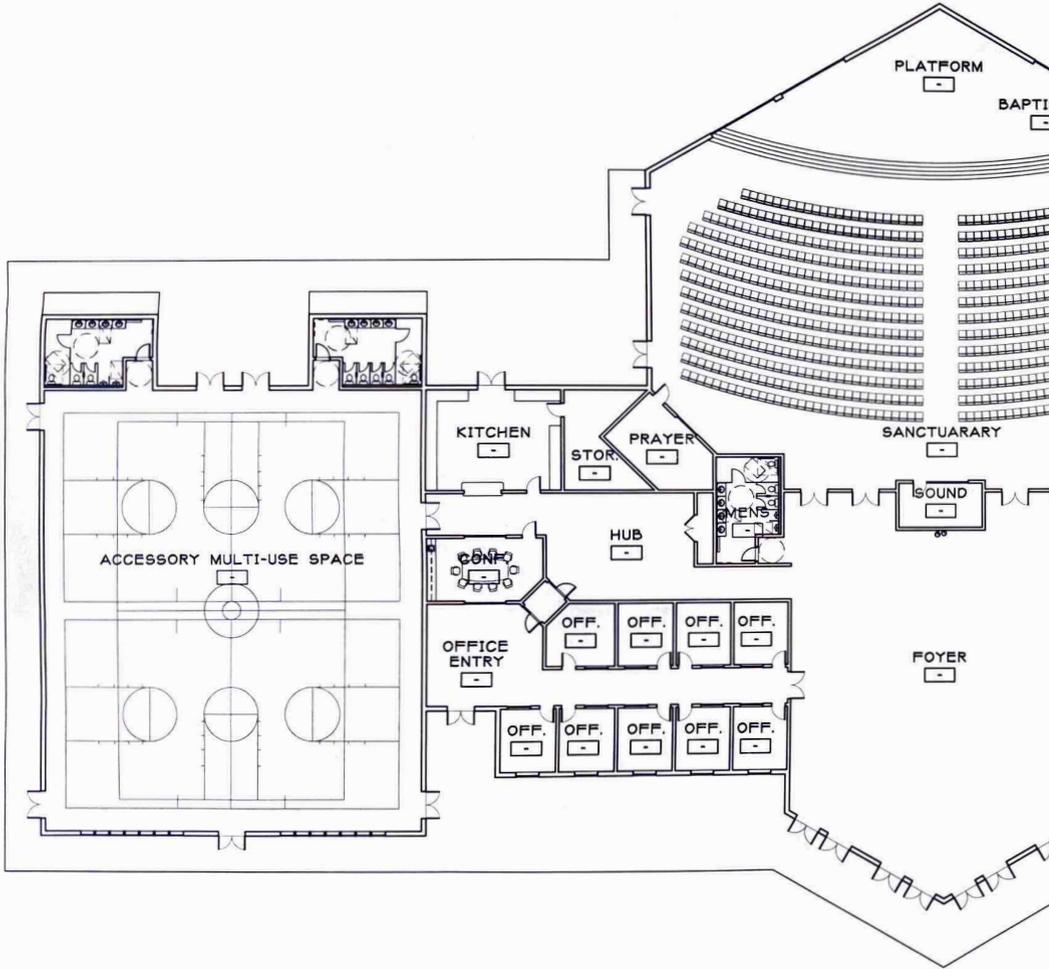


# SPACE FOR...

- **FELLOWSHIP** - where the people of our church can linger together to visit and pray and fellowship long after worship services or classes have ended without having to rush out.

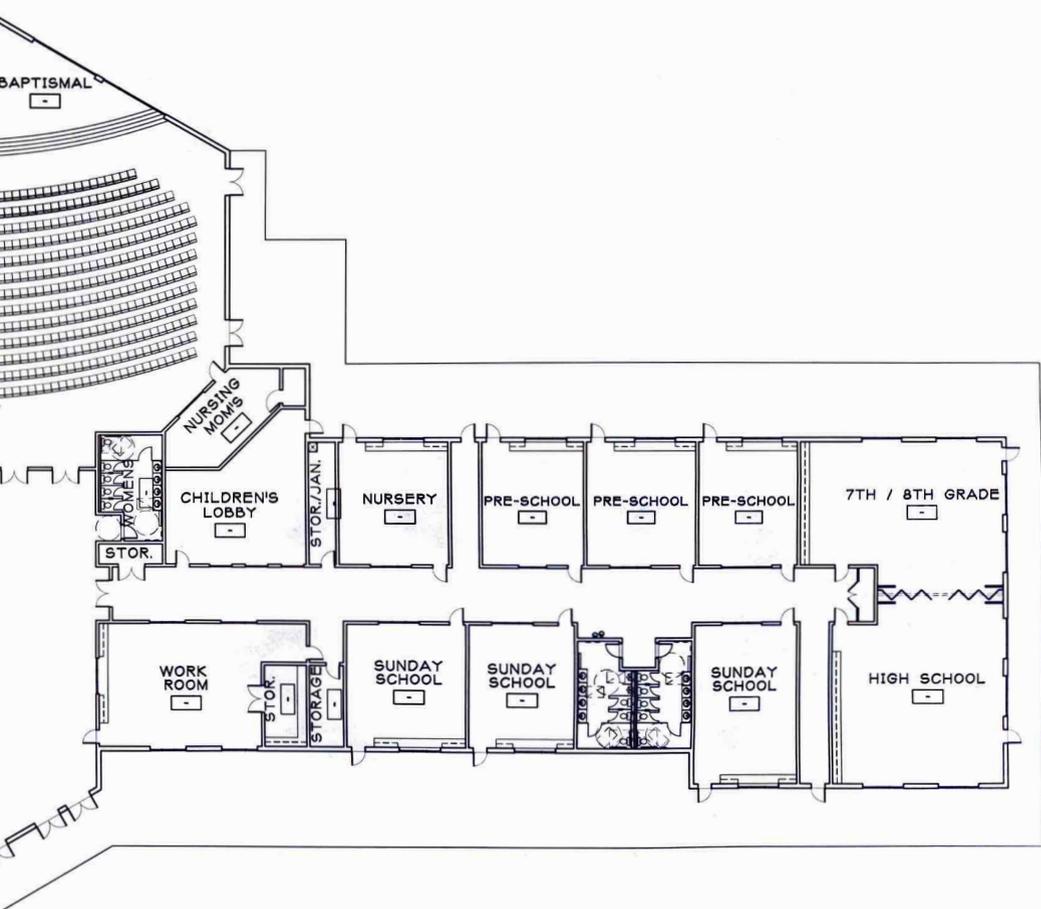


- **FAMILIES** - for families where the parents and children of our church regularly gather to grow in Christ together and can be more effectively equipped to make their home the primary place of discipleship.



- **TEENS** - where teens of Heritage and of the Rogue Valley can gather to encounter Jesus, to find Christian community and be equipped to walk faithfully with Jesus as they head into adulthood.

- **CHILDREN** - for children to gather and worship and grow in Christ, not only on Sunday but throughout the week. We envision a welcoming space for the youngest and most impressionable souls in our midst to build solid foundations for a lifetime of following Jesus.



- **DISCIPLE-MAKING** - classrooms and gathering spaces alive with Christ-centered fellowship on Sundays and throughout the week, filled with spiritual seekers who are encountering the living God, young believers being rooted in the Truth and committed Christians being equipped for ministry and mission.

## THE BENEFITS OF BUILDING

- **TO START NEW WORKS** - space to start, strengthen and incubate new ministries, new ways of reaching the lost and of equipping the saints for the glory of God.
- **BAPTISMS** - a baptismal where those who are led to baptism can respond in real-time obedience to the command of Jesus.
- **WEDDINGS & FUNERALS** - a true sanctuary within which to hold weddings and funerals for the people of Heritage and the community.
- **HOSPITALITY** - dedicated space for hospitality, including a kitchen where food can be prepared and where meaningful relationships can be formed around a table.
- **TO REACH OUR COMMUNITY** - a place for mission where those who are far from God can encounter Him in tangible ways when they walk through the doors. A place that serves as an anchor to our neighborhood and a resource to our city, where the lost, the hurting and the seeking are welcomed.
- **TO SEND OUT MISSIONARIES** - for birthing new leaders and new churches as we continue growing into a healthy and multiplicative church that attracts, equips, raises up and sends out mission-minded men and women to plant new churches and start new gospel works in Southern Oregon and beyond.
- **TO WORSHIP TOGETHER** - we dream of being a place of worship with a large worship space where saints and seekers can gather corporately each week to exalt Christ in worship, and sit under the faithful biblical preaching and sent out into the mission field—equipped to be the hands and feet of Jesus.



# NEXT STEPS



## WHAT YOU CAN DO NOW

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### PRAY

- Ask God to bring glory to Himself and unity to our church in this season as we follow His leading toward a new home.
- Ask God to continue providing the needed resources for our church to faithfully carry out the mission and ministry He has given us.
- Ask God to shine the light of Christ brightly in our valley, drawing unbelieving people to Himself.

## ENGAGE

- Prioritize attending and participating in Sunday worship services
- Proactively pursue godly relationships with one another
- Participate in a discipleship community (Huddle, Men's, Women's, Affinity groups)
- Seek out opportunities to serve one another on a ministry team

## GIVE

- Prayerfully consider and discern how God is calling you to invest in the future home of Heritage
- Commit to cheerfully give what God has led you to give
- Choose how you want to give
- Debit or credit card or EFT (electronic fund transfer)
- Check
- Cash
- Non-Cash (stocks, land, collectibles, etc.)



Commitment Form

# COMMITMENT FORM

First and Last Name

Spouse Name (If Applicable)

Email Address

Phone Number

## WHAT TYPE OF COMMITMENT DO YOU WANT TO MAKE?

One-time Cash Gift

One-time Non-Cash Gift

(stocks, land, collectibles, etc.)

Recurring Gift:

Weekly

Monthly

Annually

**NOTE FOR RECURRING GIFTS:** Financial commitments are made over a 3 year period. These can be broken down into weekly, monthly, or annual contribution amounts. The commitment you are making today (via this form) is the TOTAL amount you plan to donate over the next 3 years.

**HOW MUCH IS GOD LEADING YOU TO FINANCIALLY CONTRIBUTE TOWARD THE FUTURE HOME OF HERITAGE?**



# THE PROJECT BUDGET

**TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET - \$7,700,000**

We currently have:

– Savings (over 17 years)	<b>\$1,300,000</b>
– 6 Acres of Land (rough est)	<b>\$2,000,000</b>
– Cash Gift (anonymous)	<b>\$2,317,130</b>

**TOTAL CAMPAIGN GOAL - \$2,100,000**

## CHART OF GIFTS



NUMBER OF COMMITMENTS	3-YEAR AMOUNT	WEEKLY AMOUNT	MONTHLY AMOUNT	ANNUAL AMOUNT	COLLECTIVE 3-YEAR TOTALS
1	\$300,000	\$1,923	\$8,333	\$100,000	\$300,000
1	\$200,000	\$1,282	\$5,556	\$66,667	\$200,000
2	\$100,000	\$641	\$2,778	\$33,333	\$200,000
4	\$50,000	\$321	\$1,389	\$16,667	\$200,000
9	\$30,000	\$192	\$833	\$10,000	\$270,000
13	\$20,000	\$128	\$556	\$6,667	\$260,000
20	\$15,000	\$96	\$417	\$5,000	\$300,000
21	\$10,000	\$64	\$278	\$3,333	\$210,000
27	\$5,000	\$32	\$139	\$1,667	\$135,000
22	\$2,500	\$16	\$69	\$833	\$55,000
20	\$1,000	\$6	\$28	\$333	\$20,000
<b>140</b>					<b>\$2,150,000</b>

# TIMELINE...



**OCTOBER**

Advance Challenge Meetings



**OCT. 4-5**

Prayer Event



**OCT. 19**

Tax-Wise Giving Seminar



**NOV. 9**

Challenge Sunday



**NOV. 16**

Commitment Sunday



**DEC. 7**

Celebration Sunday



**2026**

Ground-breaking

# FREQUENT QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

## **WHY BUILD A PERMANENT FACILITY NOW?**

- Heritage and Cascade Schools are both growing and access to space is increasingly limited.
  - Ministry innovation and growth are hindered due to limited space.
  - A building is a resource to more boldly evangelize the Rogue Valley.
  - Without weekly setup and teardown, volunteer efforts can shift to outward mission.
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## **WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF A PERMANENT FACILITY?**

- Constant access to space for fellowship, ministry and mission.
- More and better space for children, youth and families to gather and grow.
- Space for discipleship and for equipping the saints for ministry.
- Space for the raising up and sending out disciples for the sake of mission.
- A warm and welcoming place for the community to encounter Jesus.
- A sanctuary within which to gather and worship each week.

**WHAT ARE THE FINANCIAL RISKS?**

- Our budget is \$7.7 million.
  - With \$5.6 million already raised, we are seeking to raise an additional \$2.1 million.
  - Heritage is committed to stay within our financial reach and will not overextend financially and thus limit ministry effectiveness.
  - We will only move forward in wise stewardship.
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**WILL A NEW FACILITY CHANGE OUR CHURCH?**

- There's no doubt that moving to a new facility in a new neighborhood will lead to some foreseen and unforeseen changes for our church. Our mission and focus to make disciples who make disciples, will remain our constant focus. A new facility will not change our DNA or our mission, but will simply serve as a tool to better enable us to do this work God has given us.
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**WHY BUILD RATHER THAN RENOVATE?**

- Our conviction to be in a neighborhood and in an area with no other churches.
- Extensive property searches yielded no viable options for renovation.
- The land we will build on was donated, which guided our decision to build.
- Building enables us to customize our facility to our vision and needs.

## WHEN WILL CONSTRUCTION BEGIN?

- Though there are multiple factors that will dictate when construction will begin, we are hoping to break ground in 2026.
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## WHERE WILL WE MEET AS CONSTRUCTION IS UNDERWAY?

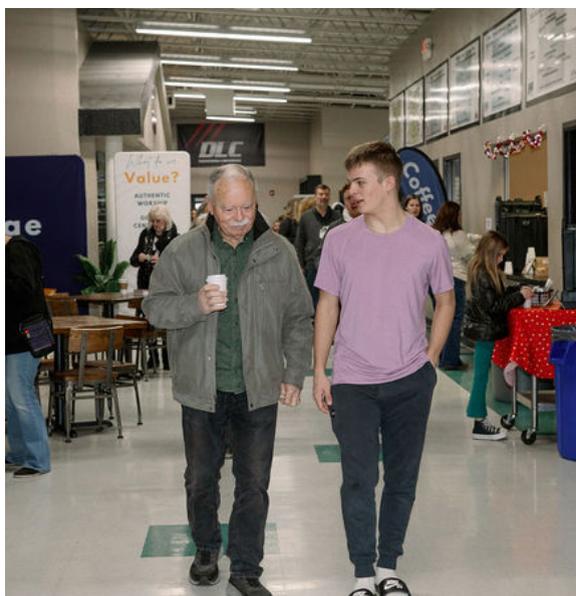
- Cascade Christian High School will remain our worship location until we are able to move into our new facility.
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## HOW CAN THE PEOPLE OF HERITAGE HELP TO BUILD THIS NEW FACILITY?

- There will be ample opportunity for the people of Heritage to help at various stages of the construction process.
  - There will be invitations to contribute financially during our campaign this fall.
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## HAVE ANOTHER QUESTION?

Email your question to [questions@heritagefellowship.net](mailto:questions@heritagefellowship.net)







# THANK YOU

Your faithful partnership will help shine the light  
of the gospel brightly across the Rogue Valley  
and to the ends of the Earth.

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