



What am I being asked to consider?

A capital campaign raises the same question for every FLPC household.

How much should I give?

- 1 First**, we must seek to follow the Apostle Paul's advice to the Corinthian Church: "Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (II Cor. 9:7) It is the prayer of the Campaign Committee that your participation will be an occasion for joy and not an occasion for discouragement.
- 2 Second**, we invite those who are able to make their commitment out of accumulated resources. Traditionally, these gifts are often given out of long-term savings, appreciated stock, marketable properties, etc. If you are able and feel called to do so, please plan to participate by making a gift out of your accumulated resources.
- 3 Third**, we recognize that not everyone has accumulated resources. Many households live paycheck to paycheck. If this is your situation, we ask that you consider a sacrificial response that is in the range of 2.5 times your annual pledge. This amount would be paid out over three years, October 1, 2026 – September 30, 2029.
- 4 Fourth**, we realize that some households will be unable to make a response that is 2.5 times the amount of your annual pledge. Some will be able to pledge more, and others will feel unable to make any commitment at this time. Pledge at the level you can, and join us in giving thanks to God for all who are called to join in making firm our church's foundation. We will welcome spontaneous gifts made at any time during the campaign. If you cannot make a pledge, simply return your Pledge Form and indicate your decision not to participate at this time. We ask that everyone return the form, including those who do not indicate a financial commitment.
- 5 Fifth**, please pray for this effort. James 5:16 reminds us: "The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective."

Example

**Capital Campaign pledge
(annual pledge x 2.5):**

If Annual Pledge=\$2,500

**Then Capital Campaign Pledge=
\$2,500 x 2.5 = \$6,250**

Gifts needed to reach \$1.4 million

