

stewardship 2025

*His divine Power has given us EVERYTHING needed for Life & GODLINESS
through the knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory & goodness.*

2 Peter 1:3





Message from the Rector

In Philippians 1.9, the Apostle Paul writes, "It is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ."

For over a century, Christ Church has pursued God's call to love Him and to love other people. From worship services to fellowship groups, from children's and youth ministry to outreach to people in great need, our mission is to love God and to love other people.

Over the past year, Christ Church has continued to offer scores of wonderful ministries to equip us to more faithfully love, to grow in our faith, and to celebrate the blessing of life in Christ Jesus.

This is an exciting season in the life of our congregation! This past year, your extraordinary generosity enabled us to create a fantastic new wing at Christ Church South. Over the past five months, many scores of children have filled those rooms with laughter and joy. We have seen substantial growth in the number of kids and adults in worship and faith formation since the grand opening of the new wing this past Spring. Over five months ago, we began the construction of a new Children's Ministry Center and Children's Chapel at our historic downtown campus. In a few weeks, we will open the refreshed Bell Building and fill those new rooms with the sounds of joyful children learning about the love of Jesus. These amazing new spaces, and all of our ministries, are possible because of the generous stewardship of time, talents, and treasure of people like you and families like yours.

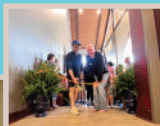
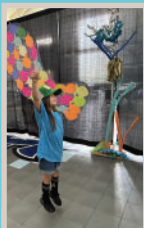
With the Lord's help and your commitment, in 2025 we will grow in our love of the Lord and other people through the ministry of our church. Please join me by making a pledge to strongly support Christ Church in the coming year.

David H.

Our Mission at Christ Church is simple:

equip people to know & follow Christ!

Christ Church exists because there is a great need in Tyler and around the world for Christ and His Kingdom. Your gifts empower us to meet not only the physical needs of those around us, but also the deep spiritual needs of our congregation and community. Whether it is serving a meal to the poor through Loaves & Fishes, explaining the Gospel to a child for the first time, or helping a newcomer find a place to belong, your generosity helps us meet the needs in our community and around the world.



READY TO GIVE?

By pledging, you are signaling your commitment to Christ Church and responding to God's generous blessings in your life. When you give back, you enable Christ Church to plan for the year ahead so that we can make wise decisions about the finances God has entrusted to us to continue building Christ's Kingdom.

You can make your pledge in any one of, or a combination of, the options below:

- Enclosed Commitment Card
- Christ Church Mobile App > pledge
- Online at christchurchtyler.org/give

We invite you to make your pledge on or before Commitment Sunday, October 27, 2024.

Proposed 2025 **Operating Budget: \$1.7 MILLION**

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one church . two campuses

downtown 118 S. Bois d'Arc, Tyler, TX 75702

south campus 15747 Old Jacksonville, Tyler, TX 75703

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Parish & Worship 31%

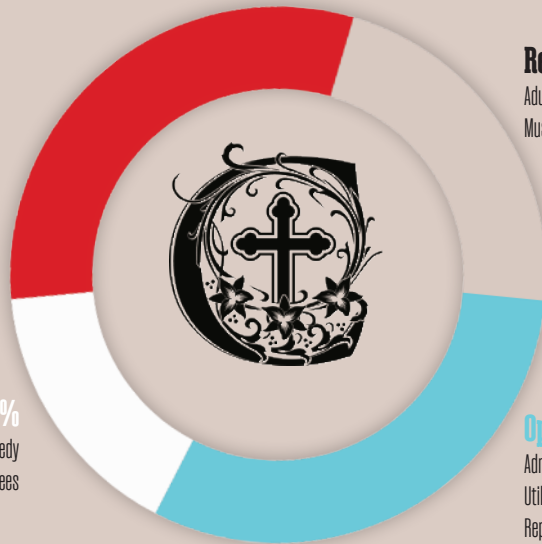
Clergy compensation

Altar Guild

Missions & Evangelism 16%

Missions to support the needy

Ukrainian Refugees



Religious Education 22%

Adult, Youth & Children's Ministries

Music Ministries

Operations & Insurance 31%

Administrative staff compensation

Utilities, computer support, etc.

Repairs & Maintenance

Printing & Postage

Technology