

BUILDING FOR GENERATIONS

A Proposed Family Life Center

Growing Together. Serving Together. Building for the Future.

WHY ALC IS CONSIDERING ADDITIONAL SPACE

ALC continues to grow in worship, faith formation, preschool, youth ministry, and community use. Education rooms are fully used on Sunday mornings, and children's activities are already extending into hallway space. The proposed Family Life Center would provide flexible, purpose-designed space for ministry throughout the week.



GROWING CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY



CURRENT HALLWAY ACTIVITY SPACE

1,018	199	100
Members in 2025	Average Sunday worship	Sunday School students

THE PROPOSED VISION

A flexible 9,848-square-foot addition for preschool activities, children and youth ministry, recreation, large-group learning, meals, fellowship, celebrations, and community outreach.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

Information, feedback, and two separate congregational decisions

NO DECISION TO CONSTRUCT IS BEING MADE AT THIS TIME

The immediate question is whether the project should advance to a congregational capital-campaign vote.

1. **LEARN & PROVIDE FEEDBACK**
   Presentations and open information sessions over the next 3-4 weeks.

2. **CHURCH LEADERSHIP EVALUATES INPUT**
   Determine whether sufficient support exists to bring forward a capital-campaign vote.

3. **VOTE 1: AUTHORIZE A CAPITAL CAMPAIGN**
   If approved, ALC begins fundraising. This vote would not authorize construction.

4. **CAMPAIGN & PROJECT REFINEMENT**
   Actual gifts and pledges determine success; scope, cost, and financing are refined.

5. **VOTE 2: AUTHORIZE CONSTRUCTION**
   If adequate funds are secured, the congregation votes separately on proceeding with expansion.



EXTERIOR CONCEPT



FLEXIBLE MAIN SPACE



YOUTH MINISTRY

FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

$2.6M Fundraising goal	**$2.643M** Preliminary contractor budget
$30,000 Estimated added annual operating cost	**8.7%** $30,000 as a share of 2025 offerings

INFORMATION SESSIONS AND FEEDBACK

ALL SESSIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE ALC FELLOWSHIP HALL

11/1 10:00-11:00am | 11/2 5:00-6:00pm | 11/4 6:00-7:00pm
11/8 10:00-11:00am | 11/11 5:00-6:00pm | 11/15 10:00-11:00am

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COMPLETED FORMS: ALC Office

INFORMATION SESSION GUIDE

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PURPOSE OF THIS SESSION

Review the ministry need, project concept, preliminary financial information, and decision process. The current process is intended to help Church Leadership determine whether there is sufficient congregational support to bring forward a formal vote authorizing a capital campaign.

NO DECISION TO CONSTRUCT IS BEING MADE AT THIS TIME

A separate congregational vote would be required before construction could proceed.

PROJECT SNAPSHOT

9,848 SQ. FT.
Proposed flexible addition

$2.6 MILLION
Fundraising goal

$2.643 MILLION
Preliminary contractor budget

$30,000 / YEAR
Estimated added operating cost

DECISION PATHWAY

1. Information & feedback
2. Leadership decision
3. Vote 1: capital campaign
4. Campaign & refinement
5. Vote 2: construction

Vote 1 would authorize a capital campaign, not construction. If adequate funds are raised, the congregation would later vote separately on proceeding with the expansion.

MY NOTES: KEY POINTS, QUESTIONS, AND CONCERNS

FOLLOW-UP INFORMATION I WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE

YOUR FEEDBACK MATTERS

Please return this form to Church Leadership or use the contact information below.

1. DO YOU BELIEVE ALC HAS A NEED FOR ADDITIONAL FLEXIBLE MINISTRY SPACE?

Yes No Unsure / Need more information

2. DOES THE PROPOSED FAMILY LIFE CENTER GENERALLY ADDRESS THAT NEED?

Yes No Unsure / Need more information

3. WHICH POTENTIAL USES PROVIDE THE GREATEST MINISTRY VALUE? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY.

- Children & Sunday School
- Youth ministry
- Preschool
- Congregational fellowship
- Recreation & activity
- Meals & gatherings
- Community outreach
- Other: _____

4. WHAT QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS DO YOU STILL HAVE?

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5. WHAT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WOULD HELP YOU EVALUATE THE PROJECT?

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6. BASED ON WHAT YOU KNOW TODAY, WOULD YOU SUPPORT CHURCH LEADERSHIP BRINGING FORWARD A FORMAL CONGREGATIONAL VOTE TO AUTHORIZE A CAPITAL CAMPAIGN?

Yes No Unsure / Need more information

7. WHAT SHOULD CHURCH LEADERSHIP CONSIDER AS NEXT STEPS?

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Name (optional): _____ Date: _____

I would like someone from Church Leadership to follow up with me. Best contact: _____

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