



Matt Farrar, Teaching & Executive Minister
2511 S. Veterans Dr., Effingham, IL 62401
Phone (217) 347-5705
www.christschurch.com • matt@christschurch.com

Greetings!

February 9, 2023

This year, Christ's Church will celebrate 39 years of life-changing ministry! God has done so many amazing things in and through Christ's Church. We believe that God's work is not done, and He is at work like never before! As God continues to press on our hearts the desire to reach more people with the hope of Jesus, we believe ***The Future is Now!***

Over the last 39 years, God has blessed our church with incredible growth and people hungry for the life change the gospel offers. Our largest growth can be witnessed every Sunday in our next generation ministries. On an average weekend at our Effingham campus, you can expect over 200 kids in our birth-5th grade ministries. During the week, our hallways are bursting with energy as 160 students receive a Christian education at Discovery Christian School and Preschool. This growth has pushed us to capacity in our current space. We believe the time is now to expand the space to make room for even more families!

We know first-hand how impactful being a part of God's plan can be! That is why we are asking you to join us on this journey. We are praying for 100% participation from everyone that calls Christ's Church home. We don't want anyone to miss out on an opportunity to be a part of what God is doing here at Christ's Church.

We are calling this phase of the project "***The Future is Now!***" The project will grow our current space by 9,824 square feet. It will consist of ten large classrooms, one large gathering space, and a new playground. As our next generation ministry continues to grow, we are hopeful this plan will allow us to nearly double our capacity for kids' space.

We ask that you prayerfully consider how your family may be a part of this project financially. The estimated cost of this phase of the expansion is two million dollars. Mark your calendars for an exciting day at Christ's Church that we are calling "Giving Weekend." You will not want to miss this! On April 23, 2023, we set a goal to raise \$250,000, as well as gather estimates of giving for the next two years.

Over the next few months, you will hear more about this expansion and get to see glimpses of what it will look like. We are so excited that God continues to move in and through Christ's Church. ***The Future is Now***, and we can't wait!

This season of our church is going to be inspiring. We look forward with great anticipation to what God will do as we seek to Pursue Him, Connect with Others, and Unleash Impact on the world in the name of Jesus!

I am excited to be on this adventure with you!

Matt Farrar
Teaching & Executive Minister
Christ's Church



Christ's Church exists to glorify God by leading people to become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ.