

WHAT'S YOUR DREAM?

When you make a pledge to the “Free to Dream” campaign, you are staking a claim in Lost Creek’s future and helping make your dream for it a reality.

What is your dream for Lost Creek: a thriving Children’s and Youth Ministry? Expanded feeding ministries that feed the whole county? Powerful worship that better leads people to life-changing relationships with God?

Whatever your dream is, this campaign will help make it possible. Prayerfully consider a pledge, then, to this campaign, so that you have a part to play and a planted stake in what God will do through Lost Creek for generations to come.

Make a pledge and join us today!



1 PETER 1:3-4

WAYS TO GIVE

- **CASH/CHECK** made out to Lost Creek UMC with “Free to Dream” on memo line
- **STOCK** donated through the Oklahoma Methodist Foundation to the “Free to Dream Campaign”
- Give **IMMEDIATELY** and have an immediate impact.
- Or give in **INSTALLMENTS** through 2028.

*Free
to Dream*

**DEBT RETIREMENT
CAMPAIGN**

LOST CREEK UMC





THE SITUATION

Coming into this season, Lost Creek has three pockets of debt lingering from past projects:

- Lost Creek Education Wing - \$58,500
- Oak Park Line of Credit - \$98,000
- Oak Park Mortgage - \$342,500

This brings our total debt to right at \$500,000. **What's worse, we pay \$37,700 per year in debt service**, or 7.5% of our church's annual budget. That's almost \$40,000 that could pay for more ministry, more staff, or better facilities.

Too often, discussions about present and future dreams for Lost Creek are tempered with, "If only we didn't have these debt payments," or, "Maybe once we pay off our debt."

God is doing incredible things in our church. Worship numbers are climbing back to pre-pandemic levels, our Shine Zone is filled with children, our Youth Ministry is preparing to relaunch, and Oak Park is consistently booked with all kinds of groups.

And yet, our ability to dream is held down by our debt.

THE TIME IS NOW



Lost Creek is ready to dream again, to dream unburdened by debt which weighs us down!

We believe God is calling us into a bright future, planting dreams within our hearts for greater outreach, nurture, and witness.

The time is now to get rid of this lingering debt and free our church to pursue these dreams with passion and dedication!

HELP US BE FREE TO DREAM

Paying off \$500,000 of debt is a tall order, but it is one that is reachable if our entire church family supports this campaign beyond your normal pledged and other giving.

Whether you can give \$20,000 or \$200, your support is critical.

Giving just \$10 per week until this campaign ends in 2028 adds up to \$1,500!

Giving \$100 per month adds up to \$3,300!

