



REACH

EXPANDING CAPACITY FOR GOSPEL IMPACT

FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH

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OUR MISSION

To make more and better disciples of Jesus Christ

OUR VISION

Through the Spirit's leading and power, we display Jesus' attractive, welcoming, and reconciling presence in Christ-centered community, so that thousands more may experience Him in a gospel-inspired life.

OUR INSPIRATION

"And the word of God continued to increase, and the number of the disciples multiplied greatly..."

Acts 6:7



INTRODUCTION

TRANSFORMING THOUSANDS OF LIVES FOR JESUS

Faith Community Church (FCC) has been used by God for 40 years to transform thousands of lives through the gospel of Jesus. We represent hundreds of families that span the St. Croix Valley and our Twin Cities neighbors. In this season, we are excited to invite each one of us to join together in expanding our capacity to REACH and disciple others through the message and ministry of following Jesus.

We want to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit as we continue to see God draw more people to experience and participate in kids and youth discipleship, Christ-centered community, intentional evangelism, Biblical counseling, and more.

At the same time, we want to pursue new opportunities to bring life-changing, Gospel-Inspired Life ministry to others in surrounding areas by planting new campuses in neighboring communities.

We are exceedingly grateful for the saving work of Jesus and for the Lord's faithful presence with us as a church. It is an honor to prayerfully pursue the next season of life at FCC with you.

Rich Blessings,

TIM PORTER

Senior Pastor
Faith Community Church

OUR STORY

1984

FCC begins as a gathering at the Hudson Hotel. The goal is to be a thriving, Bible-believing church in the St. Croix Valley.

1986

FCC begins meeting in a church building on 4th Street in Hudson. The mission is established to make more and better disciples of Jesus Christ.

1993

FCC builds at 777 Carmichael Rd. The next 10 years include on-campus ministry growth and church planting. Five church plants from FCC are born during this time.

2000

FCC completes our first building renovation to expand capacity. The auditorium space is doubled.

2014

FCC builds the Refuge Room and Early Childhood Wing to expand capacity for students and kids.

2024

FCC is ready to expand capacity as we experience strong and sustained growth. We are also ready to look to the future of expansion through campus planting.

“[After my first Sunday], I couldn’t WAIT to come back. For the first time in my life...I finally realized that I never had a relationship with Jesus. It was two years before I stopped crying after a sermon.”

-Mary Gustafson

“My relationship with God was always important but I always kind of kept it to myself. I was done with religion. The big thing coming [to FCC] is that...I quickly learned that they practice what they preach.”

-Eric Gustafson



2014 Refuge Room expansion



GOSPEL IMPACT



Weekly Worship
(Average 878)



Sunday Kids
(Average 193)

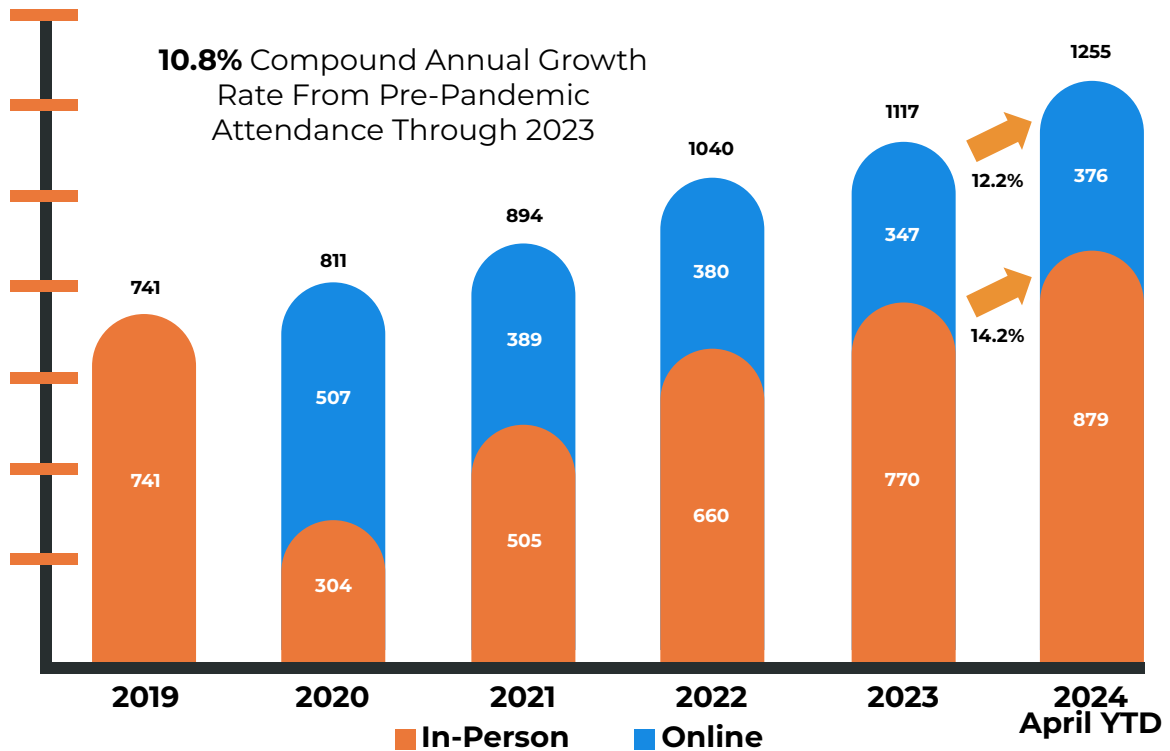


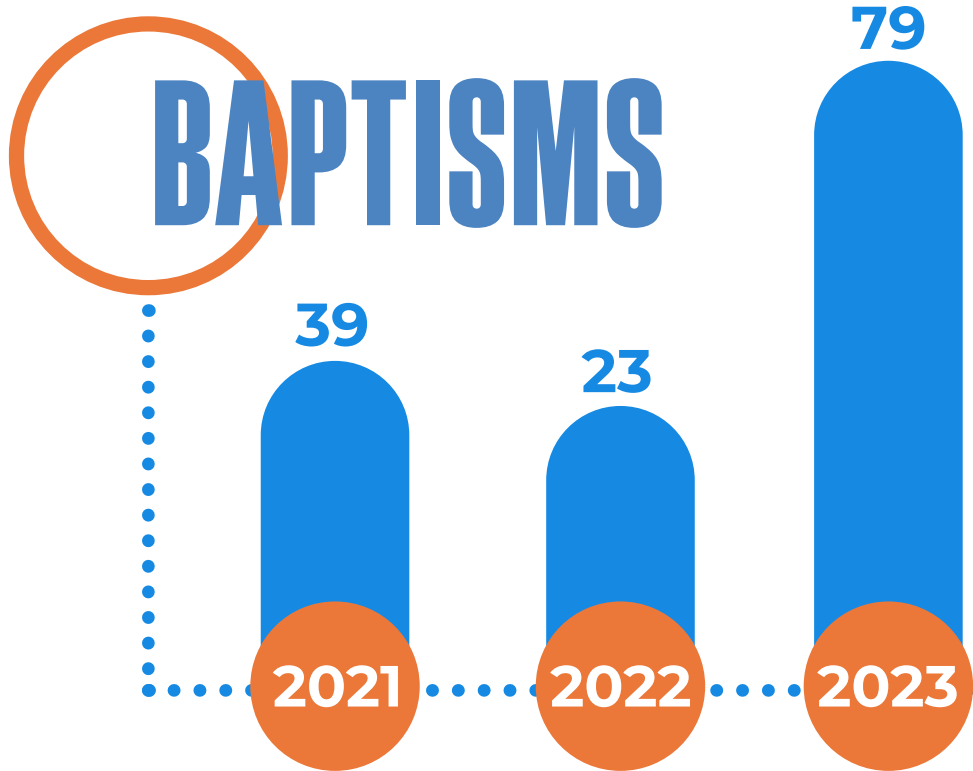
**Wednesday
Night Next Gen**
(Average 316)



**Adults in Mid-Week
Empower Courses**
(297 Total)

AVG WEEKLY ATTENDANCE 2019 TO 2024 YTD





“FCC has been a second home. It’s been truly a life-changing place, and I am just so happy that I get to call these people family. At first, my faith was really not good. After I started to meet new people, I started to experience what God wanted me to do through him. Through that, I got to go on a mission trip, and that really sparked my faith. I felt new.”

-Emily Perez Mora



OUR OPPORTUNITY

HERE...

- Invest in the continued growth and quality of on campus ministry.
- Increase the amount of attractive, welcoming, secure, and dedicated space for every generation.
- Increase student and kid engagement, which current ministry spaces limit.
- Expand capacity in auditorium and parking lot to welcome any and all who seek to join our gatherings.

BEYOND HUDSON...

- We have hundreds of people driving to Hudson each week from growing communities and school districts.
- There are communities beyond Hudson with few - if any - evangelical churches in them at all.



“[Through FCC] I got to learn... how real the crucifixion of Jesus is. I realized that I was completely lost on the wide path...I got pulled out of that onto the narrow path and a better way to live, a reason to worship God, and to want a relationship [with Jesus]”

-Casey Linnell

CENTERS FOR IMPACT

KIDS AND YOUTH DISCIPLESHIP

CHRIST-CENTERED COMMUNITY

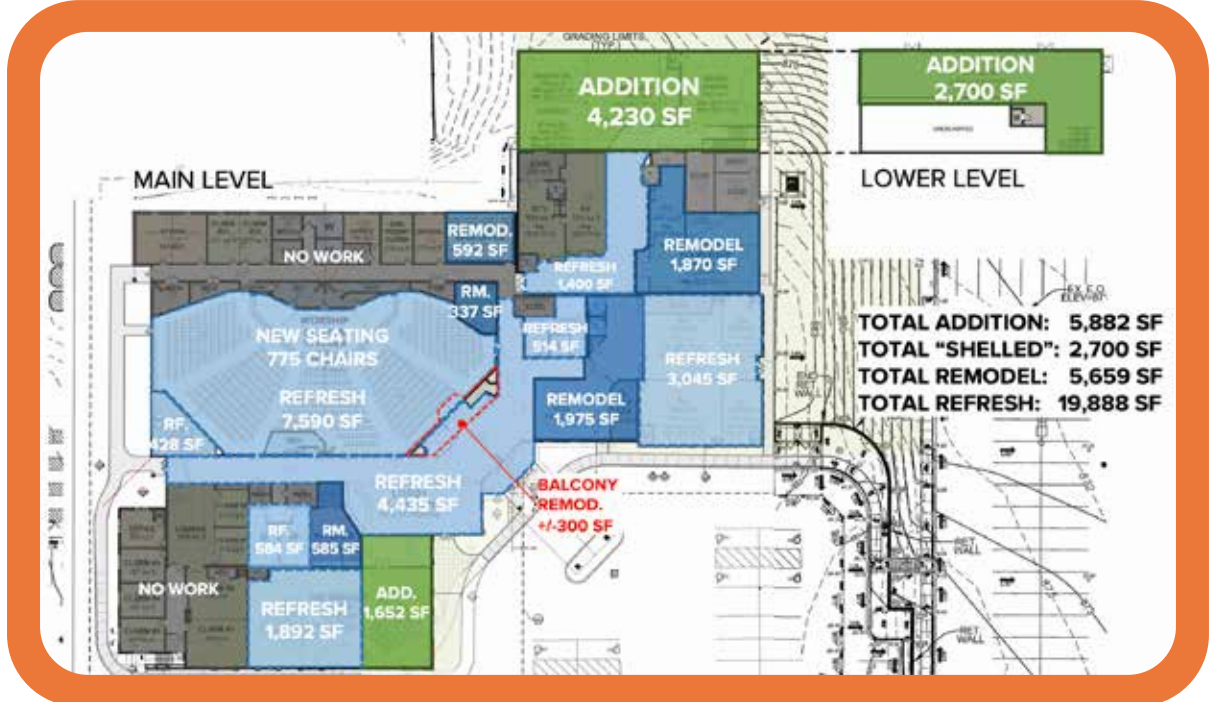
INTENTIONAL EVANGELISM

BIBLICAL COUNSELING

These are happening NOW at Faith Community Church. We want to continue to invest in them here while also taking them beyond Hudson and into the communities around us!

OUR PLAN

64% of the building will experience an attractive, welcoming upgrade or refresh!





The REACH project expands parking to make space for newcomers who may otherwise drive away without a way to park and attend.



An expanded lobby increases gathering space, and a relocated kitchen with new appliances serves as an updated café area. This kitchen can also provide food service to the expanded Refuge Room.



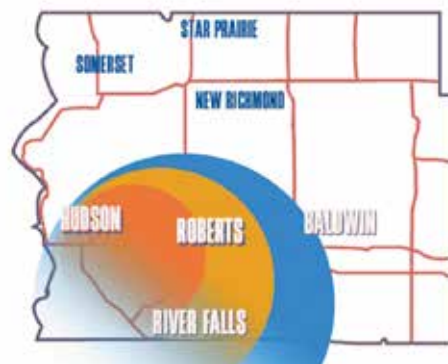
New and existing families are greeted with a welcoming lobby, an inviting kids check-in space, and clear wayfinding. Kids spaces receive secure entries.



Expanded space in the Refuge Room increases capacity for Refuge services, leadership training, fellowship, and adult ministry.



Dedicated and expanded kid's spaces are upgraded with secure entrances and engaging, age-appropriate environments where kids can encounter Jesus on their level while forging lasting friendships with others.



By the Spirit's leading and power, we are working to bring Gospel-Inspired Life ministry to communities beyond Hudson.

OUR NEED

OUR NEED: \$5,400,000

Lobby and Upgrades	\$340,000
Kitchen*	\$420,000
Auditorium Seats & Upgrades	\$398,000
Parking	\$370,000
Kid's Ministry Space	\$1,980,000
Expanded Refuge Room*	\$770,000
Soft Cost (Architect, Prof. fees, etc.)	\$496,000
Contingency Fund	\$376,000
Church Planting Fund	\$250,000

*Assumes a successful capital campaign



“When we first started attending FCC, it was before we really gave our lives to Christ. We routinely came, and it really ignited more conversations between us on our spirituality.”

-Cassie Göçmen

“From the moment you find FCC online...and then when you come and you experience the environment, the people, the volunteers, everyone is warm, welcoming, and very inviting. I never felt like an outsider.”

-Ender Göçmen



“I’ve been challenged to pray for the kids in my neighborhood. In the Bible, they share their faith even in hard situations. We can share with non-believers just by talking to them, verses [those] in the Bible who had life and death situations.”

-Benjamin Aasness

“The lessons [Benjamin] learns at Faith Kids he brings back and we go into them deeper. It gives parents something to really dig deeper in. His friends there just fill his cup! Faith Kids is huge for us.”

-Kim Aasness (Benjamin’s mother)

WHAT IT WILL TAKE

GIVING DISTRIBUTION

3,500,000

# of Pledgers	Pledge Amount	Weekly Gift	Monthly Gift	Group Total	Cumulative Total
1	\$150,000	\$962	\$4,167	\$150,000	\$150,000
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2	\$75,000	\$481	\$2,083	\$150,000	\$300,000
6	\$50,000	\$321	\$1,389	\$300,000	\$600,000
8	\$40,000	\$256	\$1,111	\$320,000	\$920,000
12	\$30,000	\$192	\$833	\$360,000	\$1,280,000
16	\$25,000	\$160	\$694	\$400,000	\$1,680,000
18	\$20,500	\$131	\$569	\$369,000	\$2,049,000
22	\$15,000	\$96	\$417	\$330,000	\$2,379,000
28	\$12,000	\$77	\$333	\$336,000	\$2,715,000
35	\$7,000	\$45	\$194	\$245,000	\$2,960,000
40	\$5,000	\$32	\$139	\$200,000	\$3,160,000
45	\$3,000	\$19	\$83	\$135,000	\$3,295,000
50	\$1,500	\$10	\$42	\$75,000	\$3,370,000
60	\$500	\$3	\$14	\$30,000	\$3,400,000

344

\$3,500,000

WHAT ARE WE ASKING?

JOIN US ON A 3 WEEK SPIRITUAL JOURNEY

Beginning October 27

WEEK 1 PRAY FOR IMPACT

God, enable us to reach others with the power of the gospel.
ACTS 6:7

WEEK 2 PRAY FOR VISION

Jesus, give us your heart and your vision for the communities around us.
MATTHEW 9:36 - 38

WEEK 3 PRAY FOR ACTION

Holy Spirit, show me how to do my part personally, spiritually, and financially.
MATTHEW 6:33

“Right from the beginning at FCC we felt welcomed in. It has always felt like we were coming home...it feels like we have an entire family here that we are not related to.”

“There are questions that have been answered for me [at FCC] that before I came here, I didn’t even know I needed to ask...it happens just as often inside of this building as it does outside of this building.”

-Doug and Erin Bradshaw



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Acts 6:7

WAYS TO INVEST

LIFESTYLE GIVING is giving by changing your lifestyle and priorities to free up resources

PERSONAL PROPERTY GIFTS are the giving of a home, vacation, home, commercial property, or land.

SACRIFICIAL GIVING is increasing your gift by giving up something that you “love” but that is non-essential, realizing that in doing so, you are showing love for God’s great, redemptive work. A sacrifice might be as simple as giving up a weekly lunch or perhaps you and your family would purposely give up a vacation or hobby for a season to give sacrificially.

DEFERRED GIFTS are gifts that are received some time in the future by the church. During that time the donor retains interest in the assets. Examples: bequests, estate notes, charitable reminder trusts, charitable gift annuities, IRA beneficiary, life insurance.

APPRECIATED ASSET GIVING is giving by transferring appreciated assets such as stocks, bond, art work, donor-advised funds, or real estate to get the extra tax benefits of eliminating capital gains taxes. The advantage of giving an “appreciated asset” rather than just selling it and giving the money to the church is that if you sell it, first you may owe tax on gain in value of your asset.

REDIRECTED EXPENDITURES occur when funds can be directed toward the kingdom work as other financial obligations are fulfilled during the campaign. These might include tuition payments, car loans, etc.

RAISES OR BONUSES dedicating a forthcoming raise or bonus as a way to fulfill one’s commitment.

FAQS

When will REACH pledges/commitment begin and end?

In general, REACH pledges are intended to be 36 month commitments that can be paid weekly, monthly, or annually over three years. There is also an option to give a one time gift. We will be collecting pledges from the church as a whole during services on November 17, 2024, but they can be turned in at any time if you are not able to attend that Sunday.

How do I give toward my commitment?

You can give online at fcchudson.com/give and designate your donation by clicking on Make a Gift and selecting REACH from the dropdown. We also gladly accept gifts in the form of a check. Simply write the word "REACH" in the memo.

How is this different from my tithe?

Tithing is simply returning the ten percent that belongs to God. Generosity begins in offerings. Tithes are funds set aside for the daily operations of the church. It is important to remember that life-transforming ministry continues to take place through the ongoing work of FCC during this campaign. Please continue to bring your tithe in addition to the special offerings God leads you to give.

I am new to FCC. Is there a way I can participate in REACH?

Absolutely! We are asking all who are a part of FCC to participate by sacrificial giving. Simply fill out a REACH commitment card, and turn it in, or you can email us a picture of your card to: faithcommunity@fcchudson.com.

What is the financial goal?

Our goal is to raise \$3.5 million towards REACH by December 31, 2027. Doing this will allow us to buy the building and complete Phase 3 of remodeling the building.

How can I creatively give towards REACH?

Stocks, bonds, IRA's, properties, assets, vehicles, and financial gifts can be donated to the REACH campaign.

What if I have more questions about REACH?

We'd love to answer your questions! Contact us at:

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