

REFLECT

THE

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BE

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GOOD



COMMITMENT 2024

COMMITMENT PRAYER

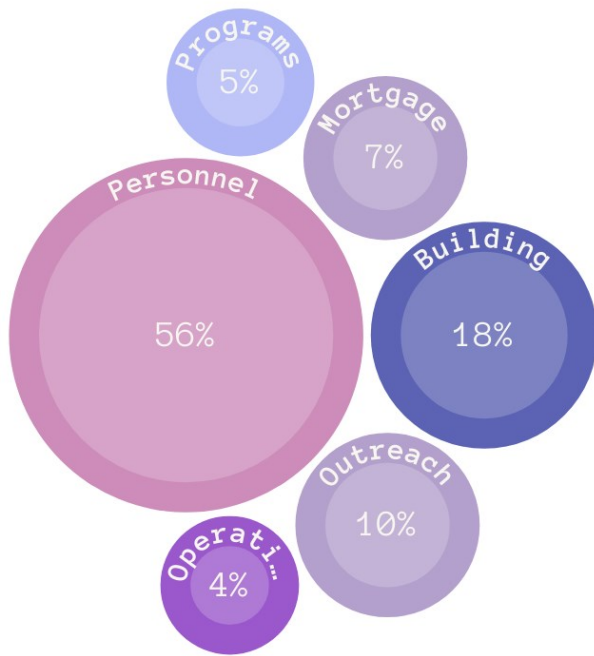
Holy God,
The astonishing love you
give in Jesus moves us to
love you back.

May we be grateful in our
celebration, give more of
ourselves to your cause,
and love our neighbors as
you do.

Help us to be more than
generous, but faithful, in
what we return to you.
Help our well-loved hearts
become unhidden, so that we
might share the good news
of your great love without
restraint.

And may what we commit
together this season give
you honor and praise.
In Christ's holy name.
Amen.





As God’s light shines on a weary world, we are called to reflect the light we see in Christ, and to be the good we know in him. We continue to live into this calling at Saint Luke’s, a journey that has led us to deepen interracial and interfaith community partnerships, expanding work with those who are marginalized, and a commitment to the cause of mental wellness for all. And these are just the newest examples of what Saint Luke’s is always about – loving and supporting and learning from all of God’s children. As the new year approaches, the 2024 Commitment Committee asks you to consider how you can faithfully support Saint Luke’s efforts through a renewed and expanded commitment of your time, your financial resources, and your invitations to others.

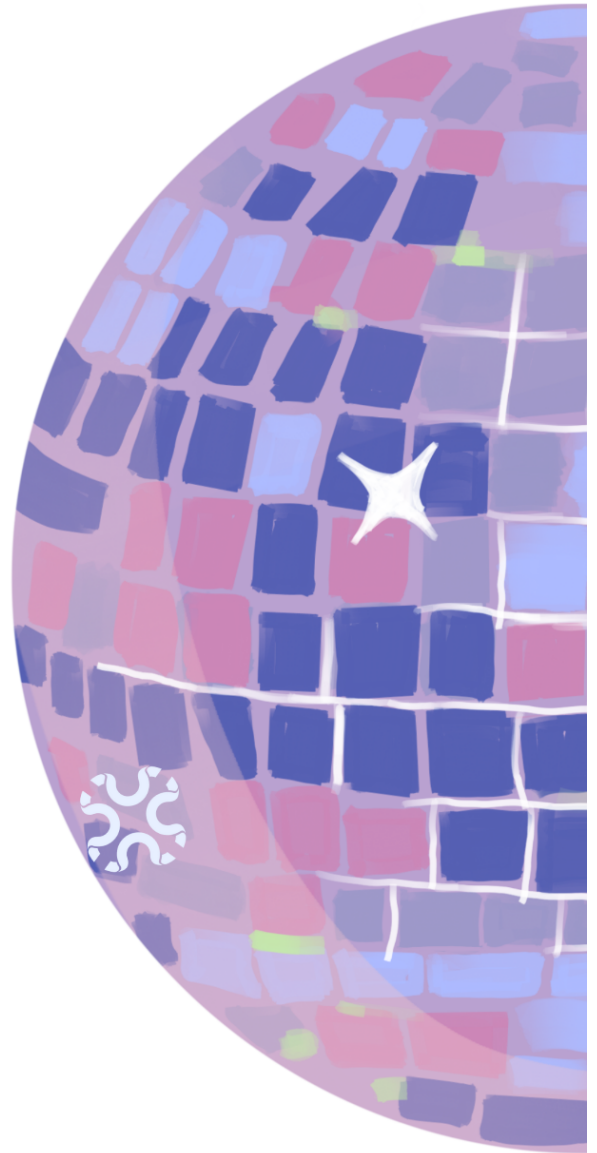
The proposed budget for 2024 is \$1,530,000, and member pledges represent about 82% of the necessary funding. This is a 4.25% increase over last year’s budget. Each of your pledges allow the Church to maintain our facilities, staff, and programs that mean so much to us and to those we serve. An increase of 4% from each household’s 2023 pledge will allow us to answer those needs.

Thank you for your commitment to sharing God’s gifts! Please prayerfully consider your 2024 pledge, and we hope you can increase your pledged giving to Saint Luke’s by 4% or more this year. If you have not previously pledged, please consider doing so. Your participation with any pledged gift is appreciated, and helps us do so much more with what you give.

Let us join as one body in Christ, and continue to reflect the light of God we see, and “Be the Good” in his name.



"I DELIGHT TO DO YOUR
WILL, O MY GOD; YOUR
LAW IS WITHIN MY HEART.
I HAVE TOLD THE GLAD
NEWS OF DELIVERANCE
IN THE GREAT
CONGREGATION;
SEE, I HAVE NOT
RESTRAINED MY LIPS,
AS YOU KNOW, O LORD.
I HAVE NOT HIDDEN YOUR
SAVING HELP WITHIN MY
HEART; I HAVE SPOKEN OF
YOUR FAITHFULNESS AND
YOUR SALVATION;
I HAVE NOT CONCEALED
YOUR STEADFAST LOVE
AND YOUR FAITHFULNESS
FROM THE GREAT
CONGREGATION."



PSALM 40:8-10

COMMITMENT SUNDAY

NOVEMBER 12