

FLING WIDE THE DOOR Embracing All In Christ

Today is our *Fling Wide the Door*...INSPIRATION SUNDAY! Our faithful Inspiration Team Volunteers are outside of worship this morning handing out our beautiful Inspiration Bags for the Campaign. Be sure to connect with one of them to receive your bag of important campaign information.

Included in these bags will be your invitation to the *Fling Wide the Door* All Congregation Event on Friday, March 24th from 5:30 to 8:30 at our Mooring Line Drive campus. Be sure to join us for a catered meal and an informative presentation about the scope of the campaign. No commitments will be made at the event.

Also included in the bag is a book of stories, authored by the disciples of Emmanuel and our Campaign Prayer and the lyrics for the hymn *Fling Wide the Door* that inspired our theme.



OUR CAPITAL CAMPAIGN GOAL \$21,500,000

The campaign includes both capital projects for the long-term vision of Emmanuel and our short-term annual stewardship effort. Next week we will include the new Annual Stewardship Initiatives in our handout, but this week we want to focus on the capital projects.

MOORING LINE DRIVE

Welcoming and Hospitality Space \$5,250,000: This will serve to transform the courtyard into our Front Door for Sunday mornings and throughout the week as we work toward a vision of welcoming 1,200 members and visitors to all the worship, community partnerships, and fellowship opportunities provided by Emmanuel.

Refreshing Our Life Together \$2,000,000: This aspect of the project will serve to renovate the sanctuary, add a new multi-media studio, build new programs in our new space, renovate the Family Life Center and kitchen, and provide general care of our facility.

EMMANUEL ACADEMIES

Operational Funding for the Next Five Years \$1,250,000: As we work to secure permanent scholarship funding, endow faculty positions, and build a national base of donors, we need to provide annual core operational funding.

Scholarships for 50 Seminarians \$1,500,000: This will alleviate any education debt and allow students to serve in the context where they are called.

Spanish Language Master of Divinity Program Implementation \$250,000: This funding will facilitate our engagement of leading Spanish-speaking theologians in the US and abroad to develop and begin to deliver a contextually appropriate accredited degree program entirely in the Spanish language.

Emmanuel Academies Endowment \$2,000,000: This will provide long-term sustainability for this growing ministry.

EMMANUEL COMMUNITIES

New Programs for Emmanuel Park Church \$500,000: To begin to capitalize on growth opportunities as the site is further developed, improved marketing, additional programming, and other expenditures are needed to find and attract people looking to find a church home.

Community Hall \$5,500,000: The primary building on the site, overlooking the lake, will be a place for indoor worship and community events. This space will also feature a covered, outdoor stage and a covered entry. This facility will transform the park into a community center that allows for many forms of worship to continue to attract new people into our ministry.

Additional Infrastructure - Parking & Site Prep \$1,500,000: This will provide water and sewer to the site. It will also provide site preparations needed to develop the next acreage.

EMMANUEL GENERAL ENDOWMENT

General Endowment and Campaign Costs \$1,250,000: In addition to outright gifts to the campaign to fund these important projects, a general endowment for the congregation will be established to keep the ministry strong and provide for a source of funds to allow for creative new ministry to be launched.

Good Samaritan Fund \$250,000: Through the efforts of the campaign, Emmanuel will generously expand our Good Samaritan Fund using 5% of each gift, up to \$250,000 for the purpose of supporting our staff and others in the community who find themselves in need.

We invite you to begin praying for our *Fling Wide the Door* efforts as you lift up the work and ministry of Emmanuel that we share each day.