

## Walking by Faith Stewardship Plan

Through the faithful giving and careful stewardship of God's people at Haven for more than 30 years, the terms of our mortgage have been met and our facilities have been kept in working order. God calls His people at Haven to continue the stewardship of the building and grounds that have been entrusted by Him, and it is with praise that the focus can now shift to making repairs and improvements that could not be prioritized before now.

In order to accomplish this, we are launching a multi-year endeavor to raise funds.

You may already be aware of many of our maintenance challenges:

- Our Parking Lot is crumbling and there are numerous areas in disrepair that also present safety concerns.
- The Carpet throughout many areas of the church is worn out, stained, and/or frayed.
- Inoperable Blinds impact worship and programming in the worship center.
- Tables and Chairs in the Great Room and other areas are peeling, off-balance, rusted and stained.
- Ceiling Tiles are stained, damaged, and need to be replaced.
- The Bathrooms by the nursery are in need of new fixtures and other updates.
- A Security System is needed to deter break-ins at the barn and other vandalism.
- Numerous Pew Cushions have torn fabric and need repairs or reupholstering.
- Painting high areas in the sanctuary requires specialized equipment.
- The Road Sign needs repairing and updating to address structural and technological issues.

We realize some of these improvements are big-ticket items, and we will be taking a phased and thoughtful approach to this Stewardship Plan. Improvements will be made only as Stewardship Plan funds become available. We will not be borrowing any funds from a bank, nor will we take on another mortgage.

By now, you may be asking yourself: What can I do?

*We are asking the people of Haven to walk by faith and prayerfully consider how you will financially support Haven Church as we move forward with this multi-year endeavor.*

Please use the enclosed pledge card to make your 2025 commitment and return it to the offering boxes in the worship center no later than **January 26**.

***“For if the willingness is there, the gift is acceptable according to what one has, not according to what one does not have.” 2 Cor 8:12***

Respectfully,  
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