# An invitation to join

# Highland Presbyterian Church Legacy Circle

### Every Gift is Precious

\*One simple form \*No minimum

Those who sign-up in the initial enrollment period, as well as those who have left a bequest in the past, will be considered founding members. Deadline to be a founding member is October 2020-December 2021.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please call Caitlyn Douglass in the business office at 910-401-0924.

Thank you.

## VISIT US

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"Like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received." 1 Peter 4:10

## HOW THE CHURCH HAS BENEFITED

At Highland, the ministry of legacy giving has a significant impact on the annual operations and affords many opportunities that may otherwise have been out of reach. For example, in 2020, Highland has been able to initiate projects such as the muchneeded update to the sound and projection technology in the Sanctuary, the establishment of an operating reserve, and a congregational-match campaign for improvements to the pipe organ.

Legacy gifts preserve what our church members are most passionate about and are also the foundation for future growth!

#### HOW TO JOIN THE HPC LEGACY CIRCLE

You may become a founding member of the Highland Presbyterian Legacy Circle by notifying the church in a letter of intent that you have named HPC a beneficiary in your estate plan.

#### YOUR CHARITABLE BEQUEST

There are four important considerations in planning charitable bequests to achieve your goals:
Who is the recipient?
Will your gift be restricted in use?
What is the amount of your gift?
How will your gift be distributed?

## RESTRICTED OR UNRESTRICTED GIFT

With a restricted bequest, you name the missions, designated funds, or fields of interest you wish to support. The form of the bequest should be made with the broadest possible terms consistent with your interests.

This guards against the conditions of your gift becoming obsolete.

An unrestricted bequest permits Highland Presbyterian to use your gift where the need is greatest. This allows the church to respond to changing mission needs as they arise.

#### ESTABLISHING A LEGACY GIFT

There are many different avenues you can take for leaving a legacy gift. Please consult your lawyer, estate planning advisor, or financial advisor to ensure legal documents and beneficiary designations reflect your wishes.

Estate plans can be changed at any time for any reason should your circumstances change such as births, deaths, or changes in marital status.

#### FOUNDING MEMBERS

Founding members will be recognized via a plaque. Anyone may request anonymity if they do not wish to have their names published. There will be an annual recognition for all members of the Highland Presbyterian Church Legacy Circle.

All documentation will be confidential.