

NEWS LETTER

Lincoln Christian Church Generosity Campaign

Be Our Guest

Our house guests were invited and their expected arrival was drawing closer. My wife was busy in the kitchen and the sweet smells of her cooking told me she was going all out. Sergeant Bonnie began giving private Ron his orders: sweep the carpet one more time, take out the garbage, set the table, wipe the water drops off the silverware, pick up your shoes, are you really wearing that tonight, etc, etc, etc.

We live in a nice, but humble home. She is married to a nice, but simple man. And we are far from living a life of the rich and famous. If you know my wife, then you know this wasn't about putting on the ritz, or braggadocios, or about flaunting her high class lifestyle and her super classy husband. Truth is, she wasn't trying to impress anyone. She simply wanted our friends to have a quality experience in our home. So she was doing all she could to make the place nice and warm and welcoming so THEY would have a pleasant evening. I married a true gem.

I can't think of any better way to explain what Lincoln Christian Church's **10,000 Reasons** campaign is all about. We're not putting in gold faucets, crystal chandeliers, or Italian marble floors. We are, however, stepping our technology up, implementing more security, and increasing our first impressions attractiveness.

Walk in any door here at Lincoln Christian Church and you immediately see our passion for welcoming others into our congregation. Walk in any door and you know we have a deep commitment to reaching unchurched people. Right in the middle of this large facility sits a desk and over it, it clearly proclaims, "Welcome." It is our public declaration that this is a welcoming place. Why? Because God sends his church out as a rescue party searching for lost, broken, wounded, and confused people. We welcome others because we've been hoping they'd walk in here.

Recently, however, we have come to realize that some aspects of our building are in the way of making this mission an ongoing reality. Our campus can in some ways make welcoming more difficult. Some parts of our facility can actually send the opposite message. Therefore, we have a plan to address these issues.

In the next few pages, you will see the most recent upgrades we have made and our giving achievement to date. On behalf of the staff and leadership team, we want to thank you for not only your support, but also your heart for our **10,000 Reasons**, in Lincoln and Logan County.



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[Lincoln Christian Church.org/10KR](http://LincolnChristianChurch.org/10KR)

MORE PROJECTS COMPLETED



- ✓ Fellowship Center Stage Carpet (top)
- ✓ Fellowship Center Large Upstage Screen (middle)

- ✓ Live Stream Equipment (bottom)

PROJECTS IN THE MAKING

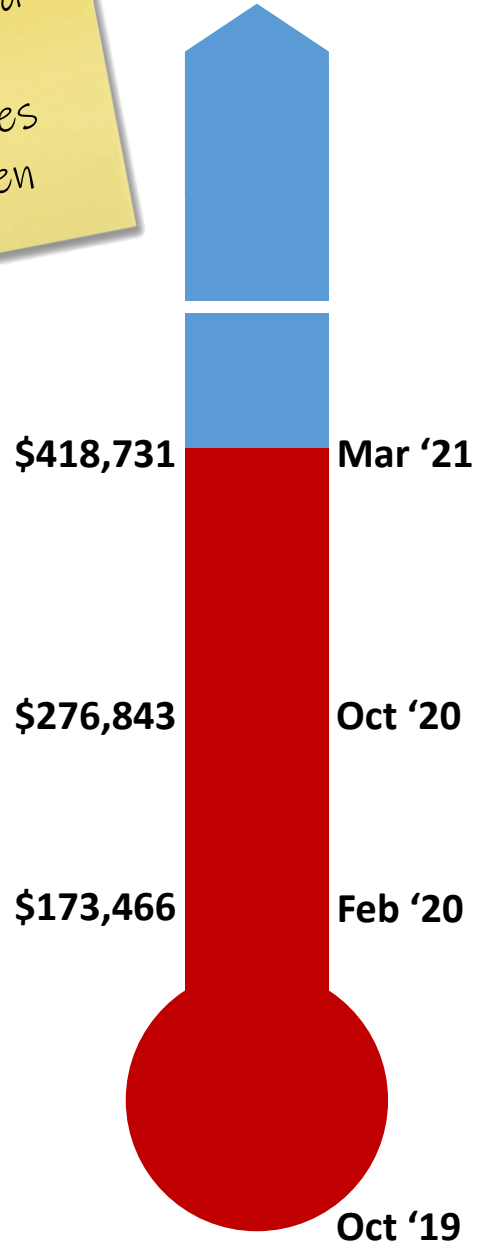
10,000 REASONS



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Total Pledged*

*300 Families
Have Given*

**2022 Goal:
\$650,000**



- ✓ Re-coat Parking Lot
- ✓ Upgrade Internal Wi-Fi
- ✓ Refinish McLean Street Doors Entrance A

- ✓ Refresh and Upgrade Rooms 15 and 16
 - New carpet
 - New paint
 - New stage
 - New storage/closets

Why is our campaign called “10,000 Reasons”?

Lincoln has a population of around 13,000 people. If all the churches in the City of Lincoln had their high numbers for a Sunday morning, there would be approximately 3,000 people in church. That leaves around 10,000 people who are not attending church anywhere. We have **10,000 Reasons** to keep our ministry updated, powerful, safe, and ready to meet the spiritual needs of our community.

**10,000
REASONS**

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