



**OneLife** 



#### Dear OneLife Family,

In just a few short months, we'll enter into a new phase of ministry at OneLife – one that we believe will be marked by growth, movement, and greater dependence on God than ever before. Our North Campus will have a new home and our East Campus will be new and improved. But this is about more than buildings. This is about the next step that will allow us to impact people, families, communities, and our city.

But before we move forward, we're choosing to pause. For 40 days, we're setting aside time to fast and pray-not to check a box, but because we trust God to lead us forward. We believe He is already at work stirring something in the hearts of His people that is both new and yet already here. Isaiah 43:19 reminds us of this: that God is doing a new thing, and that this new thing is actually already happening.

This is exactly where we are as a church. 11 years ago, faithful OneLifers believed in "Waking the Giant" to make what we have experienced since then possible. They prayed. They sacrificed. They served. And because of that, we experience Jesus together every week, and we are seeing lives changed time after time. Now it is our turn to fuel the next phase and prepare for the next wave of changed lives. So our prayer is simple: "Jesus, fuel this flame that You've already ignited."

This will require each of us to trust God with our surrender and our stewardship. Over the next 40 days, we're asking every person in our church to pray boldly-for your family, for your neighbors, for our city, and for God's presence to move powerfully in our church. And we are asking every person in our church to go above and beyond to give Jesus your best through six months of sacrifice. Let's be a church that doesn't just talk about revival, but one that humbles itself, stewards what He's given us, and dreams big for even more. Yoshuy Uswa

A new thing is coming. See, it's already happening! Let's fuel that flame – together.







### SUNDAY, AUGUST 17

Campaign Launch

#### **AUGUST 18-SEPTEMBER 26**

40 Days of Prayer and Fasting

### SUNDAYS, SEPTEMBER 7 & 14

Stewardship Small Group Experience at North Campus

### WEDNESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 10 & 17

Stewardship Small Group Experience at East Campus

#### SEPTEMBER 19-20

24 Hours of Prayer at both campuses, 7pm-7pm

### SUNDAYS, SEPTEMBER 21 & 28

Pledge Sundays and First Gifts

### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

Night of Worship Celebration

# HOW CAN HELP?



### PRAYER SUPPORT

Pray! It is imperative that we cover this whole campaign and our future in prayer. We will be encouraging everyone to participate through times of prayer and fasting over a 40-day period. Also, there will be information about how you can join an intense 24-hour prayer vigil at each campus.

### FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Every OneLifer is challenged to prayerfully discern giving above their normal tithes and offering in both of these ways:

- A one-time "first gift." This is giving that is available immediately.
- Pledges: These are monthly pledges to provide support for only a sixmonth period.





#### SPREAD THE WORD

Get your friends, family, microchurch and community excited about what God is doing at OneLife Church! Share with them this vision of our Fueling the Flame campaign. God may lay it on their hearts to be a part of this vision as well!

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### 1) WHEN DOES THE CAMPAIGN BEGIN AND WHAT IS ITS PURPOSE?

The campaign begins on Sunday, August 17th with 40 days of prayer and fasting and will conclude with a celebration Night of Worship on Wednesday, October 1, where totals will be announced. The purpose of this campaign is to raise funds to renovate our new North Campus facility and improve our East Campus facility, all to increase our community reach.

### 2) HOW MUCH WILL IT COST?

North Campus Acquisition: \$0

North Campus Construction: \$1,050,000
East Campus Improvements: \$100,000
Architect Fees: \$85,000
Audio/Visual Installation: \$320,000

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### 3) HOW WILL FUNDS BE RAISED?

Funds will be raised in a variety of ways. A loan has been secured from the Missionary Church Investment Foundation for the majority of the project. Monthly payments on this loan will be \$2,000 per month less than current rent for the North Campus. There will also be a church family aspect of Fueling the Flame where each of us will be invited to go on a prayer journey and prayerfully consider how we might financially participate. Each OneLifer will give "First Gifts" and pledge on September 21st and 28th. This is a step of faith and we all get a front row seat to watch the Lord bless!

### 4) HOW LONG IS THE PLEDGE?

The duration of the giving period will be six months. The "First Gift" offering, and six month's of pledge giving will replace our annual Christmas offering for 2025.

### 5) WILL I GET A TAX DEDUCTION?

Yes, all funds donated to the Fueling the Flame fund will receive the same charitable contribution receipting as any other giving to OneLife Church.

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### 6) IS THIS COMMITMENT/PLEDGE IN ADDITION TO MY NORMAL GIVING?

Yes. We're asking that whatever you pledge for the six-month period would be over and above your normal giving. We use the General Operating Fund, where your normal tithes and offerings are placed, for the day-to-day operations of the church. The funds pledged for Fueling the Flame will be placed in a separate fund to be used solely for the purposes listed above.

### 7) CAN MY EMPLOYER MATCH MY GIFT?

If your employer has a match program for charitable giving, the business would receive a donation receipt for tax purposes the same as an individual donor. You may need to look at the regulations for your employer's matching funds. We would be happy to help however we can.

### 8) HOW CAN I HELP OR FULLY PARTICIPATE?

We ask that you join us in prayer, as God is the one who will ultimately provide for His church. Prayer is not the only thing that we will do, but it must be the first thing. Join us in our "40 days of Prayer and Fasting" that begins Monday, August 18th, but also join us for the upcoming "24 Hours of Prayer" on September 19th & 20th. More information will be coming soon!

### 9) WHO IS MAKING DECISIONS?

The same team of architects and contractors that built each of our current campuses is working on this project. Additionally, an advisory team of OneLife members from each campus has been assisting our pastor and staff in planning.

### 10) HOW CAN I GET MORE INFO?

Pastor Rodney will be sharing more throughout the months of August and September in a "Fueling the Flame" sermon series. Additionally, he and our staff will be visiting several small gatherings to share more. You can also email pastor@onelifeknox.com any time!



SCAN TO GET INVOVLVED





### THREE WAYS TO GIVE



Make a one-time gift or setup a recurring pledge by scanning the QR code above with your phone, then select "Make a commitment."



A check with "Fueling the Flame" in the memo line can be mailed to:

OneLife Church P.O. Box 1763 Powell, TN 37849



We'd love to know if a business or someone youknow is interested in supporting the Fueling the Flame campaign. Email us at mail@onelifeknox.com



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