

Zion Lutheran Church Capital Campaign

- A. Zion members and non-members (*'Friends of Zion'*) are eligible to make pledges and/or give gifts to the Zion Capital Campaign as described below:
1. Pledges.....the number and dollar amount of pledges are given special importance when Zion applies for grants or loans.
 - You are required to complete a pledge form when making a pledge. The form should be submitted to **Ann Marie Hadesty, financial secretary**, at the same time you make your first contribution. **THE AMOUNT OF YOUR PLEDGE IS CONFIDENTIAL!**
 - To make a contribution toward your pledge, you may use your Capital Campaign envelope or a blank envelope that can be found in the rear of the church on either side. If you use a blank offering envelope, please write your name and Capital Campaign on the envelope so we can give you credit. You may place the envelope in the boxes found on the wall on either side at the back on the sanctuary.
 - You may make contributions to fulfill your pledge in a manner most convenient to you. For example, you can make contributions over a ten-year period on a weekly, monthly, or yearly basis. Or, you can make a one lump sum contribution. You do not need to make a contribution for the entire ten-year period if it's more convenient to complete your pledge sooner.
 - If your financial situation changes, or for any reason at all, you can change the amount of your pledge (increase or decrease) at any time by completing a new pledge form.
 - Please do not ask the Pastor or any member of the Capital Campaign Committee to accept your pledge form or any financial commitment or gift.
 2. Gifts.....Blank envelopes can be found in the rear of the church on either side. Please just write your name and Capital Campaign on the envelope so we can give you credit; and place the envelope in the boxes found on the wall on either side at the back on the sanctuary
 3. Pledges and Gifts..... You may also continue to make gifts to the campaign even if you make a pledge.

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4. Legacy giving..... These are financial contributions made to Zion as part of your Last Will and Testimony. Speak with a member of the Capital Campaign Committee for more information about the options available to you.
- B. Acknowledgement A Zion member or non-member making any pledge or making a one-time gift of \$1,000.00 or more will be recognized by having a leaf placed on the Zion Giving Tree located in the Gathering Room.
- You will be entitled to have a leaf placed on the Giving Tree immediately upon making your pledge.
 - You will NOT be required to pay the total amount of your pledged money before your leaf is placed. The pledge or gift may be made as an honorarium or a memorial.
 - See Sandy Mehalko for more information about the Giving Tree.
- C. Persons or organizations may memorialize/name specific features of the church when they make the following corresponding gifts. Church Council must give final approval of any proposed name.
- Memorialize/ name a tower - \$100,000.
 - Memorialize/ name parking lot - \$ 100,000.
 - Memorialize/ name Founders Hall - \$ 50,000.
 - Memorialize/ name a pew - \$ 5,000.
- D. Family members of former Zion members, organizations within the church and *Friends of Zion* are eligible to make financial contributions to the campaign. Please write the organization or person's name and Capital Campaign on the envelope so we can give credit.
- E. A consultant will be applying for numerous grants to finance the Capital Campaign.
- The number and amount of pledges will likely be given extra weight by the organization offering a grant and when determining whether Zion is eligible to receive the grant.

*For more information, please contact a member of the Zion Capital Campaign Committee: Dave Fetterman, Sandy Mehalko, Bob and Gail Smith, Darlene Fetterman, Frank Rudy, George Taylor and Pastor Cindy