



# PRESERVE • OPEN • PLANT

Through the **Preserve-Open-Plant Campaign**, Prince of Peace will preserve our roof.

The roof over our sanctuary, now more than 30 years old, brings significant challenges. Occasionally, it allows water to seep into the building, causing avoidable damage to our cherished space. Its age also poses a concern for insurers, making coverage more difficult to secure and leading to increased costs.

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Investing in a new roof will help protect our sanctuary for years to come. In 2020, we replaced the roofing over other areas of our building—this final, main section is the last to be addressed. Of the eight HVAC units located on this roof, only six are currently operational. As part of the project, all units will be replaced with more energy-efficient models, improving performance and reducing long-term costs.

Together, we will raise \$4.6 million to make this, and other, projects possible.

“*Excited to see the roof get some needed TLC. I have so many memories under this roof that I want all future generations to also share. After marching the chairs down Nicollet Avenue to be set up under this new roof, the years have flown by. My first “small group” Bible study in high school; home concerts for POP group tours; Young Adult studies and celebrations; Parents night out events; Christmas Cantatas; dressed as Jesus and stuck on the lift above the sanctuary - all have shaped who I am today, built my faith, and placed God in my heart a little stronger with each moment.*” – Todd



## PRAY ABOUT YOUR GENEROSITY

*“The Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words.” Romans 8.26*

Many practical considerations play a part in determining the way we support organizations we care about: our budget, our bills, our income, our taxes, our investments, our partner’s attitudes.

As you consider the next step on your journey of generosity and potentially a gift to Prince of Peace we invite you to begin it in prayer. Seek God’s direction.

At the heart, prayer is conversation with God. For some, prayers sound polished and planned. For others, prayers sound like talking to a best friend. The good news is that the method doesn’t matter. The Holy Spirit intercedes no matter how we come before God in prayer.

As you pray, take time to listen. Listen to God speaking in your thoughts. Listen to God speaking through others. Listen to God speaking in Scripture.

If it helps in your prayer journey, feel free to use the following prayer:

*God of abundance, you claim me as your own child. How do you call me to respond to that amazing love? How might I take the next step on my journey of generosity, learning to trust that you provide for me daily? Give me clarity and guidance. Blessing and glory, wisdom and thanksgiving, honor, and power and strength, be unto you our God forever and ever. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord, Amen.*

How might God lead you on the next step on your journey of generosity?