

Together We Build

Strengthening our foundation in faith and learning



Key Project Areas

A secure and accessible school entrance

A new main entrance and redesigned office space will improve access and safety while creating a warm, welcoming first impression.

- Secure visitor entry and separate student entrance
- New training/conference room for staff and parent meetings
- Therapy space, consultation room, and sick bay
- Expanded vestibule and storage space



Additional classrooms

Adding four new classrooms will help maintain small, relationship-centered class sizes—fostering stronger Christian connections that support learning, behavior, faith growth, and parent engagement.

- Three new 1st grade classrooms (Enables three classrooms for grades 1-5)
- Maker Space room and flex learning spaces
- Provides separate, dedicated rooms for preschool and childcare classes



New learning spaces

Add a new multi-use classroom and a STEM lab to the middle school wing for a more vibrant and modern learning environment.

- Large Multi-Use Classroom for combined learning
- Replaces the use of the less secure Adult Education rooms
- STEM Classroom for robotics, engineering, electronics, 3D printing, and more



Additional offices and maintenance upgrades

Additional office spaces for our school staff and administration and expanded spaces to support our maintenance and custodial equipment.

- Relocated offices for Principal, Assistant Principal, and Early Childhood Directors
- New custodial equipment room to accommodate larger, modern equipment, including floor cleaners
- Maintenance shop addition to improve storage and safety for our maintenance staff



Learn more:

- Visit or scan the code www.stlorenz.org/together
- Contact the church office at 989-652-6141 or church@stlorenz.org



Congregation Vote

October 24 & 25 — Before and After Worship

Absentee ballots are available by request from the Church Office beginning October 19 and must be returned to the Church Office by 4 PM on October 23.

To request a digital ballot, visit stlorenz.org/together

What to expect on the ballot (sample only)

- Whereas our congregation has indicated the importance to the future ministry at St. Lorenz of a school office remodel and addition, as well as the following additions: custodial equipment room, maintenance shop, learning center (three classrooms and a Maker Space room), preschool room, middle school room, STEM lab; and
- Whereas our congregation has authorized the development of construction drawings; and
- Whereas the Building Committee has received completed drawings and secured bids and presented same to Ministry Council and to the congregation at our October 7 Town Hall meeting; and
- Whereas the total cost is projected to be \$9,750,000, with committed funds of \$9,100,000 (\$8,900,000 in pledges and \$200,000 in start-up funds); and
- Whereas the cash flow for the project will require short term (five years or less) borrowing while pledges come in; therefore, be it
- Resolved to authorize the construction of a new school office, custodial equipment room, maintenance shop, three first grade classrooms, Maker Space room, preschool room, middle school room, and STEM lab; and be it further
- Resolved to borrow such funds as may be necessary to complete the project; and be it finally
- Resolved that collectively we praise God for His guidance and direction as we seek to show others by word and deed how beautiful it is to live with Jesus.

☐ **Yes, I support this resolution**

☐ **No, I oppose this resolution**

Campaign Update

Funding

Pledges Committed	\$8,900,000
Startup Funds*	\$ 200,000
Pledges + Startup Funds	<u>\$9,100,000</u>
Projected Cost	\$9,750,000
Funds (pledges) needed	\$650,000

*Remaining funds from the Worship & Event Center building project.

How you can help

- Pray for the campaign and project
- Give toward your existing pledge
- Make a gift toward the campaign
- Make a new pledge

Your existing pledge

To view your pledge and progress, open Church Center, select Give from the main page, then select My Giving.

You can also view this information by visiting <https://stlorenz.churchcenter.com/giving/profile> or scanning the QR code to the right.



To make a new pledge

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