

## BUILDING FOR GENERATIONS

IN GRATITUDE FOR OUR PROGRESS  
AND WITH FAITH IN OUR FUTURE

We launched our campaign in 2021. Our goal is to fund the construction of the Ministry Center, the renovation of the Spiritual Life Center, and to build reserves for the operation of our campus.

We invite everyone to be

**“All In”**

so we may break ground in 2023  
and build for future generations.

Please consider the Three-Year Gift  
Guide to find where you belong as you  
make your commitment.

### MAKING YOUR COMMITMENT

- ◆ Refer to the  
Printed  
Commitment  
Card
- ◆ Or Scan the QR  
Code



## *Lord, what do You want to do through me?*

**PRAY...** that our Lord blesses our undertakings in peace and brings them to successful conclusion.

**REFLECT...** on gratitude and generosity and how the gifts God has bestowed upon us may be put to His glory. Discern what your sacrificial gift should be.

**COMMIT...** to the future of the St. Nektarios community so we may provide the resources for all to grow in worship, service, witness and fellowship—today and in the generations to come.

## NOT EQUAL GIFTS, BUT EQUAL SACRIFICE.

Equal giving is never the goal at St. Nektarios, but rather to come together as a church community – each sacrificing to achieve our vision. There is a place in the Building For Generations Campaign for everyone. Each contribution enables our success.

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## ST. NEKTARIOS MINISTRY CENTER



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*1998-2023*

*Celebrating 25 years  
of Orthodox Ministry*

## COMMITMENT GUIDE

*He who sows sparingly  
will also reap sparingly,  
and he who sows bountifully  
will also reap bountifully.*

*So let each one give  
as he purposes in his heart,  
not grudgingly or of necessity;  
for God loves a cheerful giver.*

II Corinthians 9:6-7

# YOU BELONG HERE

## In Worship, Service, Witness, and Fellowship

**In 25 years** we have come so far and now it is time to respond to our awesome divine calling with faith, hope and love.

Reflect on where we are today. Take your thoughts to our magnificent temple and let your mind's eye wander its walls and various spaces. Consider a well-worn Spiritual Life Center in need of attention. Look out across the plaza and take in the acreage we have been blessed to occupy for a quarter-century. Remember that each of these elements are ours because of faith, hope, and love. They are the product of inspiration and

sacrifice and are worthy of our gratitude to God and to those who paved the way.

And yet to offer a thought of gratitude is not enough. This carpet is old. Our bookstore is still encased in a temporary wood lattice. Our temple yearns to be properly clothed in more holy icons and adorned with fine furnishings, and to pulse constantly with resounding worship. Our campus remains incomplete, with a garishly fenced-off retaining wall, flanked by an aging house, marking out the boundaries of a dream not yet realized.

If we run forward with faith and hope and love, God will remove supposed obstacles and will exceed our wildest dreams and expectations. If we languish in human logic, we will have squandered the faith, hope, and love that led us this far—and God is not a fan of squandered gifts.

Instead let our vision be illumined by the light of our heavenly calling, the light that radiates from God, with whom all things are possible.

**Fr. Andreas Houpos**  
**Proistamenos**

### THREE-YEAR GIFT GUIDE

Monthly Offering	Annual Offering	Total Target Commitment	No. of Gifts Needed
2,500	30,000	90,000	5
2,000	24,000	72,000	10
1,500	18,000	54,000	15
1,000	12,000	36,000	15
750	9,000	27,000	20
500	6,000	18,000	25
400	4,800	14,400	30
300	3,600	10,800	40
200	2,400	7,200	45
100	1,200	3,600	50
50	600	1,800	60
25	300	900 or less	150