



**GROWING WITH GRACE**  
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN 2017  
**SOUTH BUILDING, ANDERSEN CAMPUS**



GRACE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL PREPARES OUR CHILDREN FOR LIFE TO HONOR AND GLORIFY  
GOD IN A CHRIST-CENTERED ENVIRONMENT OF ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE.



*Dear Friends of Grace,*

We are excited to share with you our plans for our addition of the South Building. Grace Christian School throughout the last 60 years has experienced strong student enrollment and this, combined with the goal of continuously improving student learning, has focused emphasis on our capital campaign *GROWING WITH GRACE*.

Our goal is to create new technology-infused classroom space, a multi-use gymnasium, library and fine arts performance areas. Grace Christian School has been preparing our children to become responsible and productive citizens who are equipped for the globally competitive market and have a deep commitment to Christ and service for the greater community.

Our teachers and staff provide a safe and nurturing environment where they have the honor of shaping the hearts and minds of our children. The South Building expansion will enable us to grow in numbers so that more families have the opportunity to receive a rigorous education in a Christ-centered environment.

We thank you for your consideration and hope you will join this crusade with us as we plan for the next 60 years.

Peace and Blessings,



**Bob Schafer**  
Chairman

**Dr. Jim Towry**  
Board Chair

**Dr. Bethany McKee-Alexander**  
Head of School



## *Our Mission*

***“To prepare our children for life to honor and glorify God in a Christ-centered environment of academic excellence.”***

## *Our Philosophy*

Grace Christian School believes education should be centered upon a personal relationship with Jesus Christ, using the Bible as a guide, striving for excellence in academics and all other areas of life to give God glory in the world.

## *Our Vision*

Grace Christian School meets the needs of individual students in a Christ-centered, differentiated program of academics, fine arts, and athletic excellence.

# Growing with Grace



Excellence in the Arts & Sciences

## Our Building Plans

### New South Building, Andersen Campus

Our plan is to provide new technology-infused classrooms, a multi-use gymnasium, a library and media center, and place for students to practice the fine arts.

Our new building will include:

- 32,000 Square Feet
- Gymnasium, Stage, Multi-purpose Space
- Library / Media Center
- Band Room
- 10 Classrooms (K3- 2nd Grade)
- Administrative Offices

The South Building structure will replace all portable buildings and will be located on the site of portable buildings 1, 2 and 3.

## Paving the Way

# Our Building Plans

South Building Andersen Campus



*Grace Christian School South Building*

# Growing with Grace

## Make a Pledge

This is an exciting time at Grace Christian School as we have the opportunity to take what is already an excellent school to another level of innovation, performance and creativity.

With your help, we can make this a reality. Thank you for joining us in accomplishing our mission and vision by contributing to our Growing With Grace campaign.

## Pledge Levels

Benefactor	\$1,000,000
Visionary	\$500,000
Founder	\$250,000
Scholar	\$100,000
Educator	\$50,000
Leader	\$25,000
Contributor	\$10,000
Patron	\$5,000
Crusader	\$2,500
Friend	\$1,000

## Naming Opportunities

Alumni and their parents have the opportunity to continue the tradition of generosity established by many families and friends over the years.

Leave a legacy at Grace Christian School. Naming opportunities for families and foundations on our Andersen Campus will pave the way for future growth.

## Opportunities

<b>South Wing Building</b>	<b>\$1,000,000</b>
<b>Gymnasium</b>	<b>\$500,000</b>
<b>Performing Arts Stage</b>	<b>\$250,000</b>
<b>Library / Media Center</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
<b>Band Classroom</b>	<b>\$100,000</b>
<b>Classrooms 1—10</b>	<b>\$50,000 each</b>
<b>Bricks</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>

# Paving the Way



# *Paving the Way for Excellence in Education*

Grace Christian School's team of *highly-qualified Christian teachers* is dedicated not only to providing our students with an education that prepares them to succeed in the modern world, but also to instill within them the teachings of Jesus so that they may learn by his *example* and be guided by his teachings.

For nearly six decades Grace Christian School has provided young Christians with one of the *best educations* in Marion County. We do this by meeting the individual needs of every student. This means addressing their *spiritual* as well as academic growth.

We turn out the best students because here at Grace Christian School we set *high standards* and take education very seriously indeed. We are training the leaders and innovators of tomorrow. We encourage and expect good attendance, excellent behavior, and *superior work habits*. If your child wants to excel, we have a place for them here. We will guide and direct them and *open doors* that they never thought possible.

Join us as we look to the future of Grace Christian School. Become a *Crewader* now. Those who choose to give believe in Grace Christian School's mission, its role in the community, and want to ensure its future.

*Your Help is Needed...*



# *Growing with Grace*

## Committee Members

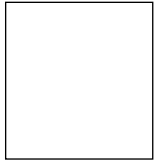
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We are grateful for the support from our current families, alumni and the community as we continue the mission at Grace Christian School.

Through your pledge you are strengthening Grace Christian School's role as the educational and spiritual leader in Marion County.



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# *Paving the Way*