



RIVER CLUB CHURCH

Dear Church,

As we come to the end of another year, we are once again looking to financially **FINISH STRONG!**

God is at work doing incredible things in and through River Club Church! We are seeing men, women, students and kids truly experience life in Jesus! I want to thank you because your generous giving is helping to make this possible!

Every season in life and ministry comes with certain challenges. One of the challenges we are currently facing involves our finances. Staff and leaders have been faithfully serving God through the mission of RCC, stewarding our resources in a God-honoring way, and doing the very best they can with what they have. Even so, we are running a deficit in our budget giving versus spending for the year. Here are some details:

Annual Budget: \$760,000
Giving YTD: \$583,500

Expenses YTD: \$619,800
Deficit: \$36,300

To help with this challenge, staff and leaders have been and will continue limiting and restricting non-essential spending between now and the end of the year. While this will help, it will not get us to where we need to be. We also need to increase our giving until the end of the year.

I am asking you to consider taking another faith step with me to be part of this end-of-year giving emphasis. As we commit to grow in generosity, I believe God will not only bless the church financially, but also bless us individually. We need your help to Finish Strong!

How you can help us Finish Strong...everyone can take a step:

- 1) Not currently giving? Give a **one-time gift** to Finish Strong.
- 2) Not giving regularly? Commit to **regularly give something** between now and the end of the year.
- 3) Not currently tithing? Commit to **giving a biblical tithe (10%)** between now and the end of the year.
- 4) Currently tithing? Give an **above and beyond gift** to Finish Strong.

Beginning November 12, you will be able to give to Finish Strong through each of our giving platforms (Sunday morning, text-to-give, mail and online giving). This will be available through December 31.

What about our Daring Faith Campaign? While we address these immediate needs, we are encouraging those of us who are giving to Daring Faith to continue to be faithful to those commitments as well. We need to continue to raise those funds and address our mortgage debt even during this time of challenge.

I am so thankful for you and your willingness to be generous. Meeting this challenge is going to take prayer, sacrifice and some hard work. I am confident that we will answer this call to Finish Strong and that God is going to do a mighty work in and through each of us!

Love ya!!!

Pastor Zac