

Glory to God whose power,  
working in us, can do infinitely  
more than we can ask or  
imagine: Glory to him from  
generation to generation in the  
Church, and in Christ Jesus for  
ever and ever. *Amen*

Ephesians 3:20,21

GROWING TO SERVE  
*Our Lord from*

# *Generation* *to* GENERATION



**AQUIA**  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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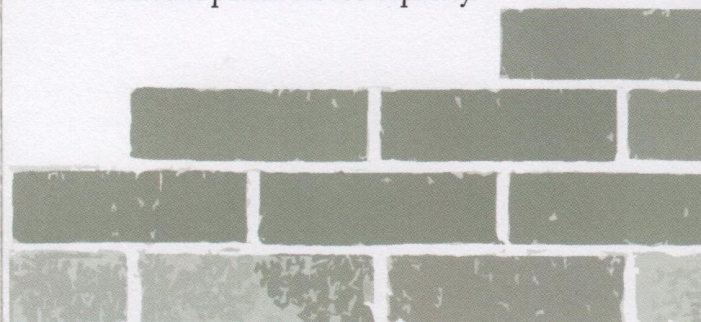
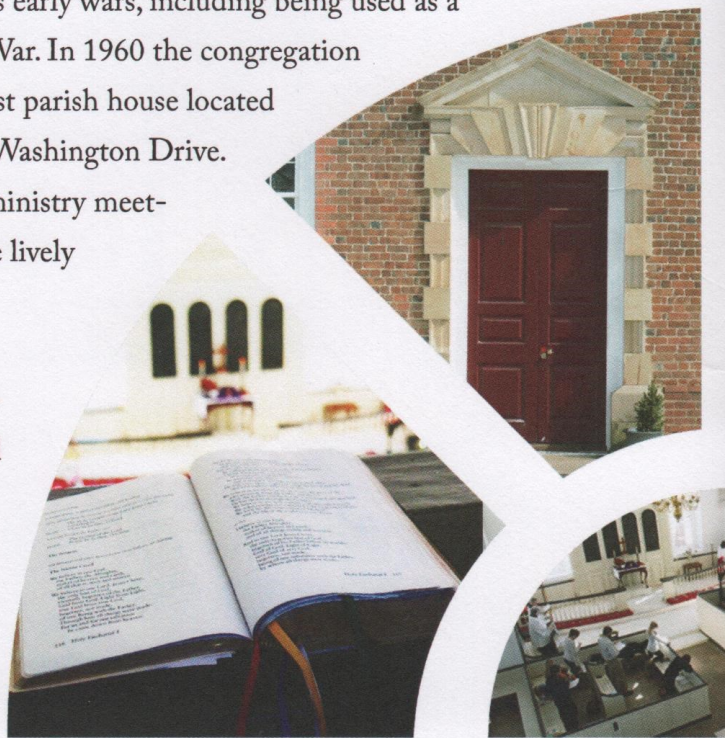
# Generation *to*

## BUILDING A CHRISTIAN LEGACY

AQUIA EPISCOPAL CHURCH was established in Stafford County, Virginia some time before 1680. Construction on the current church building began in 1751 but an accidental fire left the building in disrepair. The House of Burgesses levied taxes in order to provide the funds necessary to complete the church in 1757. The result is a classic example of eighteenth century colonial Georgian architecture.

The church building survived three of America's early wars, including being used as a horse stable for Union Army during the Civil War. In 1960 the congregation of Aquia Church came together to build the first parish house located on the corner of Jefferson Davis Highway and Washington Drive. This building provided restrooms, classrooms, ministry meeting spaces, a full kitchen, and much more to the lively congregation.

It is easy to see how our forefathers made enormous sacrifices to ensure that our church would survive and continue to serve Our Lord and His faithful people. Today Aquia Church continues to make those sacrifices to fulfill our mission and ministry in the community. The church has four weekly worship services, weekly Sunday School classes, and is home to countless ministries and outreach programs. However, the needs of our growing congregation have quickly outgrown the current parish house capacity.





# GENERATION

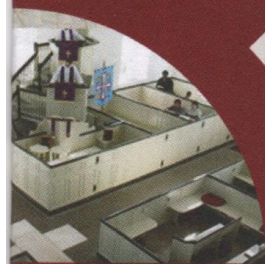
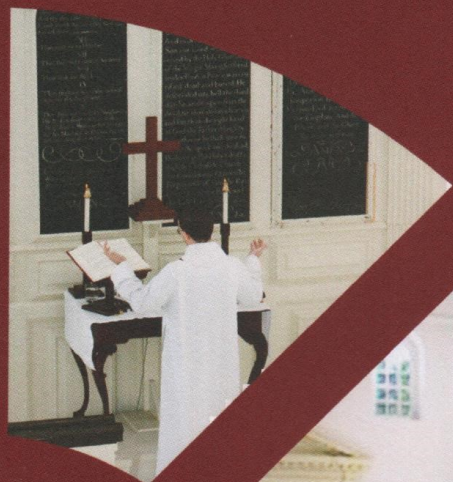
## GROWING TO SERVE THE LORD

Aquia Church is once more stepping forward to build a new 11,449 square foot building to better serve our growing ministries and Christian formation and fellowship initiatives. Nestled on the hill adjacent to our historic church on Jefferson Davis Highway, it will be a center for Christian Formation and Fellowship in Stafford County for decades to come.

## FAITH AND GENEROUS SUPPORT

The total cost for the New Christian Formation and Fellowship building

project is approximately \$2,900,000. Our previous pledge campaign has provided almost \$700,000, leaving the total balance due on the building as of April 2015 at approximately \$2,200,000. Upon completion of the project and building occupation, monthly mortgage payments on the building will be in excess of \$19,000. The goal for this three year pledge campaign is \$1,000,000, with a challenge goal of \$1,200,000.





Almighty God, from generation to generation your people have praised and blessed your holy Name in this place, and now our generation is bestowing upon generations to come a new building for Christian formation and fellowship. As we build this lasting legacy of love, give us glad and generous hearts that trust you more and more, and make us bold to share the blessings that you so abundantly provide. Let this building be a blessing to all who enter it, that they may be transformed by the truth of your Word and experience your life-giving Love there. Draw into this church family those who will love and serve our Lord, and help us spread beyond this place the good news of Jesus Christ, our Savior, through whom we pray.

*Amen*

*Please consider donating to the*

## *New Christian Formation and Fellowship Building Campaign*

*so that future generations can come to know His Grace.*

<i>Total Gift</i>	<i>Annually*</i>	<i>Monthly*</i>	<i>Weekly*</i>
\$ 70,000	\$ 23,333	\$ 1,944	\$ 449
\$ 60,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 1,667	\$ 385
\$ 50,000	\$ 16,667	\$ 1,389	\$ 321
\$ 40,000	\$ 13,333	\$ 1,111	\$ 256
\$ 30,000	\$ 10,000	\$ 833	\$ 192
\$ 20,000	\$ 6,667	\$ 556	\$ 128
\$ 10,000	\$ 3,333	\$ 278	\$ 64
\$ 5,000	\$ 1,667	\$ 139	\$ 32

*\*Gifts made over a three year period*



# PLEDGE CARD

Total amount pledged \$.....

Amount paid herein \$.....

Balance \$.....

I will fulfill my balance

☐ \$.....Monthly over a period of three (3) years

☐ \$.....Weekly over a period of three (3) years

All gifts are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. Please make checks payable to: "Aquia Episcopal Church" with "New Building Fund" in the memo field.

Name.....

Address.....

City, State, Zip.....

Phone.....E-mail.....

Signature.....Date.....

In conjunction with your campaign pledge, you may also want to consider making a planned gift, such as a bequest in your will, gift of life insurance, or a charitable trust. For more information, please check this box ☐