

NEWTOWN SQUARE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

3600 Goshen Road, Newtown Square, PA 19073

“For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope.” Jer 29:11



Grounded In Faith... Growing Our Future

From Your Co-chairs



Dear Members & Friends of NSPC,

As your campaign co-chairs for “Grounded in Faith... Growing Our Future,” we are exhilarated by the potential for our future! The countless hours we have spent in meetings have shown how God’s abundant love is embracing our family of faith. What God is doing is truly amazing!

As this campaign unfolds, our hope is that you surround our church with prayer. The Holy Spirit has guided this process for more than three years. As you read through this brochure, we ask that you find ways to be involved, ask questions, and celebrate God’s revelation for our growing congregation.

We invite you to join us on this journey of transformation for our church, while remembering Ephesians 2:20: “We are God’s masterpiece.” We can’t wait to see what lies ahead for NSPC.

In Christ,
Rich Digby, James & Stacey Kucera

Micki & I have been members of NSPC for almost 50 years! Everyone was so warm & welcoming, and many have remained our good friends. Micki sang in the choir and I taught Sunday school and confirmation class. We watched our daughters be confirmed and married here. We continue to grow in faith every day.

The many memories of our church family have supported and sustained us as we have met life’s challenges, trials, and tribulations. We look forward to sharing this journey together. Thanks be to God.

Rich Digby

As individuals who grew up knowing Christ’s love, it was important to us to find a church in our community that would nurture our children and teach the word of God. It took one visit for us to see God’s plan. We were greeted and embraced by the congregation as if we had been old friends.

We are passionate about the vision that God has laid out for us. It is extremely important to us that our church be relevant for decades to come. We have supported this project with much time, and will continue to support it with our financial resources. We are excited to see what God has in store for our congregation!

James and Stacey Kucera



Our Story

210 Year History



Land and \$2,000
donated for
Walnut Street
Presbyterian
Church

1808

Walnut St
Church
erected

1828

Cornerstone
laid for
NSPC

1957

NSPC
Education
Wing built

1965

New NSPC
Sanctuary

1990



1838

1955

Walnut St
Church
relocated to
Newtown
Square



2015
Building Study
completed.
First steps
towards
"Growing our
Future"

2020
**GOD'S
VISION
UNFOLDS**

For decades, NSPC has faithfully responded to God's call to ministry and mission. From the Walnut Street Presbyterian Church to our current location in Newtown Square, the Holy Spirit has guided our congregation's path.

Now in the 21st century, we are ready to take our next step in faith. Foreseeing the need for both additional space and upgrades to our aging building, our "Growing our Future" committee has paved the way for ministry and mission to thrive at NSPC for years to come.



Our Process

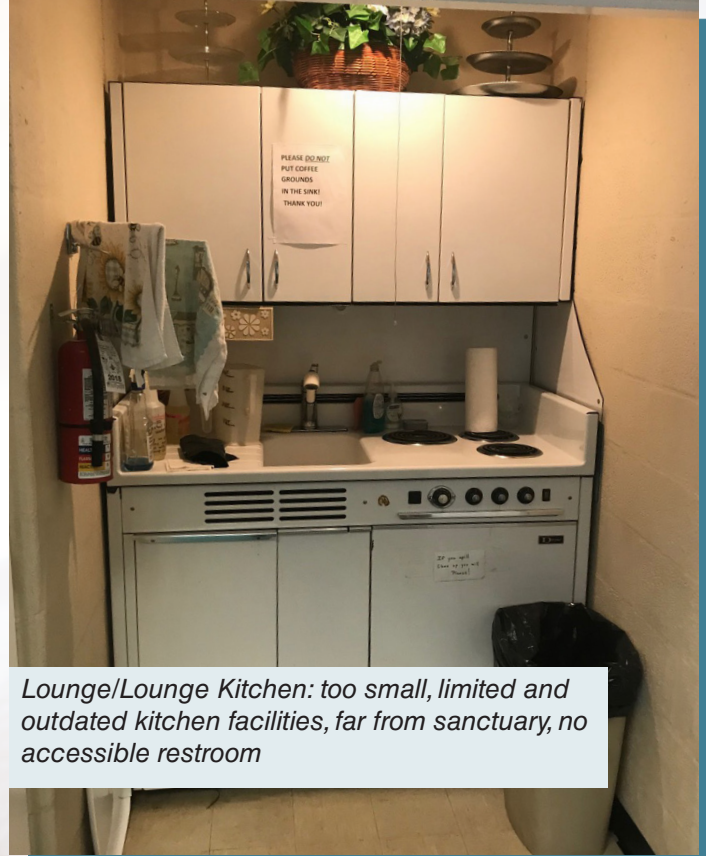
- A building study was completed to identify the most pressing needs of the church.
- Meetings were held with every group in the church and needs were prioritized.
- Based on members' feedback, a cost-benefit analysis was conducted and priorities determined.
- A company was hired to design new and renovated space to address our greatest needs.



Where We Are Now



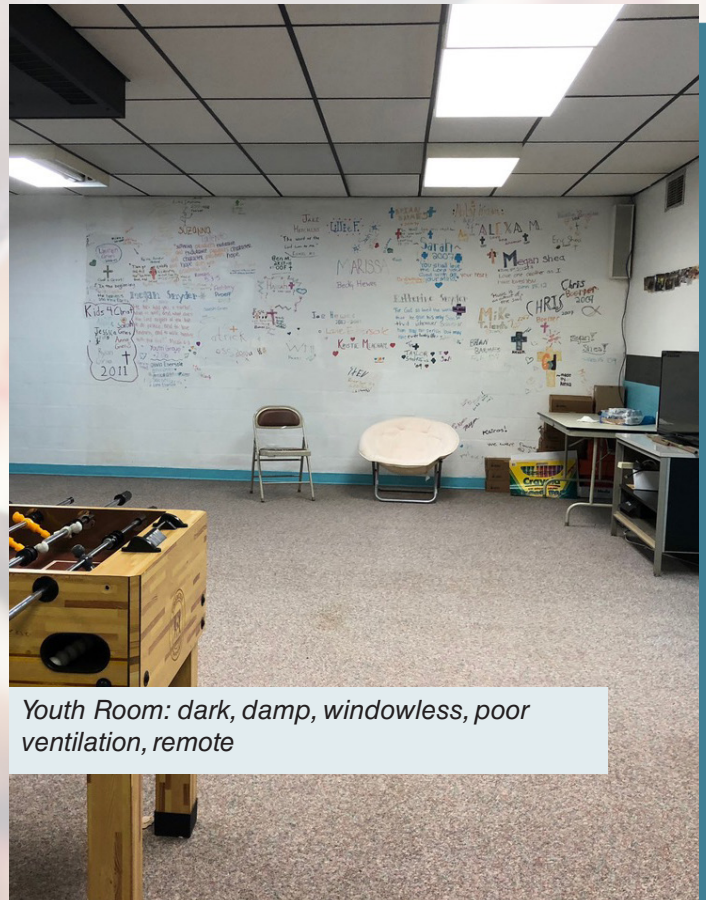
Social Hall: low ceilings, obstructed view, poorly insulated, limited capacity



Lounge/Lounge Kitchen: too small, limited and outdated kitchen facilities, far from sanctuary, no accessible restroom



Choir room: small, poor ventilation, far from sanctuary



Youth Room: dark, damp, windowless, poor ventilation, remote

Our Vision



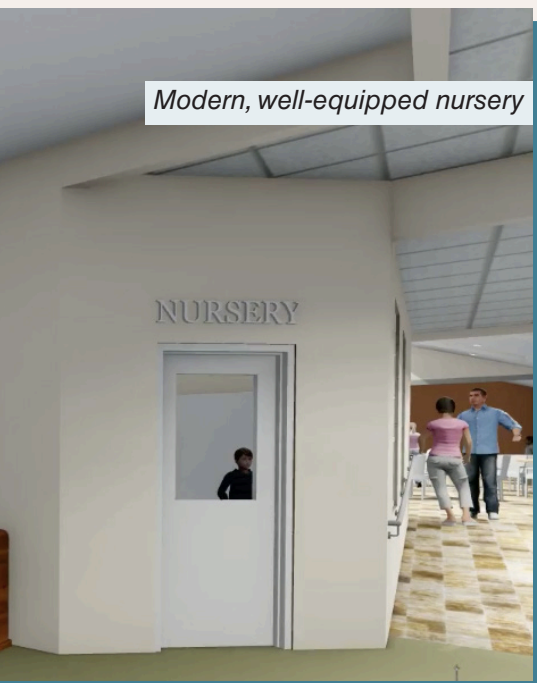
What this additional space will provide:

- A large multi-purpose room with a movable stage that provides first-floor convenience for activities, events, and programs.
- A gathering space with kitchen, used for coffee hours and social events.
- Enlarged ADA-compliant bathrooms and a ramp that provides access to every room on the main level.



In addition, there will be:

- An updated youth room with easy access to the multi-purpose room.
- A modern, well-equipped nursery adjacent to the sanctuary.
- A spacious music room convenient to the sanctuary.
- Updated offices on the main level.
- All new and remodeled areas will have energy efficient windows, doors, and heating and air conditioning.



Lord, What Do You Want to Do Through Me?



If each of us listens carefully for the answer to this prayer and responds in faith to God's guidance, we will succeed. Together we will all see what wonderful things God can do.

Your Part

The Holy Spirit is guiding us now, just as the Spirit did in 1808 when the Walnut Street Presbyterian Church was founded, and again in 1957 when the cornerstone was laid. Jesus Christ is our foundation, and has been all along.

Won't you prayerfully consider how you will join God in this mission both spiritually and financially as we continue to have a dynamic impact on the kingdom of God in our community?

COMMIT...It is our prayer that by November 18 the congregation will respond with estimates of giving towards a three-year goal of \$2 million, to be raised beyond current levels of giving.

CELEBRATE...Let us rejoice in God's faithfulness as God blesses the ministries of our church to spread the Gospel to the community around us.

Can you imagine the number of lives that will be transformed by the investment we are making in the life of Newtown Square Presbyterian Church, both now and in the future?



Ways to Give

We encourage all of our church family to participate in this project. We welcome pledges and gifts from people of all ages—children youth, and adults.

There are a number of ways to support this project financially:

Three-year pledge. You may pledge your financial support over a three-year period. The frequency of your gifts may be made on whatever basis fits your needs: weekly, monthly, or annually. Payments may be charged by following instructions on our website, or made by automatic withdrawal from your checking account. Contact the church Finance Office for more information.

Gift of stock. If you wish to transfer stock or other assets:

1. Contact your broker and request a transfer
2. Provide the following to your broker:

Firm: Vanguard

Contact: None needed

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Acct. Name: Newtown Square Presbyterian Church

3. You will be provided with stock powers or transfer papers to complete the transaction.

Charge it! If you wish to charge your gift using VISA, MasterCard, Discover, or American Express, follow the instructions on the home page of our website: newtownsquarepres.org. Indicate that your gift is for the capital campaign.

