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Dear Friends,

Grace and peace to you in the name of Christ. As we begin our 2027 stewardship campaign, **A Future with Hope**, we invite you to reflect on how God is calling each of us to participate in the life and ministry of St. Paul's. Together, we give thanks for all that has been, celebrate what God is doing among us today, and look forward with anticipation to the future that lies ahead.

Our theme comes from Jeremiah 29:11: *"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."*

These words feel especially meaningful during this season in the life of our Cathedral. As we prepare to welcome a new Dean, we are reminded this period of transition is not simply a time of waiting. It is an opportunity for renewal, discernment, and faithful preparation. Though leadership may change, our mission remains constant, and God's promises remain sure.

Stewardship is ultimately an act of hope, investing in the future God is calling us to build together. We honor the generations whose vision and sacrifice created the Cathedral we know today, and through our own gifts we ensure future generations will find the same welcome, faith, and sense of belonging.

This year, we invite every member of our Cathedral family to make two commitments:

First, your financial commitment sustains the ministries that make St. Paul's Cathedral such a vital part of our community. Every gift, no matter the size, supports our shared mission to **Love Christ, Serve Others, and Welcome All**.

Second, whether through worship, hospitality, formation, outreach, music, pastoral care, or another ministry, your time and presence matter. Offering just one hour each week can strengthen our community, deepen relationships, and help others experience the love of Christ.

We are grateful that pledges for 2026 totaled $1,054,972, surpassing the goal of $1,050,000. Encouraged by that generosity, **we have set a 2027 stewardship goal of $1,092,000**.

Through us, lives are transformed every day through worship, music, Christian formation, pastoral care, service to our neighbors, and the many ways this Cathedral extends God's love into the world. Together, we are creating a future marked by faith, generosity, service, and hope.

Thank you for being part of this beloved community. Thank you for your prayers, your service, and your generosity. Most of all, thank you for helping build a future filled with hope as we take the next steps of our journey together.

With gratitude and hope,



The Very Rev. Allisyn Thomas
Building tomorrow through faith, generosity, and service today.

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