A GLORY BELL CHURCH

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Dear Kingdom Builder,

The vision and mission of Glory Bell Church here in Waco, TX is to introduce people to Jesus Christ and His life-changing presence, so that we can make Heaven crowded. In our first three years since launching Glory Bell, we have baptized more than 125 new believers and our weekend attendance is reaching nearly 350 people! Hope is being restored, people are set free from suicidal depression, marriages are saved, purpose is found, and prayers are answered. Our local missions' efforts have impacted thousands through our 99¢ Gas Buy-Down events, our Meals for Single Moms, block parties and our serve projects during the Covid Crisis of the past few years. We are just getting started, and with your help our best days are right in front of us!

As the Lord adds to our church daily, the next phase of Glory Bell is about expansion. Upon our third birthday as a church, the Holy Spirit put the phrase in our heart — "On the count of three, GO!" Little did we know, within a matter of weeks, God would open an opportunity for our church to transition from leasing 9,000 sq ft to negotiating the purchase our current footprint, plus an additional 12,000 sq ft of recently renovated downtown space, just blocks from the Magnolia Silos and one block from the soon coming Magnolia Hotel.

This is more than a good opportunity; we believe it is a God directive, and on December 12th, 2022, we contractually agreed to purchase 21,000 sq ft of prime real estate for \$5.4 million. By contract, we have nine months to secure our financing, and we are in the middle of raisings funds to close.

We have already seen \$113,221.89 given, and on March 1st we opened Waco's largest coffee shop, as part of our expansion. The coffee shop space will ultimately become the lobby of our church, and it is already serving as the new "front door" to Glory Bell. In our first two months since opening, our weekend attendance has hit all-time highs of 420 and 434, plus we have baptized 5 individuals who learned of the church by first coming for coffee!

According to Exodus 36:7, we believe there will be more than enough given to complete this God project. We are asking God and believing for \$7 million to be given by the end of September 2023. Until the full amount is raised, we are working to raise \$1.35 million to put as our 25% down payment.

Will you prayerfully ask the Lord how He would lead you to participate in this miraculous expansion of His Kingdom?

God's Best,

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