



LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Welcome to the 2016-17 Annual Report.

Dear Friends,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Lighthouse Christian School, I want to sincerely thank you for your diligent, prayerful support of our school during the past year. As you'll see in this annual report, your generous efforts have helped to place Lighthouse Christian School on a stronger financial path today, then ever before.

As we continue to advance our Strategic Plan which focuses on: *Christ at the Center*, *People* who are committed, competent and collaborative, *Academic Excellence* where every student reaches their full potential, *Nurturing Community* and *Financial Stability*, we dive deeper into the pillar of Financial Stability. Considerable work has been done, as we move forward towards our goal of an endowment for tuition assistance. This, in combination with your giving as a part of the Lighthouse family, will help to keep tuition as affordable as possible for as many families as possible, while also retaining our quality staff and strengthening our programs. Lighthouse will continue to flourish because of those who have generously invested their time, talent and treasure.

Multi-year giving through our Legacy Builders program totaled \$287,000 in 2016-17, adding six new Legacy Builder families to our ranks for this important program. In addition, you contributed a combined \$330,000 through the auction, annual fund, and designated gifts last year -- funds that will be used to offset operating expenses, invest in the school's greatest needs and bless our Tuition Assistance program.

As we continue to honor God, we are truly excited to have Melissa Heckman, our new Director of Development, join our team. Melissa has been a part of the Lighthouse family for eight years and has been very active in our LCS community. This new role allows her to bring her gifts of leadership and organization, while building a community where everyone is involved, respected and cherished. She has already begun to make an impact as part of our thriving staff and we are excited for the future of Development.

Thank you for partnering with us throughout the 2016-17 school year. Together, we are building the future leaders of our community and impacting the world for Christ.

Sincerely,

Mark Angell

Chairman, Board of Directors
Lighthouse Christian School

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2016-17 Program Highlights

- Phase 2 of Biblical Worldview Integration program completed.
- Fully accredited through Association of Christian Schools International AdvancEd
- 24 new iMAC desktop computers in the computer lab
- Set of Chromebooks in each elementary classroom for differentiated learning opportunities
- New STEM strategic plan for all school integration
- Implementation of new self-funded dyslexia screening and tutoring program
- LCS students grades 1-8 scored in the 80th percentile or higher in combined Reading, Language and Math
- Graduating class of 2016 scored in the 80th percentile or higher each year, from 5th-8th grade in Reading, Language and Math combined

Did You Know...

That by simply indicating Lighthouse as your designee, rebates will accumulate from retailers such as:

- Amazon Smile - When you shop at smile.amazon.com, Amazon donates to your favorite charitable organization – including Lighthouse!
- Office Depot
- Fred Meyer Rewards

And...

- Thrivent Financial– allows members to designate Lighthouse for Charitable grants
- United Way – workplace campaigns can include Lighthouse as a designation through United Way

Double Your Gift!

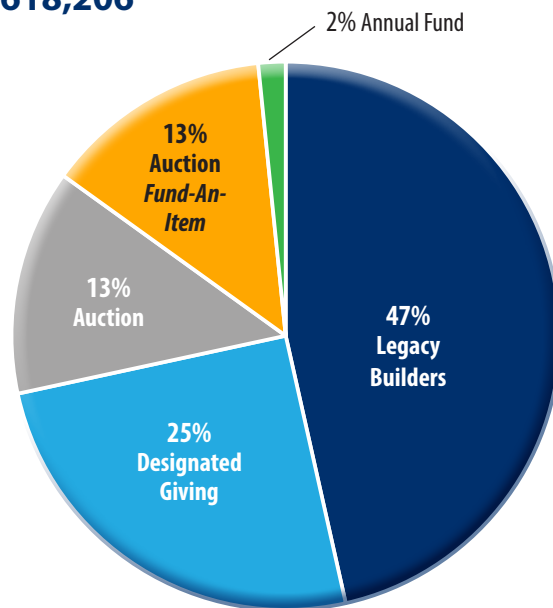
Many large corporations will match employee donations to registered 501(c)3 organizations. Please check with your Human Resources department!

Every gift to Lighthouse, regardless of size, makes a difference. Each year we ask all of our families to prayerfully consider participating in ways that are fitting for them, with a goal of 100% parent participation. Whether it is a one-time gift or if you would like to choose a monthly recurring gift, many options are available to you! Each student at Lighthouse Christian School benefits from the vision and generosity of many dedicated parents and supporters. Your giving makes an incredible difference to the students and faculty at Lighthouse Christian today and in the future. As a 501c(3) not-for-profit organization, gifts to Lighthouse are tax deductible as allowable by law. For more information, please contact Melissa Heckman at mheckman@lcschool.org.

THANK YOU!

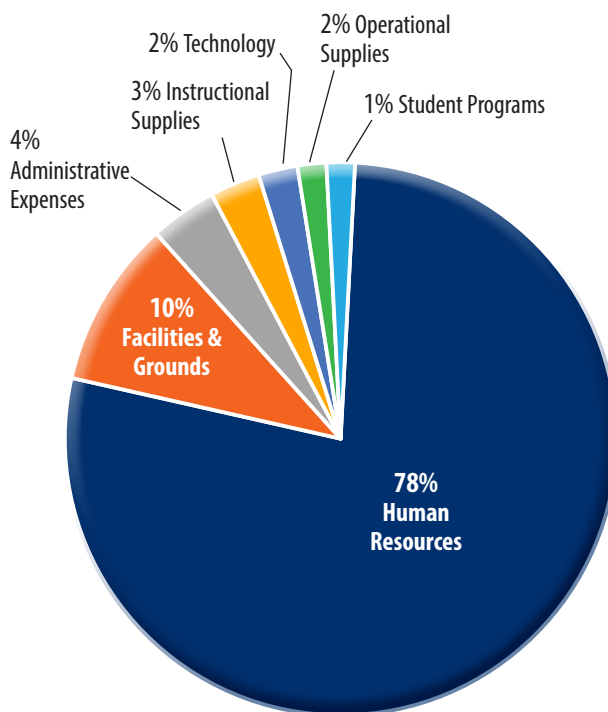
We are grateful to the many generous hearts who partner with us to advance the Lighthouse mission. Thank you to the many individuals and corporations who financially blessed us in the 2016-17 fiscal year.

2016-17 CONTRIBUTION INCOME \$618,206



Year ended June 30, 2016. Unaudited-Cash Basis

2016-17 EXPENSES \$3,540,404



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