



UNITED CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man. Luke 2:52

Dear friends and family in Christ,

June 22, 2018

Thanks so much for everyone's support for United Christian Ministries and for United Christian Academy. God is using you in a great way to change the lives of the children that we work with as they "grow in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man".

God has put so many things in place to make United Christian Academy an ongoing long term ministry. He has provided a great facility, dedicated staff, students who want to be more like Christ, many volunteers and financial support. But, just one thing is lacking, we need to develop a base of consistent and dependable monthly and annual financial support for United Christian Academy.

As Paul wrote to the church in Corinth in II Corinthians chapters 8 & 9 asking them to set aside an offering for the poor saints in Jerusalem, so I am writing to you asking you to help us come up with an offering that would be pleasing to God and that would secure financial stability for United Christian Academy.

OUR FINANCIAL GOAL: I would like to raise by August 9, 2018 (the opening day of our school) \$150,000 in cash and/or promised support. This number is our approximate annual budget for our school. (Aug 2018 – July 2019) We are also planning to expand from 13 students to 20 students this coming school year.

Ways you can help us reach this goal:

- Pray that God would do this and that it would bring great glory and honor to his name.
- Consider asking your Sunday School class, church or group to commit to a monthly or annual giving amount for United Christian Academy.
- Ask God to give each of us a Macedonian heart when it comes to sharing what he has given to us with others.

¹Now I want you to know, dear brothers and sisters what God in his kindness has done through the churches in Macedonia. ²They are being tested by many troubles, and they are very poor. But they are also filled with abundant joy, which has overflowed in rich generosity. ³For I can testify that they gave not only what they could afford, but far more. And they did it of their own free will. ⁴They begged us again and again for the privilege of sharing in the gift for the believers in Jerusalem. ⁵They even did more than we had hoped, for their first action was to give themselves to the Lord and to us, just as God wanted them to do. 2 Corinthians 8:1-5 (NLT)

- Fill out the enclosed "promised giving" card and mail it back to us in the enclosed envelope. (This, of course, is what you plan on giving as God enables you.) Or, feel free to just "text me" your name and giving plans (how much and how often) and I will record it for you.

601 520-1113

- Give “one time” gifts by check to the address listed below to help us get moving forward toward our \$150,000 goal by August 9th. Some of our givers give on line through our web site: UCMLife.org then select United Christian Academy then select Support UCA
- Feel free to call me and discuss ways to give and/or help us reach our goal by August 9th.

How to track what our God is doing through all of us:

Keep up with us on our Facebook page. While in your Facebook page, type in “United Christian Ministries and Academy”. We will keep you posted on how we are doing toward reaching our financial goal. Gifts to United Christian Academy and to United Christian Ministries are tax deductible.

Also, If you are not receiving updates from me on email and would like to receive them, please send me your email address. My email address is: jrkennedy1@comcast.net or just text me your name and email address. 601 520-1113

I believe God is also going to raise up missionaries and ministers through this work. Some of our youth are already sharing God’s wonderful words with other youth!



⁷Each one must do just as he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed; 2 Corinthians 9:7-8 (NASB)

With love in Christ,

Jack Kennedy
President