

Next Generation

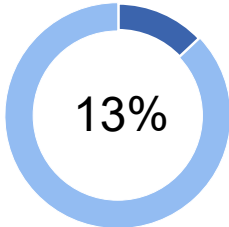
Legacy Lane Report

April 2024

Vision Gap
\$204,850

Vision
Received

\$236,000
\$31,150



Lane Overview

While there are several projects in our NextGen Lane, the majority of the 2024 funds we are dedicated to launching the Heartland School of Leadership and Development (HSLD). We have a multi-year strategy for funding HSLD. We are committed to empowering students through spiritual development and experiential learning, coupled with accredited, affordable, high-quality, and accessible higher education. Our purpose is to develop young leaders who are grounded in their faith, confident in their God-given abilities, and equipped to make an eternal impact in the world. We understand that students today face numerous challenges. That's why we offer student retreats and scholarships to eligible students and partner with the Youth Mentoring Initiative (YMI) to provide mentoring services to approximately 600 students in grades 5-12 in the Hamilton Southeastern School System.

New Vision Projects

Heartland School of Leadership & Development

At Heartland, our mission aligns with what God desires for the Church: saving the lost, pastoring the saved, empowering the pastored, and mobilizing the empowered. To fulfill this mission, we have launched the Heartland School of Leadership and Development (HSLD) for high school graduates and young adults. In partnership with Indiana Wesleyan University (IWU), HSLD provides comprehensive training in character formation, leadership, spiritual development, accredited academics, and ministry preparation for both the local church and the marketplace. Learn more at heartlandsld.com.

Vision	\$147,000
Funded	\$ 27,686
Vision Gap	\$119,314

Thank you for fully funding the first year of HSLD! Remember, the funding needed for HSLD is reduced each year, and we hope to be fully self-supporting by year five.

Heartland Students Retreats & Missions Trips Scholarships

Today's students face unprecedented challenges, navigating poor mental health and battling feelings of isolation and hopelessness. But amidst these obstacles, there is a beacon of hope. We are committed to providing opportunities for student retreats & mission trips that offer a unique opportunity to disconnect from the realities of everyday life and focus on spiritual growth. During these catalytic faith-building experiences, students will engage in activities and discussions that deepen their relationship with God and connect them with like-minded peers. In addition to these opportunities, we are proud to offer scholarships to eligible students, particularly students without a faith background. We believe that finances should never be a barrier to spiritual growth, and we are determined to ensure that every student has access, regardless of their financial situation. Through these strategic experiences and scholarships, we aim to provide more opportunities for students to deepen their faith, develop their leadership skills, and make an eternal impact on the world around them.

Vision	\$10,000
Funded	\$ 00
Vision Gap	\$10,000

Youth Mentoring Initiative

We're proud to partner with the Youth Mentoring Initiative (YMI) to offer mentoring services to around 600 students in grades 5-12 in the Hamilton Southeastern School System. Our dedicated mentors provide one-on-one support, emphasizing integrity, empathy, and encouragement to help students reach their full potential. We believe in the vital role of mentoring in youth development and are committed to fostering a supportive environment where students can thrive academically and personally.

Vision	\$15,000
Funded	\$ 1,936
Vision Gap	\$13,064

Fishers Youth Assistance Program

Fishers Youth Assistance Program (FYAP) provides professional, family-centered casework and referral services to students (ages 3 to 17) and families who reside within the Hamilton Southeastern School District. Kids and families are often referred to our services by the schools, police, court officials, and parents who have concerns about their children. The Summer Meals Program serves between 600 to 700 students who need a source of food during the summer months. Tutoring is facilitated in association with the National Honor Society programs at both Fishers and Hamilton Southeastern High Schools, volunteer teachers within the schools, and sometimes through scholarships when working with tutoring companies serving the Fishers community. Counseling & Other Mental Health Resources are provided for students through local partnerships with counselors, licensed mental health practitioners, physicians, and other community-based resources.

Vision	\$2,500
Funded	\$ 323
Vision Gap	\$2,177

Hamilton Southeastern Schools Young Life

HSE Young Life is actively going where kids are and building personal relationships with them. Earning the right to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. Providing fun, adventurous, life-changing and skill-building experiences. Inviting kids to personally respond to the Good News and walking in friendship with them regardless of their response.

Vision	\$2,500
Funded	\$ 323
Vision Gap	\$2,177

Ab's Angels

Ab's Angel's goal is to create a platform for the countless lives Abigail has impacted to share and connect with pictures, videos, stories, and links in an effort to inspire all of us to live a life as bright and meaningful as she did. We will work effortlessly to shine her light through us each day as we will carry her in our hearts forever.

Vision	\$1,000
Funded	\$ 129
Vision Gap	\$ 871

Best Buddies

Best Buddies is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to establishing a global volunteer movement that creates opportunities for one-to-one friendships, integrated employment, leadership development, and inclusive living for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD). Best Buddies envisions a world where people with IDD are so successfully integrated into schools, workplaces and communities that its current efforts and services will be unnecessary. Until that vision becomes a reality, the organization will continue to educate middle school, high school, and college students, community members, corporations, and employers about the emotional, functional, and natural needs and abilities of people with IDD. Almost 200 young people are involved in Best Buddies at HSE High School, and we are honored to host the Best Buddies annual prom here at Heartland Church. It's the single-best event in Fishers, IN, throughout the year!

Vision	\$5,000
Funded	\$ 753
Vision Gap	\$4,247

The Weekend Student Conference

The Weekend is a wonderful tailored experience for 7th-12th graders, serving as a catalyst in their journey with God. At Heartland Students, our aim is to cultivate environments where students can Know God, Find Freedom, Discover Purpose, and Make a Difference. The Weekend stands as a pivotal conference, offering faith-growing sessions, community-building small groups, and enjoyable games, all geared towards providing students with an opportunity to encounter God in transformative ways they may never have experienced before. We encourage 7th- 12th graders to set aside a weekend each year to dedicate it to their relationship with God alongside their peers.

Vision	\$24,000
Funded	\$ 00
Vision Gap	\$24,000

Summer Blast Kids Conference

Summer Blast, our children's conference, provides a summer platform for young ones to connect with God. We firmly believe that investing time in children and instilling values such as Love God, Love People, Do Your Best, and Have Fun from a young age sets a strong foundation for their spiritual journey as they transition through elementary, middle, and high school.

Vision **\$10,000**
Funded **\$ 00**
Vision Gap **\$10,000**

Fall Fest & Spring Carnival

Fall Fest and Spring Carnival are events designed for Heartland Kids, Students, and their families to enjoy together. These gatherings offer opportunities for families and friends to come together, fostering a sense of community and fun. There's something special about students experiencing God's presence while enjoying the company of loved ones. These events serve as a catalyst for the unchurched people in our community to gain an easy entry into Heartland by seeing firsthand the love of God on display through our people.

Vision **\$19,000**
Funded **\$ 00**
Vision Gap **\$19,000**

Prayer

Join us in prayer for the Next Generation. We believe that through this God-given vision and initiatives, we will see the kids and students of our community, educated, equipped, and empowered to have an eternal impact on the Kingdom of God. We are asking and praying that God would open the hearts and minds of the next generation to the “immeasurably more” He has for them. Just imagine the incredible transformation that would take place in our community when our kids and students are deeply in love with Jesus, confirmed in their calling, and passionately driven to make a difference in their world. The ripple effect would be awe-inspiring, touching the lives of families, schools, and our entire world. Please pray that God would bridge this gap to accelerate the mission of bringing His love, grace, and purpose to the lives of our precious children and students.