

# PASTOR Zahrte's Weekly Update

MAY 29, 2025



*a message worth sharing...*

## UNSEEN: The Reality of Spiritual Warfare Dressed for War

As we continue in our series "Unseen" this weekend, we will look at Ephesians 6, where Paul talks about fighting those spiritual battles waged against us by the devil himself. Thankfully, with God's help and the power of His Word, not only are we instructed to start off each day "Dressed for War", but we are also given full access to the spiritual armor, or equipment, necessary to be victorious.

YTD AMOUNT GIVEN		YTD AMOUNT SPENT	
Budget	Actual	Budget	Actual
\$1,676,940	\$1,792,002	\$1,643,693	\$1,623,803

School finances not included.

## *mission spotlight*

Building Hope in the City is a Christian ministry focused on the renewal of the Clark/Fulton/Stockyards area of Cleveland. They uniquely link local congregations & volunteers with the many people they serve to foster relationships and spur personal & community transformation. Their programs & initiatives seek to make the hope of the Gospel tangible across our city.

- **Participate** in Rally CLE on Sept. 6. This is RRLC's 5<sup>th</sup> Rally CLE event, where we'll gather with residents to complete resident-led projects. Watch for registration in August.
- **Volunteer** with BHITC! They have plenty of short-term & long-term opportunities to love your neighbor. You can serve at The Hope Center as a tutor, serve in a neighborhood cleanup, or help sort donations at Common Threads. Email Art at [artboehm@gmail.com](mailto:artboehm@gmail.com).
- **Donate!** Put a check payable to RRLC in the collection plate & write "Building Hope" on the memo line. You can give through their website at [www.buildinghopeinthecity.org](http://www.buildinghopeinthecity.org) or give online at [royred.org/give](http://royred.org/give) and select BHITC from the drop-down menu.

## *events & opportunities...*

### MAY

- 30 RRLS last day of school  
Scene 75 family night [Register here](#)

### JUNE

- 1 Senior spotlight recognition weekend  
VBS junior volunteer training, 11am (mandatory)  
4 Capital campaign kick-off meeting, 7pm  
Cane's fundraiser, 4-10pm, proceeds support Youth Gathering attendees  
5 2026 DR mission trip info mtg, 7pm, Rm 102  
6 College Bible study begins, 10am, Coffee Club  
8 Annual voter's meeting, Sanctuary, 12:30pm  
12 Royal Seniors game day, 1-4pm  
13 We to Me, making sandwiches for HeavenTrain  
15 HS youth group, 7-8:30pm  
16 VBS begins  
22 VBS come-back Sunday  
23 Monday Word summer sessions begin  
25 Royal Seniors "All-American" luncheon, 12pm  
26 Royal Seniors game day, 1-4pm  
29 King's Men cornhole tournament, 1-4pm  
[Register here](#)  
HS youth group, 7-8:30pm

### JULY

- 4 Independence Day, church office closed  
6 NO Redeemer Kids or nursery  
HS youth group, 7-8:30pm  
7 Classes begin for "Ready, Set, Violin"

[royred.org/upcoming](http://royred.org/upcoming) or email [info@royred.org](mailto:info@royred.org)

Support the youth attending the Gathering by simply eating at Cane's on June 4!

## SO...EAT AT CANE'S BEFORE ATTENDING THE CAPITAL CAMPAIGN MEETING

All are welcome to attend.

Wednesday, June 4 | 7pm | Gathering Rm

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Sign up to register and/or volunteer online at:  
[ROYRED.ORG/VBS](http://ROYRED.ORG/VBS)



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