



With Gratitude to God and Our Community

Dear Turlock Christian Family and Supporters,

As we step into a new year, we do so with grateful hearts and a renewed sense of purpose. While it is important to reflect on where God has brought us, it is equally important to look ahead with faith and confidence in where He is leading. As we move forward together, three pillars continue to anchor Turlock Christian - **faith, family, and future.**

First, we give thanks for your faith. Throughout this past year, your prayers, encouragement, and generosity (financial, time, and talent) have made it possible for Turlock Christian to remain a place where children learn in peace and are academically taught grounded in truth - God's truth. Because of your support, our students are not only gaining knowledge, but are being shaped spiritually, learning to live strong, faith-filled lives rooted in Christ. This is sacred work, and we are grateful to walk it with you.

We also give thanks for our family. Turlock Christian is more than a school; it is a Christ-centered community. From our administrators, teachers, and support staff, to our parents, grandparents, alumni, friends, and fellow Board members, we are reminded that God uses His people, together, to accomplish His purposes. This year brought moments of growth and challenge, and decisions that required trust and grace. Yet through it all, you chose to remain united. Families rooted in Christ are bound by a covenant deeper than circumstance or opinion. Our unity is found not in agreement on every matter, but in our shared submission to Christ and His calling on this school.

And finally, we look with hope toward the future. Like many areas of life, the work of Christian education requires courage, perseverance, and trust. When we attempt to move forward in our own strength, we quickly feel the weight of uncertainty. But when we lean not on our own understanding and instead trust the Lord, we discover that He goes before us, preparing the way. As the Apostle Paul declares in 2 Timothy 4:7,

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith."

We are committed to running this race with faithfulness, keeping Christ at the center, stewarding well what has been entrusted to us, and preparing the next generation to stand firm in their faith.

As we enter this new year, our prayer is that Turlock Christian will continue to be a place where children grow academically and spiritually, faith is strengthened, families are supported, and the future is shaped by hope rather than fear. Together, may we move forward with confidence, trusting that the God who calls us is faithful to sustain us, guide us, and bring His good work to completion.

With gratitude and expectation,

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