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## Campus Lutheran Church celebrates start of expansion project

COLUMBIA, MO (April 23, 2017) – Campus Lutheran Church celebrated the beginning of an expansion project that will double their space for outreach and fellowship activities. They have partnered with Coil Construction who will break ground on the project this summer.

The 8,400 square foot two-story building addition to the existing Campus Lutheran Church facility will include a new 3,000 square foot multipurpose Fellowship Hall, a new kitchen and coffee bar, meeting rooms and classrooms, accessible restrooms and an elevator, providing accessibility throughout all areas of the new and existing church.

"The new addition to our Campus Lutheran Church will make our place more welcoming and help us meet our current and planned ministry needs," said Barry Steevens, chairman of the campaign for Campus Lutheran. "Construction of the fellowship hall will enable us to better provide for students, families and international guests here in our community."

Interior improvements include a new primary building entrance, administration office, nursery, and women's and men's shower rooms. The facility's exterior improvements include an improved accessible route from accessible parking spaces to the building entrances, new storm water quality and control, and new parking and sidewalk lighting. The church's overhead electrical service will also be replaced with underground service, improving the general safety as well as building aesthetics.

Construction is scheduled to begin this summer. "We look forward to working with Campus Lutheran Church on their proposed addition/renovation project, and



are proud to partner with them as their ministry continues to grow in this community," said Mike Hemme, vice president of business development at Coil Construction and project manager for the Campus Lutheran project. "These improvements will provide much needed space for the numerous member and community activities planned for this new space."

Campus Lutheran Church, first constructed in 1963 at the intersection of College Avenue and Anthony Street, is a Biblical and confessional congregation designed for college students, faculty and staff from Columbia's universities and colleges.

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