Hello Revive Church Family!

This first quarter of 2023 was a watershed moment for Revive Church. All generations were able to worship and learn together for the first time Under One Roof beginning in February. The prayer, generosity, volunteer hours, and the efforts of our construction partners that made this happen will serve our church and The Bridge for years to come. God has been faithful!

Our staff welcomed Mary Mikucki to our team in January as our new Director of Revive Women. We are excited for Mary and our women’s ministry. Her thoughtful, prayerful and empathic leadership will continue to grow and develop Revive Women.

Another celebration was the formal opening of Lionheart at the end of February! Revive’s own Melissa Swenson and Cathy D’Addario are leading way as Lionheart Directors.

The launch of our new 7-Marks series has been a huge success. These 4-week deep-dives into our marks of a Jesus-follower have generated a great response. We started with Stand in Awe, Walk in the Word, and Play Your Part. We will continue this series throughout the fall and invite you to join in! We also launched Rooted, which focuses on the 5 Values of Revive church. Rooted will also be offered again later this year.

Finally, we continue to be grateful for your generosity! As you review our For Love’s Sake campaign status you will see that God has been faithful to provide and He continues to work in us and through us for His glory. Thank you for your partnership in the vision of Revive Church.

Serving Together,

Stephan J. Almoe
Operations Pastor
Bottom line: The first quarter net income vs. expense was $58,363 better than budgeted.

We are excited about Lionheart Children’s Academy opening its doors to start serving children and families on February 27. Lionheart had 56 children enrolled (34 receiving scholarships and/or CCCAP assistance) by March 31, and the number has continued to grow. Three children have asked Jesus into their hearts, and several Lionheart families have joined our services at Revive. The Lord is moving through Lionheart!

Our Bridge for the Future External Capital Campaign officially kicked off in Q1. This campaign is intended to raise additional funds from (primarily) external foundations, companies and individuals who are interested in helping children, women, and helping to abolish poverty through a variety of resources and services that are or will be available at The Bridge. If you are interested in helping with this campaign in any way, please contact Cam Kenyon at ckenyon@revivearvada.org.

Global Thrift joined The Bridge in Q1! This Christian-led store sells clothing and household essentials at wonderful prices. Proceeds go toward improving the health of vulnerable populations in Democratic Republic of Congo and Bangladesh. Global Thrift will also support Haven’s Hope and other Bridge partners’ patrons. Please stop by their store next to Lionheart, do some shopping, volunteer and/or donate your gently used goods to this wonderful organization and new Bridge Partner.