

KINGDOM BULDERS UPDATE

2025 VISION \$9,594,313

FINDED \$4,523,941

VISION GAP \$5,070,372

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Kingdom Builder Report

November 9th, 2025

Introduction:

At Bayside, we believe that every act of generosity is an investment in eternity. Kingdom Builders are those who give above and beyond their tithe to accelerate the vision of reaching our community and the next generation. This report is a snapshot of what your giving is making possible, from new facilities that expand our reach, to ministries that are transforming lives every week.

Our goal in sharing these updates is simple: to keep you informed, inspired, and connected to the impact of your generosity. When we report back on what God is doing through Kingdom Builders, it builds trust, fuels vision, and reminds us that we are truly making a difference together.

We pray that as you read these stories and updates, you are encouraged, seeing not only what your giving has accomplished, but also catching a glimpse of the hope, life change, and eternal impact that you are helping bring to others.





XII Conference:

XII Conference was a powerful move of God among our students. Centered on Psalm 46:10, "Be still, and know that I am God," the theme spoke directly to the anxiety and noise this generation faces. Over 3,000 were in attendance, encountering God through worship, teaching, and sacred moments of stillness in His presence. Hundreds made decisions to follow Jesus and discovered new peace and purpose for their lives.

XII Conference 2025 marked a defining moment for this generation, and the impact continues to spread through families, schools, and communities.

Attendance grew by 20% among Bayside students, making it the largest and most impactful XII Conference to date.

Next year's XII Conference will focus on Matthew 6:10: "Your Kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven." Students will learn that they are part of God's Kingdom and called to bring heaven to earth. We're praying for continued growth toward 5,000 students and for powerful life change across this generation.

YTH, Kids & The Collective:

Attendance in Next Gen services (Kids, YTH, and Collective) is at a record high! At some campuses, Next Gen now accounts for 25–30% of total attendance. Pray that God will help us steward this incredible harvest so that every young person has the opportunity to encounter Jesus.

Kids Camp:

Bayside Kids Camp was an incredible week filled with adventure and life change. Over 2,000 in attendance across four campuses joined an archaeology-themed journey through the story of Moses and how God set His people free. Each day was packed with worship, games, and teaching that helped kids see how Jesus brings true freedom.

Kids Camp 2025 expanded to four locations for the first time and saw a 30% increase in attendance, making it our biggest year yet.

Next summer's Kids Camp theme is The Big Launch, a space adventure through God's creation story. Kids will discover they are made in God's image and created for His purpose. We're praying for continued growth, unity, and for every child to experience God's love in a lasting way.

Bayside College:

<u>Enrollment & Academic Progress</u> - Bayside College continues to experience steady growth and expanding impact across all academic programs.

- Total Enrollment: 218 students for Fall 2025
- New Accepted Applicants: Up 21% from 2024–25
- Overall Enrollment Growth: Up 3% year-over-year
- YLX/Dual Enrollment: 80 students enrolled this fall double the size of last year's DE program
- **Projected Annual YLX Revenue:** \$241,500, up from \$95,000 in 2024–25

These increases demonstrate not just numerical growth but a strengthening of Bayside College's influence through expanded pathways in **undergraduate education**, **dual enrollment**, **and leadership development**.

We've also welcomed several **new adjunct faculty** this term, expanding our instructional depth and allowing us to offer a wider range of courses and class times to meet the needs of both undergraduate and YLX students.

Our adjunct faculty have become an active part of our community—attending Chapels, AI One Day, and even the 5K—strengthening student mentorship and peer connections.

Program Development & Practicum Expansion:

The **Practicum Program** remains a cornerstone of Bayside College's experiential model, preparing students to lead in ministry, marketplace, and worship settings.

• Three Practicum Tracks: Ministry, Marketplace, and Worship

- New Weekly Rhythm: Integrates Student Fitness and Student
 Development sessions, supporting holistic growth in body, mind, and spirit.
- Students are demonstrating **greater engagement** with Bayside's mission and vision as they adjust to the new rhythm.

Discipleship & Spiritual Formation:

Spiritual growth is at the core of Bayside College's mission, and this fall we've seen powerful transformation among students:

• Students are actively pursuing an **authentic relationship with God** through chapels, small groups, and formation classes.

Discipleship is also being reinforced through **student-led small groups**, faculty involvement, and leadership mentoring opportunities that help students integrate faith into every aspect of life.



Bayside College:

This year, we've expanded our community engagement efforts:

- Volunteer Integration: Bayside College volunteer opportunities are now listed on the church's Dream Team Questionnaire (DTQ), providing new ways for Kingdom Builders and church members to serve.
- Partnership Development: Strengthened relationships with local businesses and ministries through Practicum placements and community events.
 - A major win this semester was hosting 13 local business leaders —
 many connected to Kingdom Builders, Legacy Business Leaders, and
 Global Leadership Summit for a Marketplace Meet & Greet with

our students. These leaders shared insights, mentorship, and potential placement opportunities.

This event bridges the gap between faith and work, providing real pathways for students to live out their calling in the marketplace.

- High School Engagement: Through our recruiter, Susannah, Bayside College has established a consistent presence at local Fellowship of Christian Athletes chapters, Young Life groups, and youth services at Bayside campuses.
- **Student-Led Recruiting:** Current students now serve as advocates at Midweek services, empowering them to share how Bayside College bridges the gap between high school faith and adult discipleship.
 - Susannah recently held a meeting with our student volunteers serving at Midweek to empower and equip them to help high school students take their next step toward Bayside College. She shared a powerful reminder: as students transition out of high school, many face a high risk of drifting from their close spiritual walk with Jesus. Bayside College exists to bridge that gap—offering a Christ-centered environment.



XII Conference 2025:

Scholarships: 364

Pastor's Kid Track: 32

Total Attendance - 3,243

Kids Camp 2025:

Scholarships Awarded: 262

Total Attendance - 2,493

Bayside College:

- 218 Total Students
- 80 Dual Enrollment (YLX) Students
- 21% Increase in New Accepted Applicants
- 3% Overall Enrollment Growth
- Marketplace partnerships expanded through 13 business leaders

Story Wins

- Deepening community among faculty, staff, and students
 - It has been amazing to watch a couple of students who were in successful jobs feel God's call to ministry, and now they stepped back from a full-time capacity in those roles to pursue ministry. Jacob Morris is a 22-year-old sophomore, and just returned to college after running a business to pursue God's calling to become a Youth Pastor. Jacob currently serves at our Bee Ridge campus with Jordan Breon, Bee Ridge's Youth Director.
- Breakthroughs in student spiritual life and connection
 - One of our new incoming students has recently been feeling alone.
 She hasn't been able to find her place, but she recently had an encounter with the Lord at Chapel. The Lord met her right where she was. She realized that she had a community all around her and that all she had to do was reach out to connect, which she did, and has made several new friends.
- Greater mentoring engagement from adjunct faculty and business professionals
 - One of our professors has offered to hold a monthly networking event for business professionals and marketplace students to provide teachings on integrating faith into leadership and the marketplace

while creating opportunities for students to develop incredible relationships with local business leaders.



XII Conference:

Our prayer is that students will leave XII Conference 2026 knowing they are part of God's eternal Kingdom and called to live out His Kingdom here on earth. We want them to understand that when Jesus taught us to pray, "Your Kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven," He was inviting us to live with purpose now.

We are believing and praying to see XII Conference grow to 5,000 in attendance. Please join us in praying for the growth of the conference and for life-changing encounters with God in the lives of every student who attends.

If you would like to be part of the XII Conference Dream Team, email us at xiiconference@mybayside.church.

YTH Night:

A few times a year our YTH teams put together a gathering of all of our middle and high school students from across all of our campuses. Our next YTH Night is coming up soon and we are asking for prayer that God would move in a powerful way! It's projected to be our biggest one yet, especially with the massive growth we've seen among high school students.

Bayside College:

As we continue to grow and develop the next generation of Christian leaders, we invite our Kingdom Builders to join us in prayer for:

- 1. **Faculty Expansion:** Wisdom in identifying the right adjuncts to continue delivering high-quality, Christ-centered education.
- 2. **Student Formation:** That every student would truly see their identity and potential rooted in who God is within them.
- 3. **Unity & Spiritual Hunger:** Continued authenticity, community, and hunger for God across our student body.
- 4. **Recruitment & Retention:** Favor and effectiveness in meeting our Fall 2026 goal of 300 enrolled students.

Bayside College is thriving — academically, spiritually, and relationally. Every class, chapel, and practicum placement reflects our mission to **develop Christ-centered leaders** equipped for ministry, marketplace, and everyday life.

Your continued generosity as **Kingdom Builders** makes this impact possible. Together, we are shaping a generation that is both grounded in faith and prepared to lead with excellence in every sphere of influence.





We are praying that God will bring in the remaining funds needed for our North River Campus expansion project. With the opportunity for matching funds up to \$2 million for this project, we have an incredible opportunity to fund this project this year and build the expansion in 2026.

See Pastor Randy's update on this giving opportunity here.

North River Campus Expansion – Parking

We've received updated bids for the new parking lot. While one proposal came in slightly higher on paper, it offers cost savings in key areas and faster availability. Our team is currently reviewing one final bid the week of November 10th to confirm the best option. Pending that review, we're positioned to move forward with construction within the next two weeks.

North River Campus Expansion – Buildings

The design development drawings are complete and now with our engineering team for review. We expect final plans to be ready by mid-December, keeping us on track with our timeline. The team is coordinating to ensure a smooth review process and timely completion of this next project phase.

Palmetto Campus Lobby & Exterior Remodel

We have had one of our Kingdom Builders generously donate their construction services to complete an expansion project of our Palmetto Campus lobby. This is a huge blessing to our campus as this will allow them to have the proper lobby space needed. The renovations on the expansion are progressing well. While we've encountered a few minor challenges, the project remains on budget and on schedule for completion by the end of November. The updates to the lobby and exterior will bring a refreshed and welcoming feel to the Palmetto Campus.

Bayside College Dorm Project



Site Work

We're preparing to begin visible construction activity the week of November 17th. Material orders are being finalized, and the contractor is scheduled to mobilize on site, marking the start of major progress on the project.

Permitting & Building Updates

Significant progress has been made with the county on permits and modular building approvals. We're finalizing updates the week of November 10th and expect clarity on all remaining details soon. Our team is also exploring additional modular building providers to ensure we move forward with the best long-term option for the project.

Bradenton Dream Center:

• Status: We are currently in the 2025-2026 After-School Program

Start Date: August 18

- Currently, this is one of the strongest starts to our After-School Program. We have our largest attendance and a full team of specialists mixed in with some consistent volunteers.
- Challenges: We are short of a bus driver on Fridays. We are looking for a CDL Bus driver to drive the 52-passenger school bus on Fridays. We currently use Kids on the Rock vans to help supplement on Fridays.



- Upcoming Opportunities to connect or serve:
 - Ongoing daily opportunities to get involved with the After-School Program
 - 2) Christmas Dreamland: December 13 at 5-8 PM; Please reach out to sam.rivera@thebradentondreamcenter.org if you'd like to volunteer.



- Students currently enrolled: 86
- Days of programming: 43
- Transportation: Safely provided transportation to Ballard Elementary & GD
 Rogers Elementary for all students every day of the program
- Food: 3,698 meals have been prepared to date
- Salvations: 4 students
- Enrichment:
 - 1-on-1 tutoring/homework support (Reading/Math)
 - Individualized instruction: Online (Freckle Math/Reading Practice)

- Weekly praise/worship with scripture memorization
- Daily recess (30 minutes daily)
- Daily prayer with students
- Monthly scripture challenges
- Weekly biblical devotionals

Bradenton Dream Center Testimony:

Kaiden Griffin (5th grade)

Kaiden lives with his grandmother. She cares for him and has a heart for him to serve the Lord. Kaiden's childhood is one of trauma. As a child, he has seen some things that no child should ever see; One of which involves his father shooting someone while Kaiden was in the car. Kaiden also has a speech impairment; He works through stuttering. When we first met Kaiden, he struggled with lying and stealing. He actually took one of the Nintendo switches from the center. After tough and loving conversations with him as well as the support from his grandmother, Kaiden has made a drastic change for good. He is now a great example for all of the Dream Center values that we try to teach: Honesty, Integrity, Excellence, Respect, and Responsibility. He is now a 4th grader who is so full of joy and laughter, and although he struggles with his speech at times, he is full of confidence and dreams.



PRAYER NEEDS

We are praying for the Christmas Dreamland event. As we plan and prepare, we pray that our families are able to experience God's love through this event. We pray that we would have an amazing team of volunteers and that financially, God will provide all that we need to ensure the best experience for our students and families.

We are praying for our new superintendent and our local principals of the schools that we serve. We pray that they continue to support our efforts as we work together to make a difference in the lives of our students.