

# Sophia Academy

has experienced many  
miracles and challenges since 1999...



Now the miracle IS the  
**challenge.**

step-by-step  
*Thy way shall be opened up...step by step*

At a demanding point in our economy, our campaign to fund a multipurpose building stalled. However, as we persevered, a prayer was answered. A friend of Sophia Academy offered a generous \$500,000 challenge grant in support of “*The Dream Continues*” Capital Campaign to fund the gym/auditorium/chapel space – with a condition that we raise nearly \$600,000 more by January 23, 2012.

“The Lord never builds a bridge of faith except under the feet of the faith-filled traveler. If He builds the bridge a rod ahead, it would not be a bridge of faith. That which is of sight is not of faith.”

– Henry Clay Trumbull

Faith-filled travelers in our school have been numerous. We have seen ahead – where the children are and where they need to be. The miracles in our history are also numerous. Many have given generously to support the school’s expansion and have been blessed by it.

This challenge grant provides momentum to fund the \$2.45 million cost of this imperative addition.

#### **How you can help:**

This challenge grant almost doubles the impact of your gift toward the campaign. Thank you for your consideration of a gift that will bless you, and offer meaningful opportunities to our students. Be a part of the miracle!

# a challenge grant...

## **Master Plan Phase II**

In 2008, Sophia Academy began construction of space where students could have many opportunities to excel and enhance their confidence. We know that extracurriculars can make school a superior experience.

We have established a full gym/auditorium to allow us to provide sports opportunities and an expanded drama and chapel program. We are now able to host and serve all of our constituents at one time. Classrooms, planned for the mezzanine level, will be created for an eventual high school, and a ninth grade is being planned now.

These plans will benefit all of our students and will further our model for a comprehensive academic experience.

#### **Accomplished Goals:**

- Receiving rental income from club teams and tournaments
- An on-time, on-budget project
- Increased award-winning theater and concert events
- Added six new teams which have won championships
- Middle school enrollment increased

We know that God provides for our needs as we do his work and believe.

“When thou goest, thy way shall be opened up before thee step by step.”

**Proverbs 4:12**

“Sophia Academy was born from a mother’s prayer on educating her child with learning differences. In God’s wisdom, Sophia Academy has provided a Christian learning environment and been an answer to many prayers, including my own. The gym has given children a physical expression of their God-given talents, and it showcases games, plays, concerts.”

– Vickie Panos, parent

“We are faithful in our continuous prayers for blessings. God bless you for helping us achieve this goal.”

– Marie S. Corrigan  
Founding Director, Principal



*“The Dream Continues” Capital Campaign*

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