NORTHRISE NOW

BUILDING OUR FUTURE.

LETTER FROM LEADERSHIP

Dear Friend,

I started my education in a rural school in Zambia. I know what it means to hunger for an education and wonder if it is truly within reach. Today, if I did not have the access I had to quality education via a generous scholarship fueled by divine grace, I would not be leading Northrise as its President.

That is why, when I walk through our campus in Ndola, Zambia and see our students, I do not simply see young people in study rooms. I see futures being written. I see families being lifted. **I see a nation slowly, faithfully, being transformed one life at a time.**

Northrise University exists because people like you dared to believe that education and faith could change Zambia for better. Twenty years later, more than one thousand graduates are serving passionately across Zambia. That is your legacy as much as ours.

Let me share something with you from my heart. **The students on our campus today are among the most determined young people I have ever known**. Many of them come from families with very little, and carry the weight of that every single day. Your partnership through our One Student Scholarship Program is what allows them to stay, to complete, and become the graduates with a deep desire to change this nation. When you give to the fund, you are not simply paying a bill. You are telling a young person that their future matters, that someone across the world believes in them, and that they do not have to carry this burden alone.

And there are more students waiting. Students who have applied, who have been accepted, who are ready to begin, and those we cannot yet receive them due to limited space. The Word of God reminds us in Isaiah 43:19, ***"Behold, I am doing a new thing. Now it springs forth, do you not perceive it?"*** I believe with my whole heart that God is doing a new thing at Northrise. Right now. In this season.

Northrise Now is that provision. A new student center. Additional dormitories. New technology. Additional housing for the faculty who pour their lives into our students every day. These are not luxuries. They are the answer to the students who are waiting at our door step.

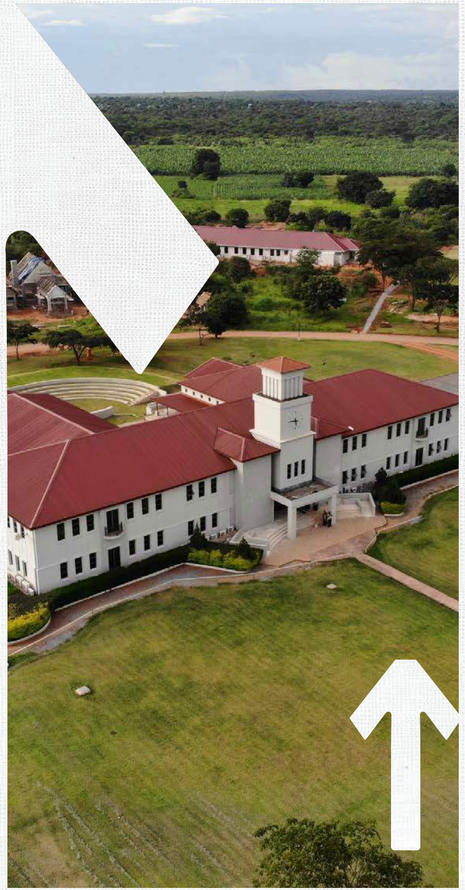
In this season we have two main needs and one mission.

- **Help a student stay.**
- **Help us expand so we can welcome the next one.**

Thank you for your partnership. Thank you for your prayers. Northrise stands because you stand with us.

With sincere gratitude and grace to you,

Dr. Lameck Mwewa
President, Northrise University



ALUMNI HIGHLIGHT

Peter Chanda knew exactly what he was choosing when he applied to Northrise University. He was not looking for just a degree. He was looking for something more.

"I was drawn by its holistic, Christ-centered approach to education," Peter recalls. "One that promised not only academic excellence but also spiritual and social growth."

What he found at Northrise exceeded his hopes and dreams. Peter grew in the classroom, deepened his faith through chapel and campus life, and developed as a leader on the NU Eagles football team, eventually returning as a coach while serving in the Student Life department. The mentors and lecturers who invested in him during those years, he says, continue to shape his life today.

After graduating, Peter began his professional career at Northrise, working in accounts and student welfare before transitioning into the nonprofit sector. Today he serves as Finance and Operations Manager at Wiphan Care Ministries, leading with the integrity, resilience, and purpose that Northrise built into him.

He remains deeply connected to the university, mentoring current students, and supporting the mission that changed his life.

"Northrise gave me more than a degree," Peter says. "It gave me a foundation for life, faith, and service."

That is exactly what your partnership makes possible. There are now over 1000 graduates of Northrise working and serving in Africa. One student. One life. One nation transformed.

BUILDING OUR FUTURE

For more than 20 years, Northrise University has grown because people like you believed in what God was building here. Today that growth has brought us to a defining moment. The campus is at capacity. Students who need to stay on campus are being turned away not because they are unqualified but because we simply do not have the space to receive them.

Northrise Now is our answer to that challenge. It is a multi-year, multi-phase capital campaign with a total vision of upwards of 8 million dollars to build the infrastructure our university needs to fulfill its God-given mission of serving 2,000 students. Phase One represents 4.6 million dollars of that vision. A recent gift of one million dollars has already been received, and we believe with your support and prayers, the Lord will provide the remaining 2.5 million dollars by December 31, 2027.

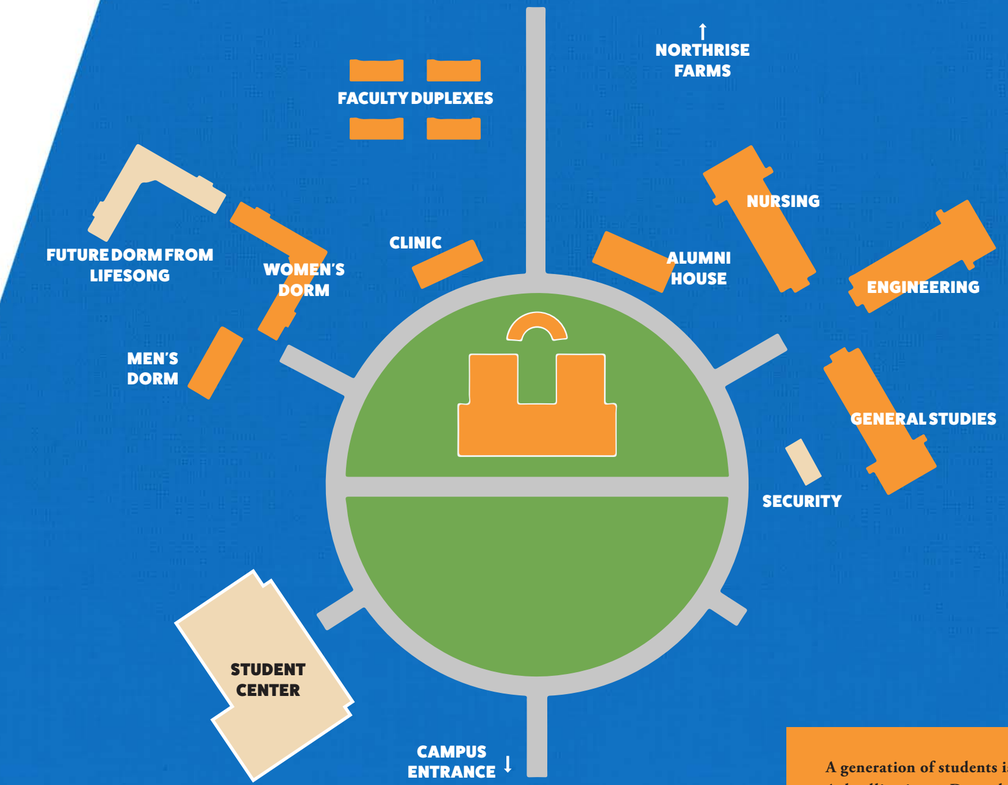
PHASE 1 FUNDING STATUS

CAPITAL GIFTS RECEIVED & PLEDGED
$2,073,401

REMAINING NEED BY DECEMBER 31, 2027
$2,526,599

PHASE ONE GOAL
$4,600,000

We are deeply grateful for the partnership of Lifesong for Orphans, whose generous commitment has anchored our Northrise Now campaign. Lifesong has pledged **$5.75 million** toward the construction of a new student center and residence hall on campus, covering half the cost of the student center and the full cost of the dormitory. Their investment is a profound expression of shared mission, and we believe it will stand as a blessing to Northrise students for generations to come.



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A generation of students is waiting. A deadline is set. December 31, 2027 is the moment we are building toward together. We invite you to be part of what God is building at Northrise!

PHASE 1
4.6 MILLION:

DR. MOFFAT AND DOREEN ZIMBA STUDENT CENTER

Today, Northrise students cannot all gather in one place for Chapel. Commuter students, who represent 80% percent of our community, have no comfortable space to study, rest, or build the kind of relationships that shape a life and a future.

The Zimba Center was designed to change all of that. A gymnasium and event space large enough for the entire campus to worship together. Lounges where students can study, connect, and belong. A computer lab and library. Student services gathered under one roof. This building will become the heartbeat of Northrise University and the place where men and women grow not just as professionals but as people of faith, character, and purpose.

CAMPUS SECURITY AND MAINTENANCE BUILDING

To be faithful stewards of what God has already provided, Northrise needs the infrastructure to protect and maintain it. As our campus grows toward 2,000 students, the men and women responsible for safety and facilities need a proper home to operate from. This building houses the teams who keep every student, every building, and every evening on campus safe, cared for, and running well.

INFORMATION AND TECHNOLOGY SYSTEMS

Zambia is a nation on the move, with a rising generation ready to shape its future. The students at Northrise are being prepared to lead that future. These funds replace aging equipment and build out the technology infrastructure our campus needs; servers, workstations, laptops, and systems worthy of a world class Christ-centered university.

ONE GIFT.

ONE STUDENT

ONE NATION CHANGED.

Zambia is a nation of young people. More than 66 percent of its population is under the age of 24. They are talented, driven, and hungry for an education that will give them a future. Many of them will never get that chance, not because they lack the ability, but because they lack the resources.

That is where you come in.

The One Student Scholarship Program at Northrise University connects generous partners like you directly to students who have been accepted, who are ready to learn, and who simply need someone to believe in them enough to say yes.

Every scholarship recipient participates in work study programs on campus and receives spiritual mentorship as part of their Northrise experience. They are not just earning a degree. They are being shaped into the next generation of Zambian leaders, professionals, and people of faith.

When they graduate, more than 99 percent of them stay in Zambia. They go home to their families, their communities, and their nation carrying everything you invested in them.

The student that benefits from the scholarship fund will have a name. They will have a story. And one day they will have a degree, a career, and a life built in part because of your generosity. To give to the fund and help a student visit northrise.org or scan the QR code.

INVEST IN THE LIFE OF A STUDENT.

FRIEND OF NORTHRISE
$30 PER MONTH / $360 PER YEAR

You are part of the Northrise family. Your gift joins with others to support the broader mission of transforming Zambia through Christ-centered education.

STUDENT SUPPORTER
$83 PER MONTH / $1,000 PER YEAR

Your gift contributes toward the scholarship fund and helps keep the doors of Northrise open to the next generation of Zambian leaders.

TUITION PARTNER
$250 PER MONTH / $3,000 PER YEAR

Your gift covers the equivalent of one full year of tuition through the Northrise scholarship fund. Because of gifts like yours, students in Zambia who could not otherwise afford a university education are walking into classrooms and building futures.

FULL SCHOLARSHIP PARTNER
$375 PER MONTH / $4,500 PER YEAR

Your gift covers the full cost of a Northrise scholarship, tuition, lodging, and meals. You are not just funding an education. You are making it possible for students who are ready to lead to have a home, a community, and a foundation for their future.

LEGACY PARTNER
$750 PER MONTH / $9,000 PER YEAR

Your gift covers the equivalent of two full scholarships for an entire year. Two futures made possible. Two families whose trajectory is forever changed because you chose to invest in what God is building at Northrise.

FOUNDATIONAL PARTNER
ABOVE $1000 PER MONTH / $12,000 PER YEAR

Your investment goes far beyond any giving level. You have been blessed, and you are a generational blessing to the students of Northrise. We know God is using your generosity to bring significant change to Zambia, making a Northrise education more accessible to students who are ready to lead.

Sometimes when you give, you're just not sure how much it helps.

Thanks to our generous Board of Trustees, 100% of your gifts directly impact and benefit Northrise students.