

III. Building Memories • The Roof Fund

St. Paul's red sandstone building has stood on the corner of High and Ridge Streets since 1875. It is more than a monument. It is a home. Each generation assumes the mantle of caretaker, keeping our facilities updated and in good repair.

In 2001, we could no longer defer replacement of the original slate roof that had served us for over 125 years. At

that time, a Blue Ribbon Commission appointed to plan for the re-roofing of the facility, recommended that we immediately replace the roof. Today, the \$100,000 designated for the roof will satisfy our bank debt, freeing up interest payments now being made monthly, to supplement the general fund. This change will enable us to make other critical repairs to our church.

**“The beginning of wisdom is a roof.”
African Proverb**



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