

TOP FIVE

ENERGY-SAVING OPPORTUNITIES FOR PLACES OF WORSHIP

Did you know FOCUS ON ENERGY® helps places of worship, like yours, to **lower operating costs** and **earn incentives**? Through energy-efficient improvements, you can enhance the appearance of your building and make it a more comfortable environment. Even better, the typical payback period for these projects is less than five years.

CUT YOUR ENERGY COSTS INVEST IN YOUR FAITH COMMUNITY

Upgrade to LED lighting
ENERGY STAR® certified LED
lighting uses an average of 90% less
energy and lasts an average of 15
years, which is up to 25 times longer
than incandescent options.¹
Start in areas with high runtime
hours like parking lots and hallways
to see the quickest payback.

Install a smart thermostat

Save up to 20% on cooling costs and 5% on heating costs by installing an ENERGY STAR, WiFi-enabled smart thermostat² Smart thermostats automatically adjust temperature settings and offer features like occupancy sensing, remote scheduling, and intelligent control of HVAC equipment.

Add Demand
Controlled
Ventilation (DCV)

Save up to 40% on heating and cooling costs by adding CO2 sensors to spaces like sanctuaries, classrooms and auditoriums.

DCV controls your HVAC system based on occupancy to eliminate unnecessary heating and cooling while still keeping occupant comfort a top priority.

Check doors and windows for air leaks

Your building requires more energy for heating and cooling when leaks exist. Examine your building and repair air leaks with weather stripping and caulking to prevent the loss of conditioned air.

Maintain your steam system

Each foot of uninsulated steam pipe wastes an average of \$7.50 per year in energy costs, yet only costs about \$8 to fix. Surveying and repairing steam traps can save over \$100 per year for each trap failed open.²

Ready to get started?

Focus on Energy offers a free online assessment tool to create a personalized action plan to save energy and money for your facility. Visit https://focusonenergy.focus-assessments.com/ to get started.

Contact your Energy Advisor directly.

Find your Energy Advisor by calling 800.762.7077 or visiting https://focusonenergy.com/ea-map.

¹ENERGY STAR: https://www.energystar.gov/products/light_fixtures

REDUCING ENERGY WASTE ACROSS WISCONSIN

FOCUS ON ENERGY®, Wisconsin utilities' statewide program for energy efficiency and renewable energy, helps eligible residents and businesses save energy and money while protecting the environment. Focus on Energy information, resources, and financial incentives help to implement energy efficiency and renewable energy projects that otherwise would not be completed.



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