

The Plan for Growth Fund

Preparing now for the future

Background and Rationale

TCBC's Plan for Growth activities are gaining momentum. As more of our church family is getting involved in the Plan for Growth work groups, the discussions at the Ministry Board and Shepherding Council level, the Second Sunday Prayer Nights, and activities that involve the evaluation of properties for church use, there is a growing sense of God being ahead of us - preparing TCBC for a new scale and season of ministry.

New people, locations, programs, ministries, and ministry spaces will require new funds. The Plan for Growth Fund allows members, attenders, alumni, and friends of TCBC to make momentum-building gifts toward all that God is preparing TCBC to do.

Gifts given to the Plan for Growth Fund will be used in the following ways:

- To pay off TCBC's remaining loan obligation that resulted from the purchase of 804 W. Michigan in 2007.
- To set aside fiscal resources for Plan for Growth initiatives including:
 - ⇒ Seed money for preliminary activities related to launching a second site.
 - ⇒ Further development of our Lincoln/Michigan (L/M) site as guided by our Plan for Growth recommendations.
 - ⇒ Acquiring new property: either at our L/M location or at a second site location.
 - ⇒ Other programs, staffing, equipment, and miscellaneous needs related to the Plan for Growth initiatives.

Terms of Use:

- The Plan for Growth Fund is not an endowment. The fund will be utilized for Plan for Growth initiatives.
- Recommendations for the use of these funds will come from discussions between the leaders of the Plan for Growth workgroups, the Executive Committee, TCBC's Treasurer, Business Administration (BA) chair and Ministry Board.
- If a new, comprehensive capital campaign fund is created in the future to advance TCBC's vision, any remaining funds in the Plan for Growth fund will be transferred to this new fund.

How to give a gift to the TCBC Plan for Growth Fund:

- Checks should be made out to "TCBC," marked for the "Plan for Growth Fund."
- If you have any questions, or wish to give a gift of stocks or other assets, please contact:
TCBC Treasurer: Steve Michels (smichels14@gmail.com - #217-352-1943)
Or contact the church office: Kris Hamblin (khamblin@tcbc.cc - #217-344-0641)