

# THE HARVEST ENDOWMENT

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AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCHES OF PENNSYLVANIA AND DELAWARE

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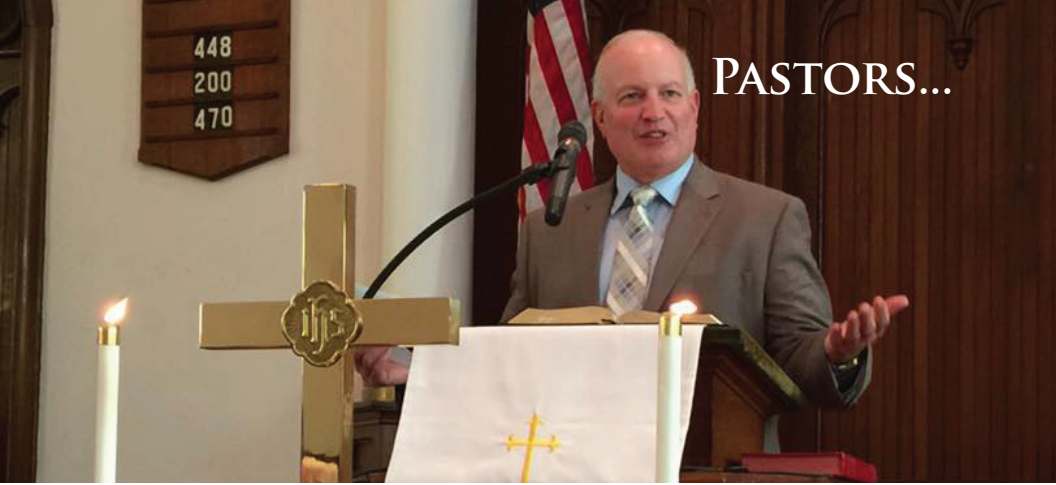
*In all my prayers for you,  
I always pray with joy because of your partnership.  
Philippians 1:4*

God gifts and gives vision for ministry to His People, and it is through God's People that the Kingdom is built. ABCOPAD's vision includes building healthy and vital partnerships with our local congregations, pastoral leaders, and our American Baptist Family.

*The Harvest Endowment* was established to support the vision of the *American Baptist Churches of Pennsylvania and Delaware (ABCOPAD)* by providing current financial resources for our regional partners today while securing long-term assets for their future. The Harvest Endowment is comprised of four distinct funds, they include:

- **Equipping God's Called Fund**
- **Discipling A New Generation Fund**
- **Serving As God's Hands and Feet Fund**
- **Growing As God's People Fund**

A small portion of each gift will go towards ABCOPAD's current needs and expenses, to help offset the costs of delivering these services.



PASTORS...

## EQUIPPING GOD'S CALLED FUND

As pastors, godly men and women are called to come alongside the flock and be encouraging, teachers, and living examples of what it means to be a committed follower of Jesus Christ. *ABCOPAD* is committed to supporting these shepherds that God has raised up.

The **Equipping God's Called Fund** will provide help to enable the following:

- **Leadership & Development Training**
- **Education & Credentialing**
- **Pastoral & Interim Ministry Placement**
- **Spiritual & Financial Health**
- **Networking**

Supporting our pastors is vital to the success of ministry because they provide the leadership and guidance needed for those they serve.

STUDENTS...



## DISCIPLING A NEW GENERATION FUND

*ABCOPAD* is here to serve and support our youth and young adults. By teaching them about God's love, we hope they will become active disciples for Christ.

The **Discipling a New Generation Fund** will provide support in the following key areas.

- **Youth Leadership Training**
- **Mentoring & Networking**
- **Scholarships**
- **Youth Programming**

We call on you to help us support and develop the future leaders of tomorrow.



## SERVING AS GOD'S HANDS AND FEET FUND

To further reveal Jesus through education, humanitarian services, and Baptist leadership, *ABCOPAD* has created this fund to help spread the Baptist mission across the world.

The **Serving As God's Hands and Feet Fund** will provide support in the following key areas.

- **Community Development Project**
- **Training & Education**
- **Vocational Development**
- **Church Planting**
- **Disaster Relief**

Supporting these endeavors will allow Christ's witness to be evident at home and around the globe.

# CONGREGATIONS...



## GROWING AS GOD'S PEOPLE FUND

Our congregations have a common mission: to reach people for the Kingdom of God and develop disciples, who in turn will bring others into God's Kingdom. As a regional partner *ABCOPAD* is committed to partnering with our local congregations to help them grow and mature.

The **Growing As God's People Fund** will provide support in the following key areas.

- **Evangelism & Discipleship Training**
- **Pastoral Searches**
- **Stewardship Development**
- **Conflict Mediation**

As this fund grows it will allow our congregational partners to remain healthy and vibrant.

## WAYS TO GIVE

GIVE. RECEIVE. SUPPORT

*ABCOPAD Foundation* has partnered with the *American Baptist Foundation (ABF)* to provide planned giving and other creative stewardship opportunities for those wishing to support *The Harvest Endowment* and its supported funds.

In addition to cash, there are a variety of gift options for you to consider, including:

- **Bequests through your will**
- **Gifts of stock or marketable securities**
- **Gifts of Life Insurance**
- **Gifts that pay income back to you**
- **Real Estate**

Together with your tax advisor or attorney, the *ABCOPAD Foundation* and *ABF* will aim to find the best gift plan for you, your loved ones and your passions.

### ***We Value Your Partnership***

As a way of saying thank you, supporters of this endowment will be included in the **ABCOPAD Legacy Society**. If you desire for your gift to remain anonymous, please let us know.

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