



Make Plans to Give Today!

To talk to the Pastor or a member of the Endowment Committee about Legacy Giving* contact:

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*Any discussion with the Pastor or the Endowment Committee about Legacy Giving will be held in strict confidence.

First Baptist Church Endowment

Established in the 1990's, the First Baptist Church Endowment is vital to the ongoing ministry, service and outreach of First Baptist in our community and world.

The Endowment Committee that oversees this ministry works to ensure that all gifts honor the wishes of each individual donor.

The options for legacy giving can be tailored to your individual desires and circumstances.

The Pastor or any member of the Legacy and Endowment Giving Committee is ready to talk to you in confidence about ways that you can extend your generosity and support for First Baptist Church beyond your lifetime.



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Legacy and Endowment Giving

Planting trees for others to enjoy



Why Legacy Giving?

God has generously blessed us. Anything we give, in whatever form, is in response to those rich blessings.

Legacy Giving allows you to continue your support of First Baptist beyond your lifetime.

Your gifts can continue to make a difference for years to come.

As First Baptist nears its 200th Anniversary, plan now to help our ministry move forward for God in the next 100 years.

Ways to Participate

Your individual needs and estate planning goals will determine the type of giving that best suits your circumstances. The Pastor or a member of the Endowment Committee can talk with you in confidence about the various categories of giving.

Most gifts to First Baptist Church are made without restrictions on their use, allowing the church to apply the gifts where the need is greatest.

Memorial Gifts and Designated Gifts can also be made to either honor the memory of a loved one, or in support of a ministry of the church, such as music, missions or the Pastoral Residency.

For donors who want to direct a gift toward a particular purpose, the Endowment Committee will work to find ways to associate the gift with a special interest, keeping in mind the church's overall needs.

For specific planning or tax advice, you need to consult an attorney or tax professional. The Endowment Committee and the Pastor are unable to give legal or tax advice.

How to Give

- **Current Gifts of Appreciated Assets** - such as real estate or securities and gifts of cash or other assets
- **Bequests** - a gift made in your will, either a specific dollar amount, a specific asset, or a percentage of your overall estate.
- **Retirement Plan Assets** - a specific dollar amount or percentage of the amount remaining in your retirement account at your death.
- **Life Insurance** - designating the church to be the beneficiary of an existing policy.
- **Charitable Gift Annuity** - where you fund an annuity that gives you income for life with the remainder going to the church.
- **Charitable Remainder Trust** - where your gift goes into a trust that pays you income during your lifetime, with the remainder going to the church.