



CHANGED BY JESUS - EMPOWERED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT - BOLDLY FOLLOWING GOD INTO THE WORLD

“And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work.” 2 Corinthians 9:8

May 5, 2023

Dear Friends,

We serve a Generous God! Our Lord abundantly lavishes His blessings, provisions and above all His Grace upon His people without limit. We then, in turn, can transform His generosity into “every good work” which brings glory to His Name and advances His Kingdom. That is why Newton Covenant Church is truly a generous church made up of generous people. Our generosity is an echo of God’s generosity!

During the coming fiscal year, as a church we have many opportunities to abound in every good work – some as a continuation of ongoing ministries and others as foundational for the future, particularly as we hire a Next Generation Pastor. We look to the Lord to provide all the resources that we need to accomplish this. And the Lord prompts His people to follow His model of generosity to fulfill His mission at Newton Covenant Church.

Our Leadership Team and the various Ministry Teams, along with our Pastoral staff work diligently at being wise stewards of the financial and personal resources which the men and women of our church so generously provide through the year. We seek to set realistic and achievable goals to apply these resources. One important way we do this is to ask people to pledge how much of their personal or family finances they will generously contribute to Newton Covenant Church between July 2023 and June 2024.

Our pledges are not enforceable contracts, yet they do represent a sacred undertaking in which we seek the Lord’s direction. So, please in the coming weeks, take time to thank God for His generosity, to pray for wisdom in how you can reflect this in your giving, and then to decide what amount you believe you can generously provide this coming year. We have two ways for pledges to be submitted. You may fill out your pledge online at www.newtoncovenant.org/pledge. Or you may complete the enclosed pledge form that you can fill out and mail back to the office or drop in the offering box.

Your generosity magnifies God’s generosity as together we abound in every good work!

In Christ,

Garrett Smith
Lead Pastor

Frank Tully
Director of Stewardship

Jeff Carnes
Director of Finance