



the north central
FOUNDATION
church revitalization & church multiplication

Motivated by our shared gospel mission and deep biblical convictions, our NCD Board of Directors has established **the North Central Foundation**.

The goal of this new initiative is simple:
to provide **ministry grants** to NCD congregations for the purpose of church revitalization and church multiplication.

Over the next five years, we hope to raise and give away \$1,000,000 for this project. Our district has never done something quite like this; please **pray with us** as we move forward together.

Likewise, we know that this a modest investment. Much more is needed to **strengthen existing churches and start new ones**.

Foundation grants will **only be given to NCD churches**, and could be used to help fund strategic ministry actions like

- **pastoral residents and ministry interns**
- **church assessment and peacemaking support**
- **new church plants and church planting residents**
- **all people initiatives and evangelism training**
- **leadership retreats and preaching workshops**
- **AV equipment, facility renovation, etc.**

We will invite pastors and church leaders to invest in this project. We **need your partnership** and invite your sacrificial financial support.

You can find more information and suggest possible grant recipients at **ncdefca.org/foundation**.

For what will the North Central Foundation make grants?

Funds from the North Central Foundation are given for the purpose for church revitalization and church multiplication.

How will the North Central Foundation be funded?

Funds will come from primarily from individual donors and the sale of church property the district might receive in the event of a church closure. We will also accept gifts made by our congregations.

How large is the NCD Foundation?

Our initial goal is to raise and distribute \$1 million to NCD churches over the next five years.

Who can receive grants from the North Central Foundation?

Only NCD churches in good standing are eligible to receive grants.

What are the grant sizes we can expect to see from the foundation?

We generally anticipate grants to be from \$1,000-\$20,000, though smaller or larger grants may also be considered.

How will recommendations for grants be received?

Recommendations can come from NCD church leaders, members, or district staff. We invite you to prayerfully look around our NCD family, see where God is at work, and encourage us to join in through a grant.

Can our congregation apply for a grant?

Not directly, but someone else can make a recommendation on your behalf.

Who controls the foundation and how will funds be distributed?

The NCD board will approve all grants at least quarterly and funds will be distributed by NCD staff with oversight from the NCD board.