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BEYOND THESE WALLS

What it is and how it works

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Beyond These Walls (BTW) was a three-year initiative to eliminate the mortgage on Chapel Hill Church's physical campus and redeploy debt-service funds into service for God... investing those newly available resources into ministry beyond the walls of our church.

MAKE DISCIPLES

We will focus on evangelism, host Alpha courses, empower members and plant new worshipping communities to meet the needs of Port Orchard, Kitsap County, and beyond.

SEND LEADERS

We will raise up church-planting interns to multiply faith communities, help people recognize their call to ordained pastoral ministry and respond to it, and develop new approaches to pastoral training.

LOVE OUR NEIGHBORS

We will empower local and regional organizations and equip our people to show the love of Jesus Christ to our South Sound neighbors.



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Beyond These Walls enables Chapel Hill to generously live out God's call for making disciples, sending leaders, and loving our neighbors. In doing so, we're guided by the words of the apostle Paul in Romans 13:8: "Owe no one anything, except to love each other."

You can be a part of this ongoing commitment!

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HOW IT WORKS

Now that our debt is retired, the annual budget reserves 15% of our general fund to go “beyond these walls”. Chapel Hill has established a process to evaluate BTW investment proposals and to assess those approved.

The Session (the body of elected, governing Elders) of Chapel Hill has appointed an Advisory Committee to screen opportunities, review existing projects, and cultivate future opportunities. The committee reports directly to the Executive Council of the Session.



Each year, we will make specific BTW investment decisions for the coming fiscal year, while keeping a reserve for opportunities that arise during the year.

To ensure our investments align with Chapel Hill’s mission and the BTW mission to make disciples, send leaders, and love our neighbors, the program is administered through five distinct funding categories.



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“Thank you for being a wonderful servant leader and nurturing all that can be good for our local community. We appreciate and value you at Chapel Hill!”
 -YMCA Seymour Scholars program

Category	Mission & Purpose	Guiding Scripture	Examples
Faith-based Initiatives	Investing in community organizations in alignment with our beliefs through large, pledged gifts of significant impact.	Matthew 25:34-40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •YMCA Seymour Scholars •Tacoma Rescue Mission •FISH Food Bank
Community Initiatives	Supporting community organizations with whom we share alignment in community impact regardless of belief system.	Jeremiah 29:7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Local service clubs •Nonprofits •Peninsula School District •Municipal projects
Evangelistic Initiatives	Growing evangelical opportunities through various environments with the purpose of advancing the Kingdom of God.	Matthew 28:19, Acts 1:8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Alpha •Church planting •Training/sending leaders •Livestream resources
Member Empowerment Grants	Providing smaller grants to Chapel Hill member-led initiatives.	Acts 2:44-45, 1 John 3:18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •LifeGroup-initiated ministry opportunities •Empowerment Groups (Street Ministries, Comfort Quilters, Fellowship of Christian Athletes)
EPC Church Grants (Evangelical Presbyterian Church)	Providing high-impact/“tipping point” grants to EPC churches, typically in the Pacific Northwest.	Galatians 6:9-10, Acts 4:32	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Logos Presbyterian Church