

First Baptist Church of  
Haddonfield, New Jersey

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*On Our 200th Anniversary*

**BRIDGE TO  
THE FUTURE**  

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**ENDOWMENT**

*In partnership with*



American Baptist  
**FOUNDATION**

## First Baptist Church of Haddonfield, NJ

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In a mission that is local and global, we will introduce others to a relationship with Christ. We will grow in our relationship with Him, grow in our relationships with one another, and grow in our service to others. (1999 Constitution)

### Bridge to the Future Endowment

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The *Bridge to the Future Endowment* was established to provide an ongoing funding source for the future of church ministries beyond the annual budget. In 2017 First Baptist Church of Haddonfield completed self-evaluation, goal setting and task implementation including a Task Force Planning For Our Future. Throughout 2018 we celebrated and appreciated our 200th anniversary. We were led to see the need for a systematic plan to ensure that the ministry of FBC, both local and global, would continue for another 200 years. Thus the Bridge to the Future Endowment was born.

In the words of the Rev. Dr. Michael Feicht, retired pastor of FBC *"We have done a year of self evaluation, goal setting and task implementation. You have a mission. I challenge you to be a part of what God is doing at and through The First Baptist Church of Haddonfield in a mission that is local and global."*

This endowment will support current and new ministries through the following areas;

- **Our Ministry**
- **Our Youth**
- **Our Community Outreach**
- **Our Global Outreach**

## Our Ministry

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The following programs enable us to maintain and develop our ministry center where members worship and grow their faith:

- The First Asian Baptist Church
- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Brass & the Beat rehearsals
- Philadelphia Handbell Ensemble
- We also serve many other civic non-profit groups

“...plans to prosper and not to harm you.

Plans to give you hope and a future”.

Jeremiah 29:11 NIV





## Our Youth

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There are many opportunities for youth. Youth assist in worship and engage in many church activities. This ministry was established to provide financial support for multiple youth centered ministries including:

- Youth programs and events
- Educational Scholarships
- Camperships
- Boy Scouts





## Our Community Outreach

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This ministry will support the Haddonfield community by providing financial assistance to some organizations such as:

- Cathedral Kitchen
- Covenant House
- Urban Promise
- Interfaith Homeless Outreach Council
- Haddonfield Council of Churches
- Crop Walk
- The Baptist Riverview Estates, and much more.

Urban Promise friends



## Our Global Outreach

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This ministry was established to help support on-going and future global missions such as:

- India Medical trip
- Rwanda Medical and Dental Mission
- China Cultural Tour
- Feed My Starving Children



## Ways to Give

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Your financial commitment is important for the initiatives supported by the *Bridge to the Future Endowment*. First Baptist Church of Haddonfield has teamed up with *American Baptist Foundation (ABF)* to provide these and other creative “planned giving” options.

In addition to cash gifts, we strongly encourage other ways to give, and embrace:

- Gifts through Wills and Bequests
- Gifts of Stock
- Life Insurance designations
- Real Estate and Other Property
- Charitable Trusts and Gift Annuities

Together, we can find the best gift plan to benefit you, your loved ones and our community.

### **In Appreciation**

As our way of saying thank you, supporters of this endowment will be included in the FBC of Haddonfield Legacy Society. If you desire that your gift be anonymous, please let us know.