



## Committed Here. Called There. Frequently Asked Questions

Thank you very much for your interest in our **Committed Here. Called There.** Campaign and **2020 Vision!**

We thought it might be helpful to address some of the questions about this campaign. If we still haven't answered your questions, please [contact us](#).

### **Why are we conducting this campaign?**

The purpose of this campaign is to expand and ensure that the ministry of The Chapel continues in the future by being Committed Here. (taking care of existing campuses) and being Called There. (expanding our reach).

### **How long will the campaign last?**

As we are a church that is not about money, we do not want to drag out this campaign for a long time. So, after April 9, we will no longer talk about the financial aspect of this campaign. However, we will occasionally update you on the different projects and how God is using your support to make an impact in our community and world.

### **I am ALL IN - How do I make my commitment?**

Commitments can be made as a one-time gift or over three years (each week, each month or each year).

The easiest way to make a commitment is to fill out the commitment card in the center of our Campaign brochure ([click here](#) to request a copy). Just fill out the form in the center and place your card in one of our giving boxes or displays.

You can also mail your card to The Chapel - Committed Here. Called There. 4444 Galloway Road, Sandusky OH 44870.

After that, you can just start giving to the campaign. All donations are tax deductible.

### **Which way to give is most beneficial to the church?**

After you filled out your commitment card, there are several ways to give. We have listed them starting with the lowest fees for the church to maximize the impact:

- 1) Cash
- 2) Check made out to "The Chapel"
- 3) Credit Card via [Chapel Website](#) or App (The Chapel – OH)

You can place your gifts in an envelope in the atrium display or a giving box. You can also mail them to our office.

### **When should my commitment start?**

You can start your commitment at anytime. Most people have started their commitment on April 1, but this is completely between you and God.

**Would it be helpful to make the gift of my pledge early?**

Yes. Due to the immediate need of some of the projects we would like to address, we do need a certain amount of money upfront to get started. However, gifts over the full three years are equally important and beneficial.

**Is this gift on top of my regular giving?**

Yes, this gift is an additional sacrificial gift that will be designated specifically for the purpose & projects of the 2020 Vision.

**Who will see my commitment/donations?**

We take your financial security very seriously. We are also always careful not to mix spiritual development and financial matters. As such, we as The Chapel have a clear firewall between our pastoral staff and your donations. So, unless you tell them directly, none of our pastors or staff members outside our finance team will know about any incoming gifts.

**Can I make a gift of stock?**

Yes. Some people find it advantageous to give appreciated securities affording them the benefit of a tax deduction for the full value of the security without paying capital gains. Contact the church office ([click here](#)) for further information.

**Is there a matching gift option?**

Yes. Thanks to a generous gift, all commitments from first time givers will automatically double their impact by being matched dollar for dollar up to \$100,000. Commitments need to be received before April 9 to be eligible for the match.

**Can I give to a specific project as part of the campaign?**

Unfortunately, we are only able to collect giving for the overall Committed Here. Called There. campaign and all its projects. Special designations on the memo line cannot be honored due to IRS regulations. However, you can always put a sticky note on the check if there is a specific project that you would like for us to consider as a priority.

**How can I see what I have given so far?**

Simply log on to your InFellowship account ([click here](#)) to view your current commitments and giving.

**Can I change my commitment in case my life situation changes?**

Yes. We understand that life changes. Therefore, you can change your commitment at anytime over the next three years. Please make sure to let us know as we are using your commitments to plan our projects and decisions as we move forward.

**Can I change my commitment from a previous campaign (Multisite, etc.)?**

Yes. Just let us know your intentions and change your designation from your InFellowship account.

**Where can I find more information?**

Further information is available on [TheChapel.tv/2020](#) or from our Chapel App (The Chapel – OH).