



New Church Planter Goodwill Covenant

*We are excited to begin this journey with you!
The days ahead are going to be filled with promise, challenges, and victories!*

As a CP&D Board, we commit:

1. To grant you permission to plant a new church in Alabama.
2. To lift you up in prayer consistently. Without prayer we fail.
3. To provide a coach for you that you can relate to. He will walk with you during the first 12 months of your journey and assist you in dreaming and strategic planning.
4. To be available at all times for assistance and support.
5. To encourage, enrich, and empower you for the task that God has given you. We want to make it as easy as possible for you to succeed.

If you receive funding from CP&D

6. To give support financially as funds are available to church plants that have submitted a funding application and have been approved.

As a New Church Planter, you commit:

1. To be on the TEAM as a minister in good standing by, supporting Sectional and Network ministries, tithing regularly, and promoting healthy relationships.
2. To give to AG missions projects and missionaries.
3. To meet regularly with my assigned coach to strategize and grow in my vision.
4. To not seek people from other AG churches in the area. Go for the lost, unchurched, dechurched, and maintain a healthy relationship with area churches.
5. To not solicit staff from other Alabama AG churches without getting permission from their pastor first. This is to avoid any appearance of misconduct and build a healthy relationship with area pastors.
6. To complete and return monthly reports before the 10th of each month to the CP&D Director.

If you receive funding from CP&D:

7. After your sixth month of public launch, give 5% from our church's undesignated offerings/tithes (50% of our tithe) to CP&D to reinvest in the next generation of church planters until the amount invested has been returned. Then, give a minimum of 2% to reinvest in the next generation of church planters.

CP&D Director _____ Date _____

CP&D Regional Representative _____ Date _____

New Church Planter _____ Date _____