



Partnering Church Expectations

A Partnering Church is strongly encouraged to:

- A. Pray that God will raise up church planters from their local church and/or bring church planters to their local church.
- B. Foster and develop a culture that recognizes church planters as missionaries celebrating the ministry of multiplying churches
- C. Pray for the church planter and the entire ministry in multiple ways

Other possible partnership agreements could include

- 1. Provide “soft money” in the form of office space, use of a copier, paper goods and other office equipment (as feasible).
- 2. Invite people of their congregation to prayerfully consider being part of the church planting core.
- 3. Invite the church planter to recruit from their congregation, while also giving counsel regarding those who it may be wise not to approach.
- 4. Coordinate with the sponsoring church for the provision of pastoral care opportunities (Pastors and Spouses’ Retreat, Camp Meeting, District Assembly, etc.)