

MOMENTUM

Philippians 1:6: "...he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion..."

Momentum Overview

We have reached the halfway mark of Momentum, First Baptist Church of Lee's Summit's 2-year discipleship and generosity initiative.

Primary Goal: 100% Engagement

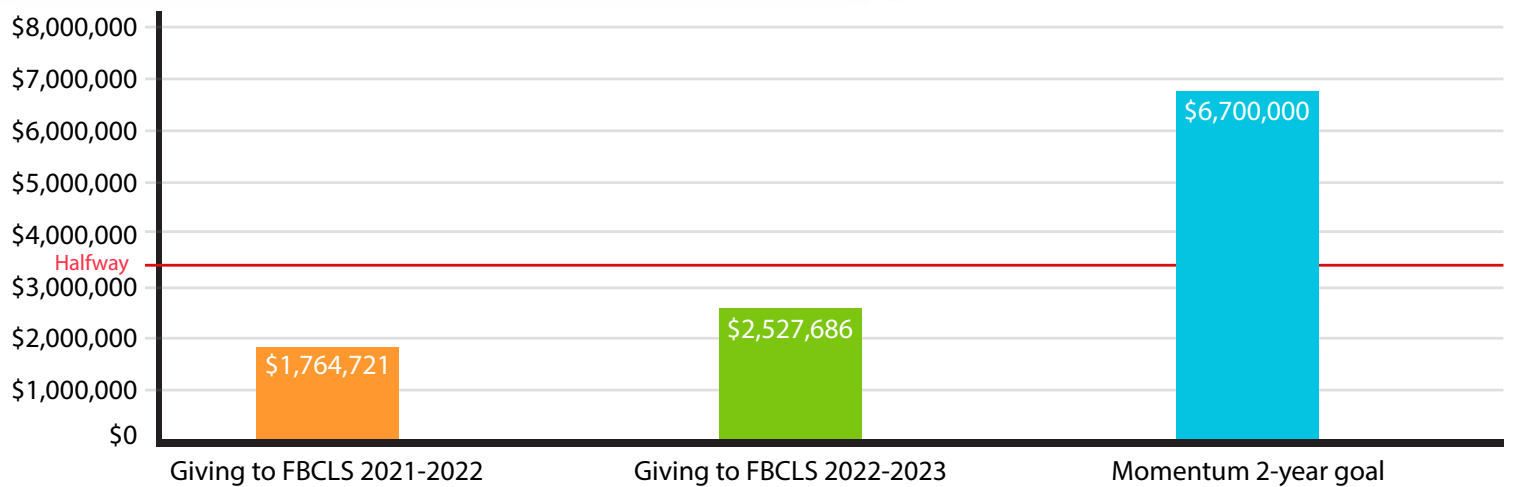
We want our people to grow in faith and generosity. We want every person at FBCLS to engage in the initiative to experience a life-changing encounter with God.

Financial Goal: \$6.7 Million over two years

- ▀ **Forward Momentum** - \$3.7 million for Ministry. We will continue to share the Gospel through the regular ministries of the church: preschool ministry, kids ministry, student ministry, young adult ministry, worship and discipleship programs, support groups, staff, salaries, utilities, and other ongoing ministries.
- ▀ **Outward Momentum** - \$500,000 for Missions. We will continue to support and expand the church's missions and outreach efforts: new initiatives to minister to the people who live and work near the church facility, enhanced efforts to serve and reach our community, ongoing generosity with multiple Kingdom-impacting ministries (including partnerships in Guatemala and Cuba, Hillcrest, Lee's Summit Social Services, ReHope, Blue River KC Association, the SBC International Mission Board, and CBF Global Missions).
- ▀ **Upward Momentum** - \$2.5 million for facility improvements. We will raise a significant portion of the funds needed for the work that is now underway to renovate our worship center, lobby and kitchen (a \$4.54 million dollar project). These changes to our facility will enhance our ability to reach people in our community – today, and well into the future.



Momentum Generosity Progress Report



We've seen significant growth in giving in year one of our Momentum emphasis, with record giving that far surpasses previous years. The generosity of the church family has made it possible for our church to make an impact in remarkable ways in the past year as we have worked together to Love God, Love People, and Make Disciples. However, we are far short of the halfway mark of our God-sized two-year financial goal. Though ministry and missions are fully funded, without a significant increase in giving in year two, we will have to borrow more than we hoped to complete our facility renovation.

In the days ahead, we are asking every person, every household, every family that is part of FBCLS to seek God together and do what he says for year two of our Momentum emphasis. If you haven't already turned in your anniversary pledge card, we would love for you to do so as we invite you to help us build momentum by saying one of three things:

1 Keep On Going

I want to affirm my previous commitment to Momentum, and say to God, and to my church family, that you can count on me to continue to do my part in seeing God's plans for the church come to pass.

2 Go the Extra Mile

I want to expand my previous commitment to Momentum and take yet another step of faith in my personal generosity.

3 Get Started

I want to make a new commitment to Momentum. I wasn't part of the journey in year one, but I don't want to miss the chance to be part of what God has planned for the rest of the journey.

