Looking Ahead
Securing the Future of Your Institution
Through Planned Giving

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Agenda

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Serving Those Who Serve
Educational Ministry

• Non-profit
• Faith Based
• Inspiring and facilitating Biblical stewardship and generosity in planned giving (wills and trusts)
• Legal education / not legal advice
• Ministry / not a law firm
• Turnkey – from promotion to education to documents to shepherding gifts to the charity

Co-op

• Shared Cost Model
• Part-time Staff / like an expert staff focused on planned giving
• 150+ Partners
• Scrivener Service
• 3rd Party Provider
• Partnership / not vendor
• Ability to train your staff
• 47:1 (industry standard 4:1)

Proven Model

• Currently over $1 million a day in expectancies
• 50,000 members
  • 96% Satisfaction Rate
  • 6,000+ families served in 2023
• $2.7 Billion in expectancies
• Member of Christian Legal Society
• 500 educational events annually
• Document creation and lifetime updates
Grasping the Potential
The Great Wealth Transfer is the transfer of wealth from Baby Boomers to Generation X and Millennials. It's estimated that $84 trillion in assets will be passed down between 2023 and 2045.
The Great Wealth Transfer is underway, and 15% of American adults expect to receive an inheritance in the next decade. The primary methods of transferring wealth are gifting during lifetime or leaving an inheritance at death. As of 2023, individuals can transfer up to $12.92 million without incurring any federal estate taxes.
Tithe from my Dad’s estate. I could not think of a better place to send it.

$40,000
Funding Estate Gifts

$300,000
Family was nominal inconsistent donor

$80,000
Family had given one gift, under $100

$1,200,000
Family was significant consistent donor, from Spouse’s estate

$10,000
Family was significant consistent donor, gift was from Mom’s estate
### Critical Statistics to Know and Understand

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<td>67%</td>
<td>Most of your constituencies have no end-of-life documents</td>
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<td>2.74</td>
<td>The average estate gift is 2.74 times the cumulative lifetime giving of your donor</td>
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<td>100%</td>
<td>End of life is the <strong>ONLY</strong> time your donors can give from all assets</td>
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4:1
For every dollar you invest today, you should yield at least four dollars in your pipeline

50%
Current donations on average will increase 50%+

95%
95% of all planned gifts are in wills and revocable living trusts
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Launch & Integration
Planned Giving must be Paramount

Ministry First
• Serve your donors, help them take care of their families in a way that honors God

Marketing
• Promote regularly without ever pausing

Commitment
• To the next generation of leaders

Viability
• Communicate your institution will be around for multiple generations

Methodology
• Lawyers / Scrivener Services
  Lawyers: Referrals / In-house
  Scrivener: faith based/secular and non-profit /for profit
Ecclesiastes 1:9
samples/FPM Partners

• Manhattan Christian College (KS)
  https://mccks.edu/about-mcc/partners/estate-planning/

• Central Christian College of the Bible (MO)
  https://cccb.edu/give/estate-planning-webinars

• Concordia University Irvine (CA)
  https://www.cui.edu/giving/how-to-give/estate-planning
Everyone Needs A Plan

Whether you have a lot or a little, having a will or trust in place is one of the most responsible and caring things you can do for the people you love. Attend our free online event and demystify any confusion you have about taking this step. FPM has been helping people like you since 1982.
Overcoming Obstacles
# Common Misconceptions/Mistakes

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<th>7-year itch</th>
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<td>Start – but no gifts after seven years and so you stop</td>
<td>Yes – but 95% will come in</td>
<td>Gift in an estate plan increases current giving</td>
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Figure 1. Average Annual Charitable Donations Before and After Adding Charity to an Estate Plan
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<td>Robust Wills &amp; Living Trust FIRST (95%) – then Irrevocable (5%)</td>
<td>Only 9% will include charity bequest if not asked (4% Faith based)</td>
<td>Celebrate your pipeline / Families served, not gifts received</td>
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Common Misconceptions/Mistakes

Nearsighted
Current year focus only, be passionate about future leaders

Buy In
Total commitment: Board, Leadership Team, Faculty/Staff, Alumni, etc.

Leadership Change
Fad of the current leader, not the organizational commitment / Culture / ethos
Goals
Planned Giving
a decision today for a gift tomorrow

Start (Continue)
Ministry First
Philanthropy Second

Unstoppable Determination
Promote, promote, promote
Commitment to the win-win

Financial Stability
Gifts in the Pipe-line
Gifts being received

Total Buy in from all Stakeholders
Focus on Wills & RLT

Organizational Commitment

Serving Families
The Gifts will come!

Celebrate the Pipeline

Financial Stability
Are you ASKING?

- 60% + have no plan
- 8-9% have a charity named in estate plan
- Less than half is faith-based
- 30 to 40% will do so if they are asked!
Current Consistent Donors (CCD)

• “The $20 a month donor, or the donor who has given faithfully for 15 years, is much more likely to leave a bequest.” Johnson

• “What is your potential? How many $25 a year donors can give $100,000? Solid research verifies that donor loyalty is one of the most reliable predictors of legacy gifts.” Johnson

What is your potential pipeline?

• 100 CCD × $30,000
  • $3,000,000

• 500 CCD × $30,000
  • $15,000,000

• 1,000 × $30,000
  • $30,000,000
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Bonus
Spiritual

“Fundraising is first and foremost a form of ministry.”

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Cart before the Horse
Wills and Revocable Living Trust – First/Priority

95% Simple Bequest/Revocable  5% Irrevocable

Irrevocable Life Insurance Trust (ILIT), Intentionally Defective Grantor Trust (ICGT), Retirement Trust, Qualified Personal Residence Trust (QPRT), Qualified Domestic Trust (QDOT), Beneficiary Defective Inter-Vivos Trust (BDIT), Charitable Remainder Trust (CRT), Charitable Lead Trust (CLT), Charitable Gift Annuities (CGA), Charitable Remainder Unitrust (CRUT), Pool Income Trust (PIT), Retain Life Estate, By-pass Trust, Qualified Terminable Interest Property (QTIP) or (QDOT), Generation-Skipping Trust, Fixed Annuity (GRAT), Variable Annuity (GRUT, Trust Income (GRIT) Right to live in Trust Property (QPRIT), etc.
2,350

Stewardship
Verses in the Bible
Planned Giving vs **WEALTH** not cash Flow

Tell them to use their money to do good. They should be rich in good works and generous to those in need, always being ready to share with others.

1 Timothy 6:18
Purpose of Wealth

• Tithes and Offerings
• Test of Faith
• Provide for our Families
• Hospitality
• Kingdom Expansion