

## ABCUSA MATTHEW 25 GRANT APPLICATION



A generous donor has given a sum of money through American Baptist Churches USA to be used for programs that address "housing, feeding, education and health with regard to the less fortunate." A panel will select recipients for grants of up to \$5,000 largely based on the degree to which the funds will be used to *directly assist persons in poverty*. Ministries must be in a direct relationship with American Baptist Churches USA to be eligible to apply, and only one application per church or Region will be considered per 12 month period. Grant funds may not be used to fund staff positions or for capital improvements to facilities. Grant awards will be sent to the ABC church or Region, checks will not be made payable to an individual or ministry.

1. General Information

Church or Region: New Era Church (NEC)

Region Affiliation with ABCUSA: ABCGI of Greater Indianapolis

Ministry or Group receiving these funds: Food Pantry - NEC

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2. Please submit with your application a copy of:

- Your mission statement.
- A financial statement FOR THIS MINISTRY. This can be a budget or projected budget, and should not exceed 2 pages. Church budgets are not acceptable.

3. Specifically, how do you plan to use the requested funds?

Requested funds will be used to stock the food pantry with non-perishable (and limited perishable) items to be distributed to individuals/families in the community and in need; and help feed children from neighborhood school IPS #42 in our afterschool program.

4. How will the funds assist individuals battling poverty and its effects?

The community in which we serve suffers from high crime rates per capita, disproportionate unemployment and high poverty levels. The food pantry helps provide nutritious food to those who otherwise may not have access or the opportunity to eat.

5. Total cost of the project: \$15,000.00

6. Amount being requested from the ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant: \$5,000.00

7. Your other funding source(s): NEC Budgeted Line Item

I certify that all the information submitted with this application is true and correct, and that we will use any granted funds as described. We will supply a 1-page report on the use of the funds and a photo/photos within six months of receipt of the grant.

Application submitted by: Danielle Franklin

Date: 1 March 2016

Please note:

- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Recipients agree to share their stories via the ABCUSA website.
- Application deadline is March 1 for grants distributed on April 15; September 1 for grants distributed on October 15
- Completed applications should be sent via email to [Tina.Turner@abc-usa.org](mailto:Tina.Turner@abc-usa.org). Only electronic submissions will be accepted.

See the following information and instructions for more details.

## 2016 New Era Church – Food Pantry Budget

<b><u>Program Expenses</u></b>	<b><u>Amount</u></b>
Food (canned goods, boxed items, etc.)	\$10,000.00
Diapers (for babies and the elderly)	\$2,000.00
Paper Products (toiletry items – i.e., tissue, tooth-paste, paper towels, etc.)	\$3,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>



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## **Mission Statement**

We exist to:

**EVANGELIZE**

The lost

**EDIFY**

The saved

**MINISTER**

To those in need and to

Be a

**CONSCIENCE**

In the community