

WHY YOU?

GOD'S WORK INVOLVES GOD'S PEOPLE

We are all aware that a mighty work of God usually involves a collaboration of the people of God. We can recall the miraculous trek from Egypt to the Promised Land; the amazing stance of Esther and Mordecai against Haman; Nehemiah's vision to rebuild the wall of Jerusalem; and countless other stories of God's people coming together to carry out the Lord's plans.

So too with the founding of The Garden Church, Chicago – we can't do it alone. We are pleased and blessed that multiple organizations and individuals have caught the vision for The Garden Church and have made commitments to be a part of this move of God:

- **The Compass Church, Naperville, IL**
- **The Evangelical Free Church Association**
- **The Great Lakes District of the EFCA**
- **Liberty Bible Church, Chesterton, IN**
- **The Pacific Garden Mission, Chicago, IL**
- **The Branch Community Church, Chicago, IL**
- **NewThing Network, Global**
- **The Chicago Partnership**

IS GOD CALLING YOU TO JOIN US?

Now, we humbly extend a request for you to join our team with your commitment and support. There are four areas where you can play a role in making this vision a reality:

1. **Prayer** – commit to lifting this endeavor and team up to the Father on a regular basis
2. **Team Member** – commit to joining the Formation Team or Oversight Team as we engage the Bronzeville community with the hope and love of Jesus Christ
3. **Mini Mission** – commit to being a part of the local congregation for 6, 12, 18, or 24 months as the church gets established
4. **Financial Partner** – commit your financial support to this endeavor as the Holy Spirit would lead you (please note the following ways to engage as a financial partner):

a. Online Payments

To make donations online, use this giving link or the attached QR Code.

1. <https://ppay.co/H0m7xRpyyW0>

b. Paying by Check

The fund number is 158

1. Please make checks payable to Great Lakes District and mail it to: Great Lakes District, PO Box 286, Osceola, IN, 46561
2. Include the notation "Fund #158" in the memo line to indicate the donation is for The Garden Church.

