

We want to share with you what grants have been funded over the recent couple of years. We hope this information will interest you in learning more about the Endowment. Because our fund has been new, the amounts available have been smaller than we hope will be available in the future. Here are the amounts funded over the past couple of years:

1. Solomon Family Solutions (formerly Family Court Services of East TN) requested by our Missions Team \$2,536. Security cameras and monitors were installed in visitation rooms where a parent can have supervised visits with a child.
2. Founder's Chapel Sound System to replace old system that had failed. This has enabled funeral services and Sunday 9:00 service to be held in the Chapel. \$6,600
3. Sanctuary Media Computer – if you were in church last year (2017) on Easter service, you saw what happens in church when that computer fails. Cost to replace \$2,700.
4. Computer Server in church office – partial funding beyond church budget \$2,987.

Rob Dolson recently went out to take pictures of the things we have funded—see below.

Please let us know if you would like information on giving to the Endowment. Call the church office to enroll.



**Solomon Family Solutions**

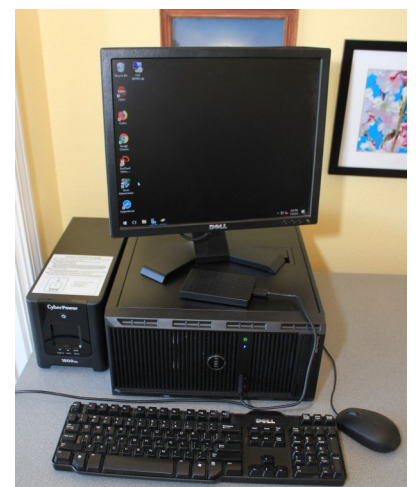
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**Founder's Chapel Sound System**



**Sanctuary Media Computer**



**Office Server**



**ENDOWMENT NEWS** – A grant has been awarded this year for \$9,000 to support Pastor Emily Collins as our first minister in our new Pastoral Residency Ministry Program. Since our church’s budget can cover the cost this year, our grant will be spent next year, only if needed.

## ENDOWMENT NEWS

2020

We recently approved two grant requests for \$2500 each:

**Food Samaritan Center of Loudon County** – toward the partial purchase of a new Van to deliver food supplies. Our church logo will be displayed on the Van along with other sponsors.



**Food Shepherd Center of Monroe County** – toward the partial purchase of a new freezer to be used to increase capacity for storing frozen food.



Notice that each grant is for one-time capital purchases to enhance those ministries.

**ENDOWMENT NEWS - EDUCATION GRANTS AWARDED**

As recently announced in church, the Endowment Panel has awarded a \$5,000 (one-time) grant to each of Alyssa Mckinley and Aubrey Brooks. Both girls are members of our church and graduated from Greenback High School. They have both participated in many church activities, including serving as an acolyte; serving as Vacation Bible School and Sunday School leaders; helping with children's activities such as Trunk or Treat and the Easter Egg Hunt; and other youth activities. Most recently they have assisted in the media booth and the kitchen.

Alyssa will be enrolling as a business major (4-year program) at Bryan College in Dayton, TN this fall. During her high school days Alyssa played basketball and she was good enough to be awarded a basketball scholarship at Bryan.

Aubrey will be enrolling in a one-year program at Tennessee School of Beauty. She plans to study (need copy from Ted)

**ENDOWMENT GRANTS GIVEN****Alyssa McKinley****Aubrey Brooks**

**ENDOWMENT NEWS – SANCTUARY ORGAN ADDITIONS** - The Endowment Panel recently approved a grant request for \$51,850 as partial payment for the Organ Additions in the back of the Sanctuary. You may have seen a recent article from John Orr explaining more about this project. The original design of our Sanctuary organ had dreamed of having these pipes and trumpets to affect a more surround sound, but was postponed because of cost. There were a few additional private designated donations to complete paying for the project.



**ENDOWMENT NEWS-** The year 2020 was not good for the **Crafters** fund raising activities because of the Covid-19 virus. They were not able to give money to the many charities that they usually support. Toward the end of the year, the Endowment panel was asked if we had any funding still available from our annual budget and the answer was Yes. Therefore, we made a \$4,000 grant to the **Crafters** and they have chosen to support several local charities including: Monroe County Senior Nutrition Center, Shelter My heep, Straight Way Ministry, Child Advocacy Center, Good Shepherd Center, and Iva's place.

## Summary of Endowment Grants Given

SOLOMON FAMILY SOLUTIONS – CAMERAS AND MONITORS	\$2,536
FOUNDER’S CHAPEL SOUND SYSTEM- TO ALLOW CHURCH AND FUNERALS	\$6,600
SANCTUARY MEDIA COMPUTER - TO CONTROL LARGE MONITORS	\$2,700
COMPUTER SERVER IN CHURCH OFFICE	\$2,987
PASTORAL RESIDENCY PROGRAM – SUPPLEMENT SALARY BUDGET	\$9,000
GOOD SAMARITAN CENTER – NEW VAN (partial)	\$2,500
GOOD SHEPHERD CENTER – NEW FOOD COOLER (partial)	\$2,500
EDUCATIONAL GRANT – AUBRY BROOKS	\$5,000
EDUCATIONAL GRANT – ALYSSA MCKINLEY	\$5,000
SANCTUARY ORGAN ADDITIONS (partial)	\$51,850
CRAFTERS GRANT	\$4,000