

KAIROS MISSIONS ENGAGEMENT & EQUIPPING FUND

CRITERIA & GUIDELINES

The purpose of this fund is to encourage and equip the Kairos community to live generous, intentional, mission-driven lives as a response to the Lord's grace. The criteria and guidelines described below are meant to push us further in this direction. Pastoral staff or Mission Team members are available to discuss how you or your group might best utilize these resources with this purpose in mind.

A. ENGAGING IN MISSION WORK EXTERNALLY

Engaging in mission work involves a person or group of people discerning where God is at work in their context, finding ways to join that work with their time and resources, and discovering financial needs that could either facilitate the person's/group's connection to that work or assist with the work's impact. The amount of resources available for each request is based on the depth of ministry engagement and breadth of Kairos member involvement.



Engagement Levels:

- I. *Initiating/Establishing the Relationship.* Some examples include...
 - Committed group prayer for the ministry
 - Attendance at several volunteer or fund-raising events/projects per year
 - Learning about the context in which the ministry works and the issues involved
- II. *Committing/Developing the Relationship.* In addition to further development of Level I Engagement activities, some examples include...
 - Active and sustained volunteering throughout the year
 - Participation in leadership roles
 - Making efforts to engage others in the ministry
 - Donating/raising financial resources toward the ministry
- III. *Impact/Experiencing Mutual Benefit in the Relationship.* In addition to further development of Level I & II Engagement activities, this may include...
 - Testimony of ministry impact on individual, group, or larger community