

# Ministry Update

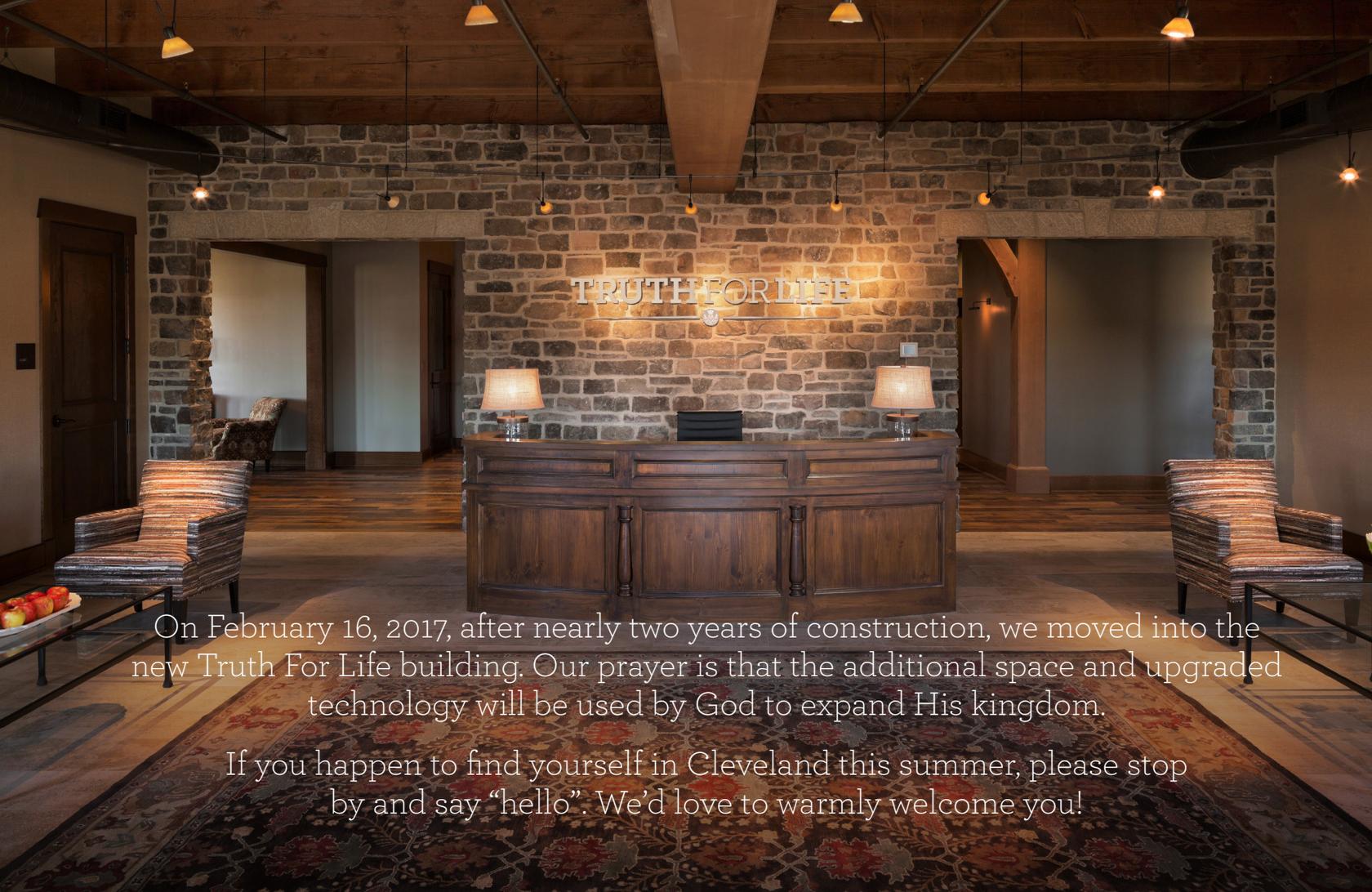
**TRUTHFORLIFE®**

THE BIBLE-TEACHING MINISTRY OF **ALISTAIR BEGG**

The mission of Truth For Life is to teach the Bible with clarity and relevance so that unbelievers will be converted, believers will be established, and local churches will be strengthened.

It's a privilege to partner with you to teach the Bible through Truth For Life. Your giving covers the significant cost of broadcasting Alistair's teaching on the radio and distributing it freely online. We're greatly humbled to work alongside you to bring the Good News of salvation in Christ to people in vast corners of the world.

In appreciation for *all* you make possible, we're pleased to provide you with this mid-year update. Your monthly support in 2017 has already enabled a number of advances that we're excited to tell you about!



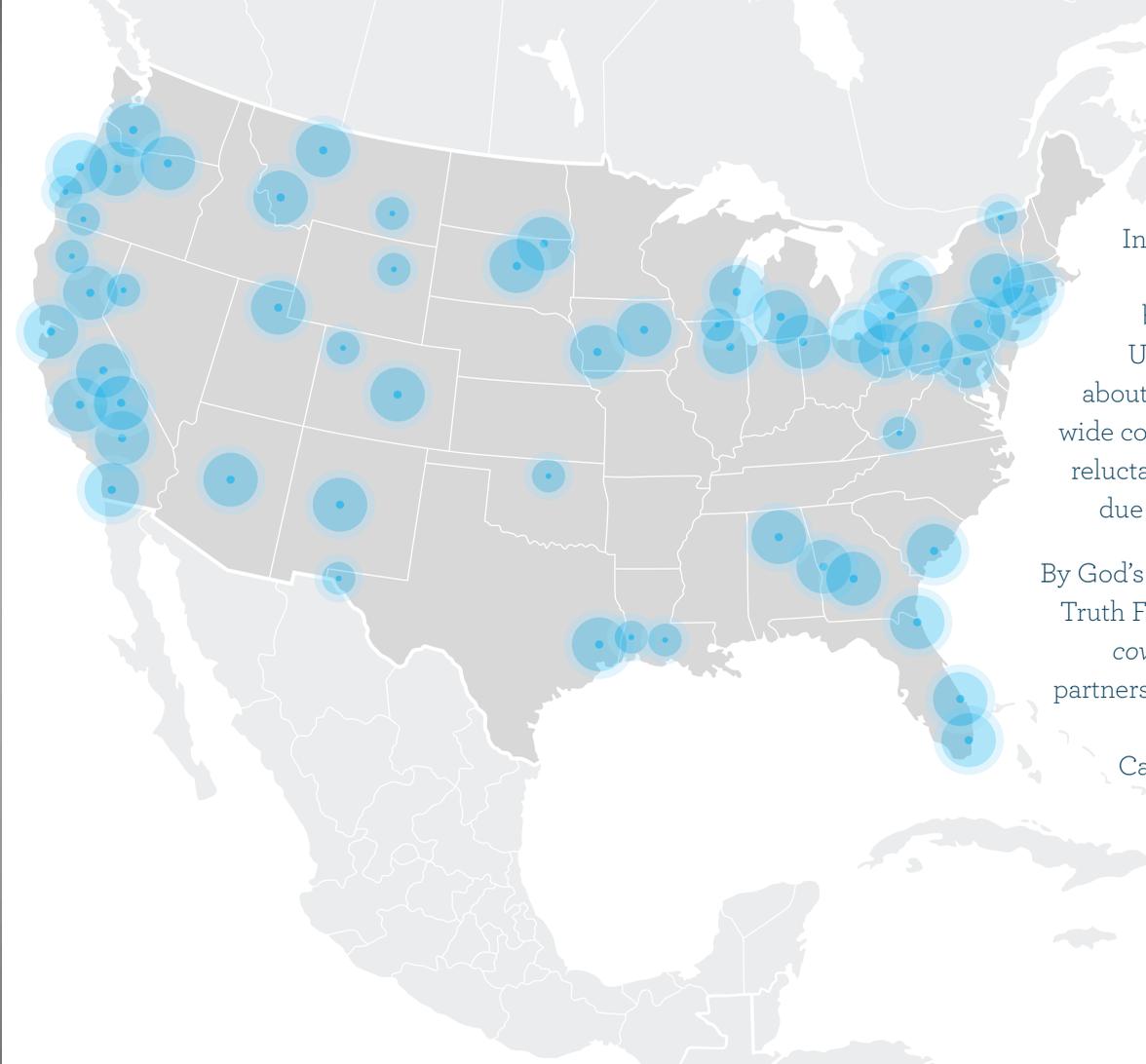
## TRUTH FOR LIFE

On February 16, 2017, after nearly two years of construction, we moved into the new Truth For Life building. Our prayer is that the additional space and upgraded technology will be used by God to expand His kingdom.

If you happen to find yourself in Cleveland this summer, please stop by and say “hello”. We’d love to warmly welcome you!

One of the most exciting aspects of the new building is the full-feature audio studio. The new studio is insulated from exterior sound and equipped with upgraded technology for high quality recording. There is also adjacent space for a video studio that we hope will be operational in the not too distant future.





In April, Family Radio Network became a new ministry partner and began broadcasting Truth For Life in over 50 U.S. cities. We were particularly pleased about this new relationship, which includes wide coverage in New York. Just last year, we reluctantly exited the New York City market due to unsustainable programming costs.

By God's grace, Family Radio Network enables Truth For Life to return to NYC, with *broader coverage*, in a financially viable way. The partnership also expands the program's reach in several existing markets, including California, during prime drive time! We look forward to a long-lasting and fruitful relationship with Family Radio Network.



Each month we receive many letters of appreciation from pastors, college students, missionaries, and those with limited income, who express their gratitude for free online access to Alistair's sermons. We wish we could share all of the letters with you! They're a great encouragement! So, on behalf of many people, a most heartfelt *thank you!*

Sometimes though, it's desirable to have the teaching in hard copy. We continually look for less expensive and more convenient alternatives to traditional CDs and DVDs. Most recently, we've put several popular series on a USB drive. The drives are small enough to hold in the palm of your hand and they can hold as much teaching as 60 CDs! The USB drives can easily be plugged into the USB port in your car or on your computer.

If you're interested in trying one out, you can choose from nine series by calling 1 (888) 588-7884 or by going online to [truthforlife.org/usb](http://truthforlife.org/usb). We'll be looking to add more teaching on USB in the coming months. They're far less costly to purchase than a CD series . . . only \$5 each, including shipping!

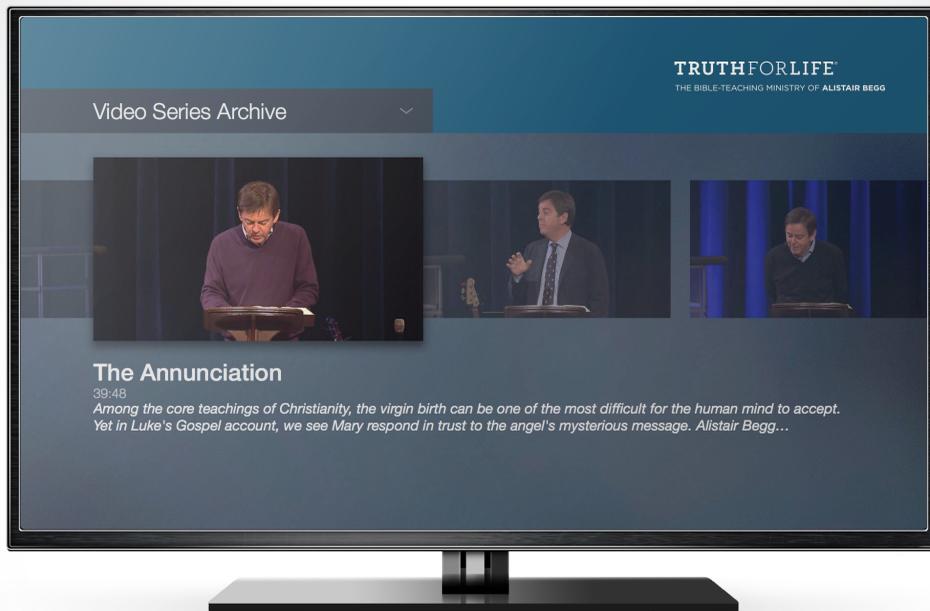


## Listen to Truth For Life on Amazon's Alexa!

If you enjoy listening to music through Amazon's Echo or Echo Dot devices with Alexa, we're thrilled to tell you that you can now hear Truth For Life by saying, ***"Alexa, ask Truth For Life to begin today's program."***

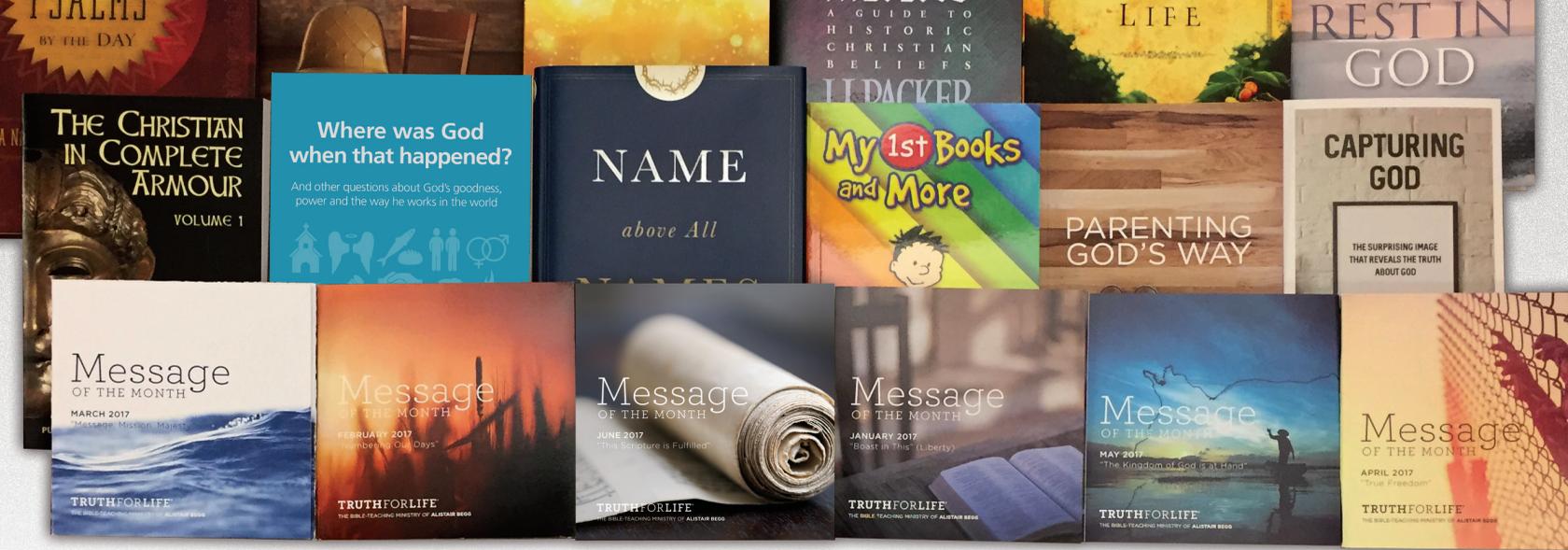
It's a great new way to listen to Truth For Life while at home. In fact, Amazon projects that 8 million people will own an Alexa device by the end of the year, and 40 million by 2020.

To learn more, visit [\*\*\*truthforlife.org/alexa\*\*\*](https://truthforlife.org/alexa).



Since creating a free Truth For Life app for ROKU™ and AmazonFire™ TV back in 2015, we're delighted to see that the number of people watching or listening through these services is steadily increasing. Most recently, we've added over 100 of Alistair's past series to the ROKU and AmazonFire TV menus so that it's easy to watch or listen to a favorite message from the past.

If you subscribe to ROKU or AmazonFire TV but haven't downloaded the Truth For Life app, just search Truth For Life in your menu options. You can learn more at [truthforlife.org/tv](https://truthforlife.org/tv)



We hope that you know how much we value your partnership and your shared passion to see unbelieving people become committed followers of Jesus Christ. In turn, we take very seriously our desire to provide you with a comprehensive library of resources that continually expand your knowledge of God's Word.

In June of 2016, we expanded our monthly offer from one resource to **two**. We simply couldn't pass up the extensive selection of good books to share. Hopefully, you've taken advantage of these carefully and prayerfully chosen books. They're terrific!

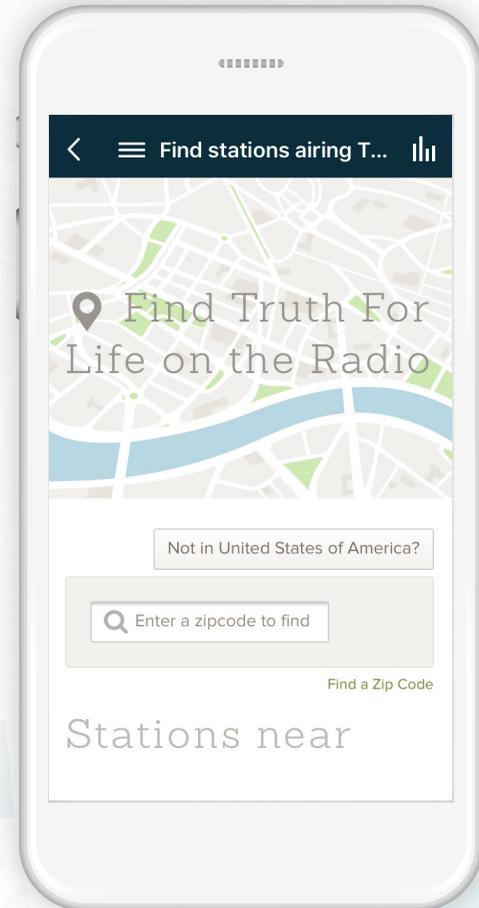
And, request the Message of the Month as well!

(Because of the cost of these resources, we hope you'll understand the need for a minimum monthly support commitment of \$20 or more.)

If you're traveling this summer, the mobile app has recently been upgraded so that you can quickly find the daily program on a radio station in whatever town or city your driving through. Just bring up the app, select "Radio Station Finder" and if your mobile phone's location detector is turned on, the app will automatically populate a list of stations and times to hear Truth For Life.

This is a great way to let the friends and family you're visiting discover how to listen to Truth For Life in their area. As always, the app is a convenient way to hear the daily program.

The Radio Station Finder can also be accessed online at [truthforlife.org/finder](https://truthforlife.org/finder).



In 2016, the Basics Conference was streamed live for the first time at [basicsconference.org](http://basicsconference.org). This year, we broadened the audience by also streaming through Facebook and YouTube.

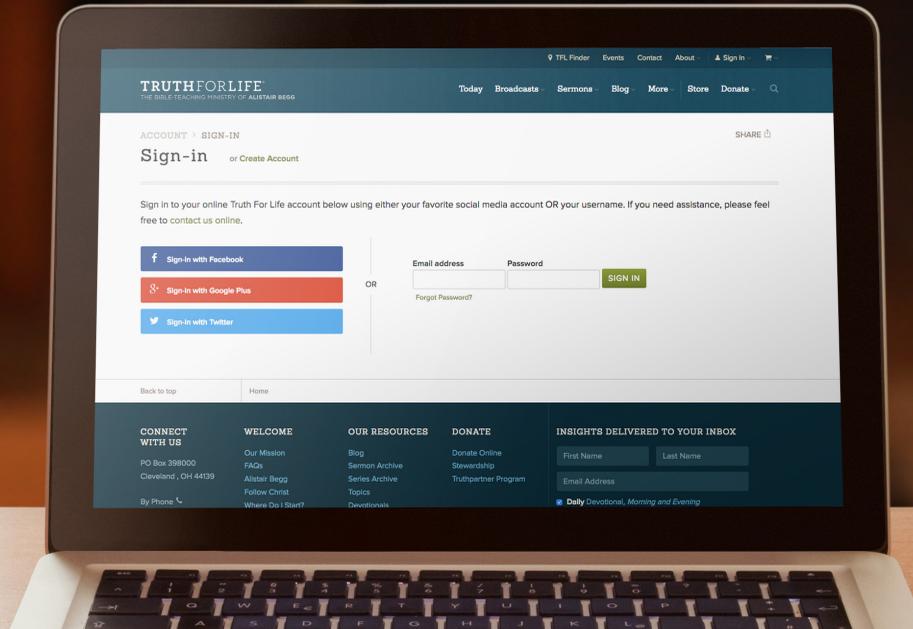
Over 1,200 pastors attended Basics in person and thousands from across the country and around the world were able to participate virtually as a result of your partnership.

We hope that you too were able to find a few minutes to watch some of the sessions. It's an encouraging experience to hear the men lifting up their voices in worship!



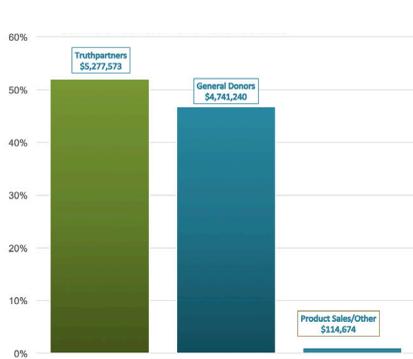
Our Digital Communications and IT teams have been working diligently to upgrade the Truth For Life website so that you can manage your Truthpartner account online.

Shortly, you'll be able to update your giving information, request the monthly resources, and update your personal information at ***truthforlife.org***. We're currently wrapping up final testing and looking to move these changes into production this summer.

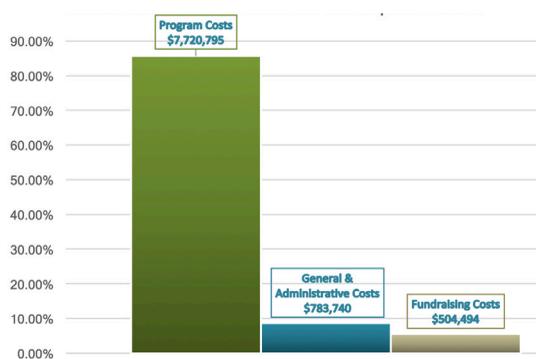


*The following information are the results from your faithful support - thank you.*

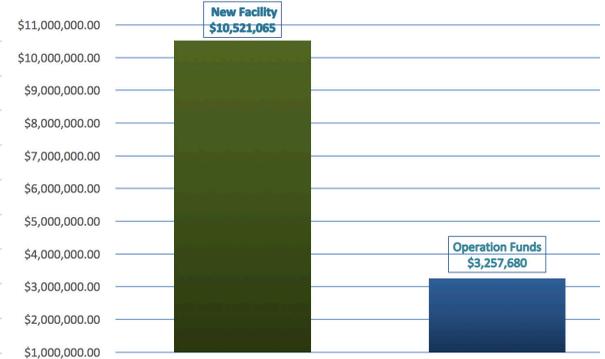
Source of General Fund Revenue 2016



Where General Fund Donations Were Spent in 2016



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Your prayerful partnership helps make all we do possible!

*Thank you.*

With our love in the Lord Jesus,

*Your friends and partners in the Gospel at Truth For Life*



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