

## CHOPS Produce and Palmetto Works win \$30,000 seed capital

Congratulations to Cheryl Moore Adamson, Palmetto Works Community Development Corporation and the CHOPS Produce market for winning \$30,000 in “seed” capital from the South Carolina Community Loan Fund’s “Feeding Innovation” program.

The competitive “Feeding Innovation” grant is part of a healthy food business development program. The South Carolina Community Loan Fund and Clemson University’s Cooperative Extension partner for entrepreneurial training and



This is a screen capture of Rev. Adamson presenting the CHOPS Produce business plan.

business plan development. The participating organizations, each submitting a business plan, compete for grants of \$5,000, \$10,000, or \$30,000.

CHOPS Produce winning business plan includes funds to

re-open the market following pandemic-related closure, to purchase produce and other goods from local African American suppliers, and to help launch new local businesses from within the market.

## Thank you for your generous gifts in a turbulent year

By Jay Kieve, Coordinator

Thank you. You have been amazing. A pandemic-filled, turbulent fiscal year (July 2020-June 2021) did not deter you from investing in Kingdom work through CBFSC and our partners. You can see in this newsletter how you and your church supported the ministries of CBFSC.

Because you gave, people in need of affordable, quality housing in North Charleston and the rural Lowcountry found faith-filled help. Your generosity helped make it possible for Metanoia, Inc. to resume their building of new, and repairing existing, accessible housing.

You also helped form a new rural housing coalition that will leverage the networking ability of CBFSC and housing partners to acquire future resources for affordability and access in four or five rural counties. Thank you.

Because you gave, children in Columbia, Conway,

and Denmark have a faith-based day camp experience this summer. Our covenant missions partners Koinonia of Columbia and Palmetto Works will host camps that inspire children through reading and the arts. The Bethlehem Baptist Union, a new mission grant recipient in Denmark, will teach children life skills, financial literacy, and career exploration in their camp this summer. You bless children across our state with your giving.

**Because you gave, the impact of the pandemic on churches and ministers was mitigated.**

Your generosity helped fund conversations and resources for establishing safe protocols in churches. You made it possible for pulpits to be covered when clergy families were impacted by COVID-19. And you helped fund a retreat for clergy, so they could find rest and renewal in the midst of this demanding season. Thank you!

# Gifts given through CBFSC

Fiscal year July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021

These are gifts given through CBFSC. Some churches may make direct gifts to CBF Global, and to other designated causes.

Church	City	CBFSC	Beverly Greer Offering for State Missions	CBF Global	Global Missions	Other	Total Giving through CBFSC
Augusta Heights Baptist Church	Greenville	\$4,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00	\$4,300.00
Augusta Road Baptist Church	Greenville	\$10,881.67	\$0.00	\$13,299.78	\$100.00	\$0.00	\$24,281.45
Belmont Baptist Church	Columbia	\$1,411.40	\$70.00	\$0.00	\$115.00	\$0.00	\$1,596.40
Boulevard Baptist Church	Anderson	\$39,382.38	\$95.00	\$48,133.97	\$715.00	\$0.00	\$88,326.35
Brunson Baptist Church	Brunson	\$1,793.67	\$795.00	\$2,192.20	\$1,750.00	\$1,010.00	\$7,540.87
Cedar Spring Baptist Church	Spartanburg	\$176.84	\$0.00	\$216.14	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$392.98
Cherokee Avenue Baptist	Gaffney	\$238.50	\$0.00	\$291.50	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$530.00
Chesterfield Baptist Church	Chesterfield	\$3,625.00	\$275.00	\$1,375.00	\$1,110.00	\$0.00	\$6,385.00
Earle Street Baptist Church	Greenville	\$5,107.51	\$0.00	\$6,242.51	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11,350.02
Eau Claire Baptist Church	Columbia	\$3,813.30	\$0.00	\$4,660.70	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,474.00
Fernwood Baptist Church	Spartanburg	\$10,043.00	\$625.00	\$6,696.00	\$350.00	\$0.00	\$17,714.00
First Baptist Church	Belton	\$7,365.11	\$6,022.50	\$2,054.45	\$9,642.50	\$0.00	\$25,084.56
First Baptist Church	Orangeburg	\$17,785.08	\$0.00	\$22,831.20	\$2,325.00	\$0.00	\$42,941.28
First Baptist Church	Clinton	\$4,238.12	\$735.00	\$0.00	\$4,685.00	\$0.00	\$9,658.12
First Baptist Church	Piedmont	\$28.35	\$0.00	\$34.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$63.00
First Baptist Church	Pageland	\$450.00	\$0.00	\$550.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
First Baptist Church	York	\$8,432.02	\$0.00	\$5,336.88	\$1,012.65	\$0.00	\$14,781.55
First Baptist Church	Aiken	\$66,639.08	\$650.00	\$24,030.00	\$4,705.00	\$5,149.99	\$101,174.07
First Baptist Church	Clemson	\$18,450.00	\$0.00	\$22,550.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$41,000.00
First Baptist Church	North Charleston	\$232.20	\$0.00	\$283.80	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$516.00
First Baptist Church	Pendleton	\$8,012.50	\$750.00	\$8,012.50	\$1,892.00	\$1,001.00	\$19,668.00
First Baptist Church	Greenwood	\$14,875.00	\$8,525.00	\$14,425.00	\$13,322.50	\$6,750.00	\$57,897.50
First Baptist Church	Greenville	\$4,000.00	\$10,289.99	\$8,000.00	\$67,775.65	\$1,000.00	\$91,065.64
First Baptist Church	Laurens	\$44,104.48	\$755.00	\$3,782.53	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$48,642.01
First Baptist Church	Denmark	\$0.00	\$220.72	\$0.00	\$288.36	\$0.00	\$509.08
First Baptist Church	Conway	\$2,062.50	\$0.00	\$2,520.87	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4,583.37
First Baptist Church	Anderson	\$23,340.93	\$0.00	\$28,527.81	\$4,405.00	\$0.00	\$56,273.74
First Baptist Church	Gaffney	\$521.96	\$0.00	\$637.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,159.91
First Baptist Church	Easley	\$5,895.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,895.00
Greenlawn Baptist Church	Columbia	\$2,071.09	\$377.50	\$0.00	\$367.50	\$0.00	\$2,816.09
Inman First Baptist Church	Inman	\$20,979.38	\$110.00	\$9,124.63	\$1,105.00	\$0.00	\$31,319.01
Kathwood Baptist Church	Columbia	\$7,975.00	\$910.00	\$3,025.00	\$0.00	\$500.00	\$12,410.00
Lake City First Baptist Church	Lake City	\$12,285.00	\$0.00	\$15,015.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$27,300.00
Lakeview Baptist Church	Camden	\$1,962.80	\$0.00	\$126.59	\$175.00	\$0.00	\$2,264.39
Lawtonville Baptist Church	Estill	\$500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$500.00
Mount Zion Baptist Church	Denmark	\$300.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$300.00
New Hope Christian Fellowship	West Columbia	\$1,225.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,225.00

**OUR MISSION:** We are women and men participating in God’s mission together. We nurture spiritual development, encourage congregations to thrive, and value collaborative and innovative ministry and missions.

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Oakland Baptist Church	Rock Hill	\$28,425.00	\$0.00	\$18,950.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$47,375.00
Palmetto Missionary Baptist Church	Conway	\$805.00	\$0.00	\$495.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,300.00
Pelham Road Baptist Church	Greenville	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
Providence Church	Daniel Island	\$2,025.00	\$3,732.87	\$2,475.00	\$0.00	\$178.50	\$8,411.37
Shaws Fork Baptist Church	Aiken	\$225.00	\$500.00	\$275.00	\$500.00	\$1,250.00	\$2,750.00
St. Andrews Baptist Church	Columbia	\$8,945.84	\$1,137.50	\$10,933.76	\$5,701.26	\$0.00	\$26,718.36
Swift Creek Baptist Church	Hartsville	\$137.43	\$0.00	\$167.97	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$305.40
The Baptist Church of Beaufort	Beaufort	\$8,318.67	\$212.50	\$2,772.87	\$2,502.60	\$6,000.00	\$19,806.64
Tidal Creek Fellowship	Beaufort	\$270.00	\$0.00	\$330.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$600.00
Timberlake Baptist Church	Myrtle Beach	\$1,373.19	\$0.00	\$1,678.30	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,051.49
Trinity Baptist Church	Seneca	\$22,121.64	\$6,423.00	\$27,037.50	\$6,705.00	\$0.00	\$62,287.14
Total Church Giving		\$427,850.64	\$43,211.58	\$319,092.06	\$131,250.02	\$23,139.49	\$944,543.79
Individual Giving		\$38,402.50	\$2,020.00	\$6,021.50	\$50.00	\$250.00	\$46,744.00
<b>TOTAL ALL GIFTS</b>		\$466,253.14	\$45,231.58	\$325,113.56	\$131,300.02	\$23,389.49	\$991,287.79



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**IN CASE YOU MISSED THIS NEWS ON OUR WEBSITE**  
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We have published numerous articles about CBFSC life on our website since our last newsletter in April. Here’s a sampling:

- Koinoina Scholars “Made to Create” by Duke Divinity School student Stephanie Cassell
- A time of new opportunities by moderator Jennifer Rygg, pastor of FBC Pendleton
- In a shortened, smaller VBS, Greenwood FBC kids learned that church is fun
- First Freedom School at Koinonia starts today by Anna Burch of FBC Greenwood
- FBC Anderson’s Baraca radio ministry started in April 1934 by Lawrence Webb
- A Metanoia ‘marathoner’ is leaving by Stacy Brown
- Together for Hope expanding in South Carolina by Lane Riley
- Long-time field personnel Nell Green shifts service to OGM
- Metanoia’s race against gentrification by Bill Stanfield
- Passport Camps chooses seven from CBFSC churches as summer program leaders by Allison Blay, Passport Camps
- FBC Laurens pastor Rickey Letson joins CBF staff to help churches with financial health from CBF Global



Students help paint a house during Passport Missions.

## Children and youth resuming more traditional activities after year of isolation

by Lane Riley  
Associate Coordinator

I was a Passport Camp chaperone with my church this summer, and was able to watch youth from several states come together for a week of learning, growing, and having fun. After so many youth camps and other traditions were cancelled last year, it was good to see these students having a summer camp experience again. Passport did an excellent job in making sure the participants stayed safe and had fun.

For some of the youth, it was their very first trip as part of a youth group. For others, it was the last youth



trip they would take before starting college or a career. It was great to be with the youth and all the other chaperones for a week, and to watch as the students were encouraged to ask questions, explore their faith, and connect with one another.

Over the past few weeks, my Facebook time-line has been filled with pictures of students going to camp, people volunteering together, and churches hosting Vacation Bible School. Each church does its best to make sure all the participants stay safe, and ensures that everyone has a good experience.

I'm cautiously optimistic that the youth in churches are resuming some of these traditional activities after more than a year of isolation and fear. These students are healing from the trauma, and the church is one of the places helping this process.

Thank you to all CBFSC churches, partner organizations, ministers, and volunteers that have tirelessly and patiently provided virtual and in-person experiences for children and youth this summer.

Youth from The Baptist Church of Beaufort enjoy eating with new friends at Passport.



### Your support of Beverly Greer Offering makes the work of our mission partners possible

Thank you for your generosity through the Beverly Greer Offering for State Missions. Your donations support our four covenant partners, our Together for Hope (rural development coalition) partners, and our mission grant recipients. This funding supports programming like after school leadership classes, affordable housing initiatives, and food for families.

There are new Beverly Greer Offering for State Missions materials available for your church to use to support transformational work in SC. Download the digital materials from our website, <https://cbfsc.org/missions/>. We also have print materials, like bulletin inserts, posters, envelopes, flyers, stickers, and children's activities. Contact the CBFSC office if you would like any of these.