

ABCUSA MATTHEW 25 GRANT APPLICATION



A generous donor has given a sum of money through American Baptist Churches USA to be used for programs that address "housing, feeding, education and health with regard to the less fortunate." A panel will select recipients for grants of up to \$5,000 largely based on the degree to which the funds will be used to *directly assist* persons described above. The applying ministry must be directly affiliated with American Baptist Churches USA to be eligible to submit an application. Only one application per church or region will be considered within a 24-month period. Grant funds may not be used to fund staff positions, rainy day fund, church benevolent fund, or for capital improvements to facilities. Grant awards will be sent to the ABC church or Region that is applying for the grant; checks will not be made payable to an individual or ministry.

Tab through the document to fill in all the fields below.

1. Applicant Information

Name of Church or Region: Growing Healthy Churches - ABC West

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Federal Tax ID#: 94-1156607

Region: Growing Healthy Churches - American Baptist Churches of the West.

Contact person (person completing this form): Rev. Dr. Tim Brown

Email: gilbert@whenigrowup-global.com

Affiliation with American Baptist Churches USA:

☐ Church ☒ Region ☐ Other, please explain

Does your church contribute to United Mission? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Have you previously been awarded an ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If so, have you submitted your report on the use of the funds? ☒ Yes ☐ No

2. What ministry or group will use these funds?

Furaha Community Foundation, Huruma slum, Nairobi, Kenya through When I Grow Up.

If this application is being submitted on behalf of another organization or ministry, you agree to be the fiscal agent for any grant funds awarded. (please initial) GPF

3. Specifically, how do you plan to use the requested funds?

Please include a very brief and specific statement on how the money will be spent. For example: to purchase school supplies for 100 elementary school children; to provide summer camp scholarships for 10 children from low-income families; purchase diapers and wipes to single mothers. You are encouraged to attach a longer description (no more than one page) of the ministry or project. See attached description re children's feeding program. Appendix #1.

4. How will the funds assist individuals battling poverty and its effects? What impact do you hope to make on the target group or community?

The funds will directly assist individuals battling extreme poverty as every recipient of the feeding program lives within the Huruma slum. This is their **ONLY** meal of the day. It is vital to their health and well-being, and their successful education.

As a result of the feeding program children remain in school all day; can concentrate and study at a high level - achieving better grades and entrance into High School. These effects combined together empower them and their families out of extreme poverty. It saves their lives. Literally.

5. Total cost of the project: \$25,416 for the entire feeding program for one-year (500 children, 40 weeks schooling at 25c per meal per day).

6. Amount being requested from the ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant: \$5,000 or maximum available.
7. List other funding source(s): Crosswalk Church, Napa CA; Community Baptist Church, Waterford CA; Sunset Ministry, San Francisco CA; South Valley Community Church, Lemoore CA and FBC Salinas CA.
8. Please submit along with your application a copy of:
 - Your mission statement.
 - A financial statement FOR THIS MINISTRY. This can be a budget or projected budget, and should not exceed 2 pages. Church budgets are not acceptable.

By submitting this application on behalf of (church/region/organization name) Growing Healthy Churches, I certify that all the information submitted with this application is true and correct. We agree to use and/or disburse any grant funds awarded for the sole purpose as described within this application. We will supply a 1-page report on the use of the funds and a photo/photos within six months of receipt of the grant.

Application submitted by (name of person): Rev. Dr. Timothy Brown (your name typed here is your electronic signature)

Date: August 3, 2016

Please note:

- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Recipients agree to share their stories via the ABCUSA website.
- Application deadline September 1. Grants will be distributed no later than October 15.
- Only electronic submissions of completed applications and supporting documents will be accepted. Completed applications should be sent via email to Tina.Turner@abc-usa.org.
- Please review the instructions that follow and initial at the bottom to indicate you have read this information.

Instructions and information for completing the ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant application

1. General information

Applicants must be a recognized ABC church, Region office or organization directly affiliated with an ABC organization such as ABCUSA, ABHMS and IM.

An ABC church or region may submit an application for a ministry they are supporting. If a grant is awarded, the church or region assumes fiscal responsibility for the use of these funds.

Checks will be made payable to the ABC church, region or affiliated organization. Checks will not be made to an individual or ministry.

3. Specifically, how do you plan to use the requested funds?

Briefly describe what will be purchased with the grant funds if awarded. Be specific with the expected use of these funds. This should be a very short and specific statement on where the money will be spent and not include a narrative of the ministry project.

You are encouraged to provide a longer description of the ministry but this additional information must be limited to no more than one page in length.

Please note that grant funds may not be used to fund staff positions and salaries, for capital improvements to church facilities, or to maintain a "Rainy Day fund," or church benevolent fund.

4. How will the funds assist individuals battling poverty and its effects?

Describe how the Matthew 25 grant funds will benefit those less fortunate. What effect and impact do you hope to have on individuals battling poverty or the community you are hoping to serve?

5. Total cost of the project

List the total amount of this project or ministry need.

6. Amount being requested from the ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant.

One application per church or region will be considered per 24 month period. The maximum amount awarded is \$5,000. If you have previously been a Matthew 25 grant recipient, you must have submitted a follow-up report in order to be eligible to reapply.

7. Your other funding source(s).

List all other sources providing funding for this ministry.

8. Please submit with your application a copy of:

- Your mission statement

Include as an attachment a copy of the church or ministry's mission statement.

- A financial statement for this ministry

This budget or projected budget must include specific expenses and income for the ministry applying for the Matthew 25 grant funding. Church budgets are not acceptable.

Other information and requirements

By submitting an application,

- You certify that all information submitted is true and correct;
- You agree to use and/or disburse any awarded grant funds for the sole purpose as described within this application;
- You agree to supply a one page report on the use of funds and a photo/photos within six months of receipt of the grant;
- You give ABCUSA permission to share your story via the ABCUSA website or newsletter;
- You give ABCUSA permission to use the photograph(s) submitted for printing and/or posting.

I have reviewed the instructions provided. (initial here) GPF

Your typed name and initials are your electronic signatures on this document.

ABC-USA MATTHEW 25 GRANT 2016 APPLICATION APPENDIX #1
WHEN I GROW UP, INC.

How do you plan to use the requested funds? How will the funds specifically assist individuals battling poverty and its effects?



The funds requested will go directly to Furaha Community Foundation, Nairobi, Kenya to be used to feed the 500 Primary School students at their Primary School. Each child attending this Primary School lives in the Huruma slum and extreme poverty.

Huruma has around 500K people living in 2-square miles. They are one of the 5 large slums that make up Nairobi City.

Furaha Community Foundation only recruit the poorest of the poor children. 60% have been orphaned and 40% are HIV+.

The feeding program is a vital part of their educational work. Without the feeding program students health will suffer and concentration along with related hunger diseases will dominate their lives.

Today, because of feeding program and excellent teaching, this slum school ranks in the top 3 of their district of over 120 schools. The pass rate to High School is 100% - with a national average pass rate of 49%.

When I Grow Up is a global partner with Furaha Community Foundation. We provide 80% of their funding.

ABC-USA MATTHEW 25 GRANT APPLICATION APPENDIX #2

WHEN I GROW UP MISSION STATEMENT:



Mission

When I Grow Up works to provide a better future for poor and at-risk children through empowerment focused essentially on developing systemic long-term solutions driven by education to break the cycle of poverty.

We exist to ensure that no child in the world needs to live in extreme poverty.

FURAHA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION PRIMARY SCHOOL MONTHLY FEEDING F

FOR 485 PUPILS AGES FROM(3 YEARS TO 15 YEARS OLD)

LUNCH MEAL/DAY (5 DAYS IN ONE WEEK) FOR 485 PUPILS PLUS 30 STAFF MEI

ITEM	QUANTITY	PRICE/QUANTITY(KSH)
Firewood		
Milk		
Cooking fat	4 boxes	1300.00
Steelwool	10 pcs	
Salt	40 pcs	12.50
Tealeaves		
Sugar	50 kgs	100.00
Barsoap	1 box	1300.00
Matchbox	4 boxes	30.00
Paraffin	5 litres	
Liquid soap	20 litres	50.00
Maize	6 bags(90kgs each)	3500.00
Beans	7 bags(90 kgs each)	6000.00
Rice	7 bags(50 kgs each)	4000.00
Cooks(staff salaries)	3staff	
Water	20000 litres	0.5
Transport		
Miscellaneous		
Total monthly Lunch Ksh		

BREAKFAST MEAL (PORRIDGE) BUDGET PER DAY(5 DAYS IN ONE WEEK) F

Porridge flour	4 bags(90 kgs each)	4,000
Sugar	2 bags(50kgs each)	5,000
Firewood		
Steelwool	20g	120
Transport		
Bar soap and Liquid soap		
Water	5000 litres	
Miscellaneous		
Total monthly Breakfast Ksh		

2016 PRIMARY SCHOOL FEEDING PROGRAM SUMMARY(2 MEALS/DAY THAT IS BREAKFAST A

Lunch		
Breakfast		
Grand total per month Ksh		

PROGRAM 2016 BUDGET	
MEMBERS (515)	
AMOUNT (KSH)	
10000.00	
7000.00	
5200.00	
150.00	
500.00	
300.00	
5000.00	
1300.00	
120.00	
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