



## VISION

“*Fearless Love: Pay It Forward*” is a practical way to help our life groups, ministry teams, family groups or groups of friends get into people’s lives they rub shoulders with and into their community to make an impact for Jesus. We want to practically help people and communities in need by reaching out to them at points in their lives where they need help.

## SUGGESTIONS

These are only a few ideas and so we would encourage you and your group to be as creative as possible and come up with your own or use one of these.

- ◆ Match dollar for dollar (or make the pot grow by adding to it) so you can make a greater impact.
- ◆ Join forces with another group, challenging them to double their money and together do something incredible for someone, a family, or your community.
- ◆ Help a single mom in need by paying some of her bills or by putting her children in swimming lessons.
- ◆ Buy groceries for a needy family.
- ◆ Pay for a person/couple to go to counseling that cannot afford it. The church has a list of qualified Christian counselors.
- ◆ Fix a car for a single parent or family who cannot afford it.
- ◆ Pay for snow removal for someone that is unable to do this task and cannot afford to pay for it.
- ◆ Help someone by buying clothes or paying for a babysitter.
- ◆ Join forces with “The House” downtown and make an impact in that community (call Derek at 403-283-7879)

## PROCESS

- 1) Take the “Pay It Forward” idea to your group and together think and pray through how you would put this money to use.
- 2) Submit a “Request Form” to the Life Connection Center.
- 3) A cheque will be sent to you in the mail.
- 4) Go and make an impact in someone’s life or in the life of your community.
- 5) Submit a “Story Form” to the Life Connection Center.

## PARAMETERS FOR THE USE OF THE MONEY

The funds are to be used to assist:

- ◆ *Families or individuals who have demonstrated a need as a result of an accident, loss of employment or those who encounter legitimate financial difficulties. This may be to help with medical, social, or practical needs.*
- ◆ *These funds can be used for people **in your neighborhood** such as families your children go to school with, people you work with.*
- ◆ *These funds are not intended for support of International Projects in other countries or for families who currently attend First Alliance or any other church. Families from First may be assisted through our Care Fund.*



## Request Form

**MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO:** \_\_\_\_\_

Send cheque to: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

### **GUIDELINES FOR USE OF "PAY IT FORWARD" FUNDS**

1. Purpose statement: to practically get out there as a Life Group/Ministry Team, family group or group of friends and make an impact in people's lives in our community for Christ.
2. The Request Form must be signed by two group members.
3. After this form has been submitted, a cheque will be sent to you.
4. The "Story Form" should be submitted as soon as possible.

### **PROPOSED USE OF FUNDS**

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### **SIGNATURES:**

Group Member \_\_\_\_\_ Group Member \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by: Pastor \_\_\_\_\_

Date of approval \_\_\_\_\_ Cheque sent (date) \_\_\_\_\_

**Please submit this form to the Life Connection Center  
or fax it to the attention of Cathie Hall at 403-252-6315.**

