### **How Can I Participate?**

To plant a seed that will bear lasting fruit, you may **include the church in your will** or **make a planned gift** in any of the following ways:

- ❖ Direct gifts of stocks, bonds, and cash: Stocks, bonds and cash may be given during your lifetime to build the APC Endowment Fund. Gifting items that have appreciated can provide the donor with tax benefits based on current market value.
- ❖ Bequest: The bequest through your will enables you to retain the asset during your life and provides significant support to APC when you no longer require the asset.
- ❖ **Life Insurance:** An existing or new policy may be donated, or the Endowment Fund may be named a beneficiary.
- ❖ Retirement Plan Assets: In some cases, retirement plans can be the heaviest taxed assets in an estate. Naming APC as beneficiary may be transferred tax-free. You may also make APC a percentage beneficiary or contingent beneficiary of a retirement plan.

### Who Will Manage the Endowment Funds?

The APC Endowment will be managed according to our Endowment Policy. You may request a copy through the church office.

### If you would like to learn more....

Talk to your financial advisor or contact Laura Moore in the APC Financial Office, laura@alpharettapres.com, 770-751-0033.









# Alpharetta Presbyterian Church Endowment Fund



Planting a seed....
...building a legacy.

THE CORE MISSION OF

## Alpharetta Presbyterian Church

WE ARE CALLED TO BE A
CHRIST-CENTERED
FAMILY OF BELIEVERS,
COMMITTED TO
GROWING SPIRITUALLY,
WORSHIPPING JOYFULLY,
AND SHARING
GOD'S LOVE DAILY.



The gift of a lifetime...







"We will tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord, and his might, and the wonders he has done." **R**eaching out and extending our blessings beyond our own lives is an intrinsic part of Christian stewardship.

If Alpharetta Presbyterian Church has played an important role in your life—in times of joy and difficulty—you can help to continue its vital ministry and mission.

By giving through the APC Endowment Program, you can help make your church home stronger and more responsive to the needs of generations to come. Why an Endowment Fund at Alpharetta Presbyterian Church?

Faithful stewardship involves our generous giving in a variety of ways, including planned lifetime giving and estate planning programs. To support giving in this way, the church has created the APC Endowment Fund to which planned gifts can be made. Planned giving donors will be recognized in the Rose Window Legacy Society.



Perhaps the greatest reward of giving to the APC Endowment Fund is the knowledge that the gift, regardless of its size and form, will continue to assist the ministry at Alpharetta Presbyterian Church as it proclaims the good news of the Christian faith to generations well into the future.

#### **APC Endowment's General Fund**

All gifts will be directed to the Endowment's General Fund to further all of the church's vital ministries now and for years to come.

The General Fund gives the church the needed flexibility to address pressing needs as they arise. However, if donors wish to do so, they may designate their gift to a particular area such as worship, mission, property or spiritual growth.

