



3StrandStrong

The 3STRANDSTRONG CHALLENGE

3StrandStrong describes a powerful partnership between your church, your conference, and the Covenant denomination. Ecclesiastes 4:12 says, "...a triple braided cord is not easily broken." As local churches, conferences, and the Covenant, we are woven tightly together so that we can accomplish greater work in the mission of God's Kingdom than we could accomplish apart from each other. Your church comes face to face with the spiritual, emotional, and physical needs of people and responds with Christ-like compassion. Your conference provides support and resources for pastors, churches, and church leaders, and comes alongside congregations experiencing hard times. **The Covenant works in unity with congregations and conferences to—**

- **Send and support missionaries**
- **Provide help to those in the world in greatest need**
- **Pursue justice for the oppressed**
- **Plant new churches and offer resources to strengthen existing churches**
- **Train pastors and missionaries and chaplains**
- **Foster the flourishing of women**
- **Make new disciples, and deepen believers in the walk of faith**

There is still much more we want to do together as the Lord provides funding. We have a goal of making 50,000 new followers of Christ and planting 125 new churches in the next five years, as well as partnering with numerous churches in neighborhood transformation projects. That is why 3StrandStrong is so important.

Just as we teach the people in our churches to tithe of their income, so we ask every Covenant church to faithfully present a tithe to the Lord that will be invested in the Kingdom work we do together. We ask your church to designate it this way: 6.5% of church income set aside for the Covenant; and 3.5% for your conference. Please pray and then answer this question—**will your church accept the 3StrandStrong challenge?**



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