

Open Bible Churches

Financial Help

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Financial Health Achievement Certificate

\$2000 Retirement Assistance Grant

\$2000 in retirement funds will be provided for the first 25 pastors who qualify, apply, are approved, and complete their choice of one (1) of the five NAEfinancialhealth.org/obc online training courses.

Note: This is a limited time offer.

Pastors: You May be Eligible for a \$2,000 Grant

Open Bible Churches has been blessed with matching grant funds to offer retirement assistance grants to the first 25 pastors who meet the following criteria:

- Pastor who is credentialed and in good standing with Open Bible Churches.
- Complete your online application at NAEfinancialhealth.org/OBC before **October 15, 2020**
- Understand you will receive monthly matching amounts when you choose and complete one of the six online training options by **October 30, 2021** and the church starts contributing to your Open Bible Churches retirement account.
- Visited NAEfinancialhealth.org/OBC, created a sign-up/sign-in account and previewed the six online training options.
 - 1-Session **Bless Your Finances** – completed by you and your spouse if married
 - 1-Session **Bless Your Pastor** – completed by lay leadership and church – lay leader led
 - 1-Session **Generous Life Devotional** – completed by you, lay leadership and church – pastor or lay leader led
 - 1-Session **Bless Your Church Legacy Bequests** – completed by you, lay leader and church – pastor or lay leader led
 - 6-Session **God Is Your Provider Personal Finances** – completed by you and your spouse if married
 - 6-Session **Church Generosity** – completed by pastor and three lay leaders
- Chosen a lay leader who has gone to NAEfinancialhealth.org/obc, created a sign-up/sign-in account and has reviewed the free online training opportunities above.
- After conferring with my lay leader, agreed to complete the following online training: _____
- Your church does not contribute to your personal retirement account (**or** they started contributing after May 1, 2018), you will open an Open Bible Churches retirement account, your church is willing to contribute monthly from the church budget into this account starting immediately after the completion of the chosen training option, and the total church contribution will reach \$2,000 or more within 3 years.

Your First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Church: _____

Full Church Address: _____

Full Home Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Personal Cell Phone/Area code: _____ Church Phone: _____ Ext: _____

Lay Leaders First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Email: _____

Do you receive a salary from the church? Yes No Do you receive a housing allowance from the church? Yes No

Does the church regularly contribute to a retirement plan for the senior pastor? Yes No

If yes to the question above, what month and year did the contributions start? Month _____ Year _____

Does the senior pastor personally contribute to a retirement plan? Yes No

Complete the NAEfinancialhealth.org/OBC online version of this application before October 15, 2020

Any questions? Contact us at: c/o Brian Ehlers, Secretary/Treasurer

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You will be notified by October 31 if you have been approved.