



F.A.S.T TEAM

"Financial Advisory Support Team"

Romans 13:8

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Vision of F.A.S.T

This vision of the F.A.S.T Team is equip and empower Cicero Christian Church and its members to be the best stewards that we can be of the resources that God has given us. We understand that God has entrusted us with the resources to carry out His vision over the next decade and we desire to utilize those resources in the most Godly manner to glorify His name and reach the lost.

Overview of the F.A.S.T Team

Over the life of Cicero Christian Church we have impacted this community for the glory of God. The last two decades have brought us to the point of purchasing over 95 acres of land and the building of a new church facility in which to become even more effective and capable of reaching our community within the upcoming decade. God has appointed this Cicero Christian Church for a time such as this, to carry out the Gospel to this community and impact the world for His glory.

The F.A.S.T Team is an important part of the future of our church. It has been called upon to be an advisory or recommendation team to the leadership of Cicero Christian Church. The team shall act as a Financial Advisory Support Team (FAST) to the Administrative Elders and Senior Pastor with a primary focus of developing programs and ideas for eliminating the debt of Cicero Christian Church in phases over the next 10 years. We understand that a church is most effective when it is debt free and that it remains a slave to the lender while remaining in debt according to Proverbs 22:7.

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We will strive to eliminate our debt over the next ten years in order to be able to more effectively minister to the lost and the wayward all over the world. This shall be accomplished through creative means that are biblical, ethical, and legal in concept and in practice.

Objectives of F.A.S.T

The F.A.S.T Team has several objectives that God desires for us to accomplish for His glory. These objectives are founded in the Word of God and are focused upon bringing about the revival of God's people in the United States.

Objective #1 – Eliminate All of Our Church Debt

- **Proverbs 22:7** – The rich rule over the poor and the borrower is servant to the lender.
- Our mission is to strive to eliminate all of our church debt in the next decade. We also desire to help others in our congregation be able to become debt free as well. In becoming debt free, more resources will become available to more effectively minister to and reach the lost and the hurting in our own community and all over the world.

Objective #2 – Equip and Empower God's People to Be Better Stewards of His Resources

- **Romans 13:8** – Let no debt remain outstanding except the continuing debt to love one another.
- Our mission is to equip and empower the people of God in church and community with the basic understanding of how they can become better stewards of God's resources. We will seek to offer more resources, classes, and workshops to better equip people over the next decade on this subject.

Objective #3 – Glorify God with usage of Resources

- **Matthew 6:33** – But seek first His Kingdom and His righteousness and all of these things will be given unto you.
- Our mission is to see our church and its people glorify God by using their resources in the best possible manner for His glory. This will examine everything from land usage to special projects to other areas of income that will be utilized to reach the lost and carry out God's mission in the present and future of our Cicero Christian Church.

How Can I Get Involved?

The F.A.S.T team is a ministry that seeks to equip and empower the people to become better stewards of the resources that God has given them. God has given us a vision to carry out our mission by helping each individual as well as our church to become completely debt-free within the next ten years but we need your support in order to be successful for His glory. There are several ways that you can get involved in this ministry.

Task #1 – Pray for the F.A.S.T Team

Task #2 – Join the F.A.S.T Prayer Team

Task #3 – Financially support Restart Ministries

If you have been looking for a ministry to get involved with, the F.A.S.T Team would love for you to join us in carrying this mission for God's glory. There are several ways that your gifts and talents can be utilized for the glory of the Lord. Please contact: Elder Steve Zell for more information.

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