



## Mission Grant Report Form

Iowa District West

Grant recipients are asked to complete and submit the report form within one month of the completion of the effort or, if a continuing ministry, by January 31 of the following year in which the grant is received. Please submit any pictures, as well, that would help to share the story with other congregations to encourage them in their ministry.

1. Please provide a brief overview of the effort.

Faith's Board of Outreach has chosen to reach out to individuals being helped at the Adel Crisis, Intervention and Advocacy Center by providing an opportunity for members to provide some of the needs of these individuals and also invite them to worship and other activities at Faith.

2. What goals were established for this effort; that is, what did you hope to accomplish?

Goals. A. To provide opportunities for our members to help those in need. B. To give these individuals the opportunity to get to know more about our Lord and Savior Jesus through attending church services and contact with our members. C. Confirmations and baptism of these individuals.

3. Did you achieve your goals? If not, what do you think were some of the contributing factors?

The responses of our members by helping these individuals was overwhelming. Many donations were given to them. There was a reluctance of some individuals to attend worship when invited. However, we had one baptism, Johnathan Edmonson, age 4.

4. Is there anything you would do differently if you were to undertake this effort again?

We intend to continue the program and, if possible, get more members involved with these individuals in personal friendships.

5. What lessons were learned through this effort?

We learned that this is just one opportunity available to reach out to others and invite them to worship and other activities so that they may come to Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior: That the love of Christ may be reflected through us.

6. What suggestions would you give to a congregation considering a similar effort?  
Any congregation could get in touch with an organization, such as the Adel Christ, Intervention and Advocacy Center and offer their help to individuals who are going through a difficult time in their lives.

7. Contact person

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