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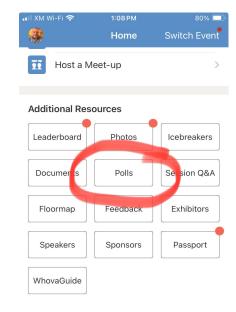
## From friends TO FAMILY

Creating a planned giving pipeline





Please go to your Whova app and complete the two polls associated with this session





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## Let's get to know each other!

Whova poll results....

On a scale of 1-10 how familiar are you with planned giving?

1 = a total newbie

10 = a planned giving pro!

In the past 24 months has the ministry you serve received an end-of-life gift?

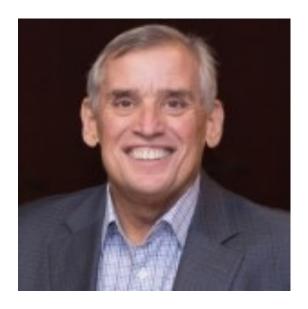
Is planned giving your primary full-time responsibility or one thing you do among many?





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Planned giving doesn't need to be scary!
It can be fun and you CAN do it!

### Dorothy!





#### It's not as hard as you first thought...

- 1.85-90% of planned giving is the simple gift in the will.
- 2. People assume Planned Giving is for the wealthy ...only
- 3. Under the radar "hidden major donors."



## Mule Riders!





#### The 12-12-12 Model

To identify planned giving prospects, look for your most loyal donors, which will be those with history, frequency, and recency.

**12** 

#### **History**

On file for 12+ years

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#### Frequency

Made 12+ gifts of any size

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#### Recency

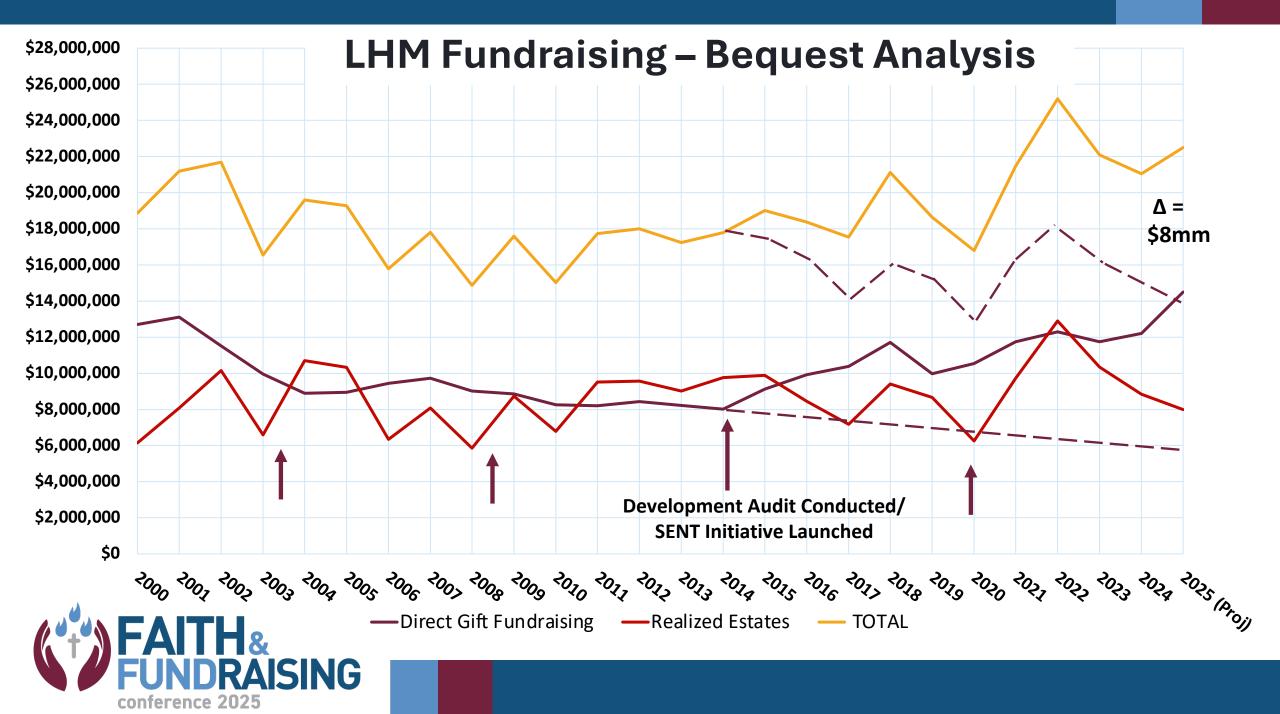
Made a gift in the past 12 months



## Creating a Conversation—use surveys!

- Lead generation
- Discover legacy donors
- Move people to action EVEN IF YOU DO NOTHING ELSE!

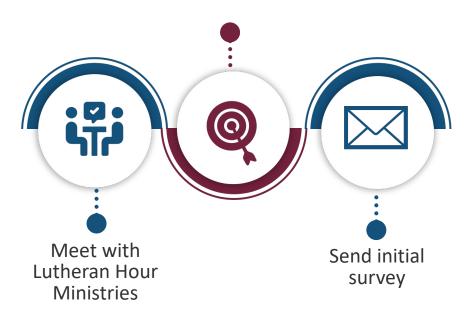




## **Lutheran Hour and Money for Ministry**

Surveys capture insights from a level of donor that is often overlooked and isn't receiving white-glove treatment, helping you to understand their motivations.

Donor file and recipient selection





## Planned giving is Fun! What kind of questions do we ask?

#### **PERSON**

**How** did you first connect with our mission?

#### **PASSION**

**Why** do you support the work of our ministry?

#### **PREFERENCE**

**How** do you prefer to support our work?



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## Single Farmer and Legacy donor



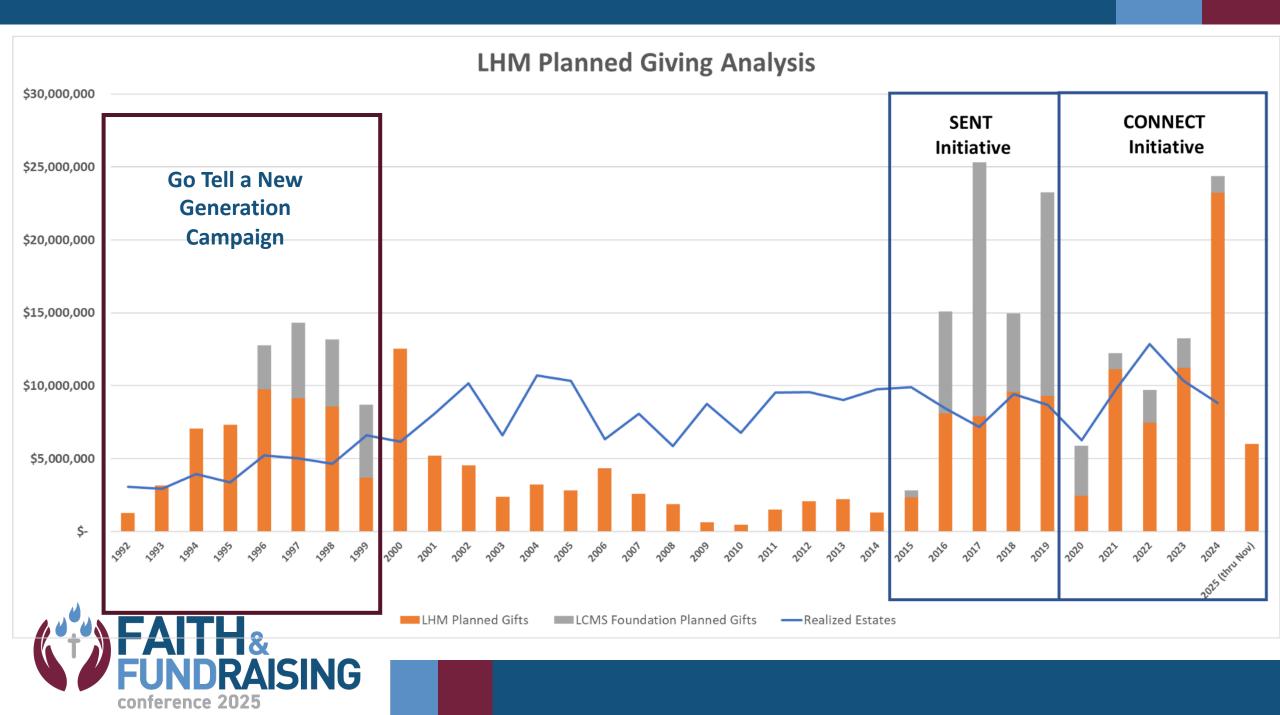


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#### **MOMENTUM DASHBOARD**

LEGACY GIFTS IN THE PIPELINE

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES

JANUARY 2025



**ALL TIME LEGACY GIFT COMMITMENTS\*** 

\$145,250,000

HOUSEHOLDS: 2,905

Hoffman Society list + unconfirmed gifts from survey responders

\$196,150,000

**INDIVIDUALS: 3,923** 

Hoffman Society list + unconfirmed gifts from survey responders

YOUR LEGACY GOAL

3,100 Reported Households

\$155M\*

\*PROJECTION BASED ON AVERAGE LEGACY GIFT OF \$50,000

Current Survey Results: 4,968 DONORS ENGAGED IN PLANNED GIVING DIALOGUE

1,882 \$94.1M\*

**AWARENESS PROSPECTS** 

interest 416 \$20.8M\*

**INTEREST PROSPECTS** 

ACTION 169

18 are previously unconfirmed HS members くりていま

LEGACY GIFT COMMITMENTS



## THANK YOU!

SCAN FOR A FREE
COPY OF OUR
MAKE A WILL
MONTH KIT



#### **CONNECT WITH US ON LINKEDIN**



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