April 6, 2022

To: Clerk of Session and Moderator

From: Barnabas Grand River Distribution Committee

Re: Distribution of Funds Balance of \$110,375.00

As you know, the Barnabas Opportunities Center was closed and the building which housed this mission was sold.

At a meeting of the Presbytery, it approved the revenue from the sale of the building would be distributed to churches in Detroit. A committee would be selected by the moderator to undertake this responsibility.

A committee was formed and the Trustees informed the committee, after the building was sold and deduction of expenses, that the net revenue was \$168,375.00.

In April of 2020, the committee approved a Covid-19 distribution to eleven city churches for \$5,000.00 and \$3,000.00 to one city church, to further their ministry.

At a committee meeting on March 30, 2022, they approved the distributions of the funds balance of \$110,375.00 as follows; \$8,670.00 would be distributed to eleven Detroit City Churches and \$15,000.00 to The Congregational Development and Transformation Ministry Team, as requested, to help with resources for the Vital Congregation Initiative, of which eight city churches are involved.

May these funds be received to further your ministry in the City of Detroit.

The committee is very appreciative of the opportunity to distribute these funds.

In Christ,

Rosy Latimore, Chair

Deborah Fair

Kara Hildebrant

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