

Freedom House Church
2732 Salome Church Road
Charlotte, NC 28262

November 9, 2017

Attn: Paul Boyd
WSOC-TV Charlotte
1901 N Tryon Street
Charlotte, NC 28206

Dear Paul:

First allow me to thank you for your invitation to participate in your network's 2017 Church Transparency Survey. Your efforts to assist with 'evaluating governance practices' with twelve of the largest churches in Charlotte to ensure 'financial transparency and accountability' are indeed commendable.

Freedom House Church provides and publishes an annual report not only of our total revenue and operating expenses, we also provide a percentage breakdown of those expenses, from administrative and facility costs, to what we give financially to several local Charlotte outreach and mission organizations from across the globe.

As you stated in your letter, while it is true that the IRS under current law (IRC Section 6033) does not require churches to file a Form 990, Freedom House Church has always had an audit conducted by an independent accounting firm, and our operating budgets and employee compensation practices are approved annually by an independent governing body and board.

We invite you to utilize our most recent annual report to assist you in your church study, as this report is not only provided to our members, it is posted on our website as well.

May God bless you and the entire WSOC-TV Charlotte team and we hope the upcoming Thanksgiving & Christmas holiday season is a blessed one for each of you.

D. Milan Ford
Freedom House Church
Executive Director of Operations

ANNUAL REPORT

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7,316
SALVATIONS/DECISIONS

268
BAPTISMS

3,217
FIRST TIME GUESTS

SERVE CLT
1469 VOLUNTEERS
3,678 VOLUNTEER HOURS

GET ON TRACK
575 PEOPLE COMPLETED ALL 3 STEPS

207 LIFEGROUPS
(69 MORE THAN 2015)

4,847 PRAYERS AND PASTORAL CARE REQUESTS

61,558
CARS PARKED

LIVE STREAM AVERAGE HOUSEHOLDS
288 (2016)
193 (2015)

4 CAR DONATIONS (For Single Mothers)

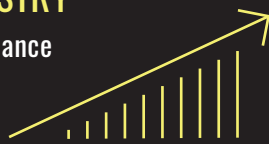
48 States & 66 Countries Logged In

VERTICAL STUDENT MINISTRY
A 50% increase in weekly attendance



- Launched New MVMNT/Young Adults Ministry
- Launched New Influencers/Business Leaders Initiative
- South End Campus & New Executive Office Construction Began

DREAM TEAM
A 10% increase in weekly volunteers



TOTAL EXPENSES
\$3,383,349

TOTAL REVENUE
\$4,926,277

BUDGET BREAKDOWN

- Administrative (34.5%)
- Facilities (6.3%)
- Ministries (29.5%)
- Missions/Outreach (29.7%)

LIBERTY OFFERING
\$300,837



KINGDOM BUILDERS
\$371,928

LIST OF MISSION & OUTREACH ORGS WE SUPPORTED

Equip
Samaritan's Feet
Association of Related Churches
The Barnabas Center
Hope For Guatemala
InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
LA Dream Center
Charlotte/Mecklenburg Dream Center
Maoz Isreal Ministries
Mercy Ministries
Marriage Today
The Father's House -Ghana

Watato
Missionaries in Africa, Haiti, and Peru
SHE Rescue
Hope For Charlotte
Crisis Assistance Ministries
Second Harvest Food Bank
Loaves and Fishes Food Bank
Charlotte Rescue Mission
Clear Creek Nursing Home
Stoney Creek Elementary School
Bradford Preparatory School
Ronald McDonald House

NCDOT Adopt-A-Highway
W.G. (Bill) Hefner VA Medical Center
Florence Crittenton Pregnancy Center
Habitat for Humanity
Urban Ministry Center
Church of God Children's Home
Fire Station 31
Operation Christmas Child
Hope Match
Mission of Hope Int'l
SIM Ministry