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Each session incorporates things like videos, personal narratives, readings, and action opportunities to wrestle with the suffering on display during this crisis moment. We hope to build community among participants through shared learning and discussion, and to provide guidance for furthering the work in each participant’s local context.

### Approach

Weekly one-hour live Zoom meetings with BSK faculty guests, preceded and followed by readings, pre-recorded videos, action opportunities, instructor feedback.

**Timeframe:** Tuesdays at 7pm EST, June 16-July 21, 2020

**Organizers:** Rev. Dr. Laura R. Levens and Rev. Dr. Lewis Brogdon

### Sessions

Week One: Dr. Laura Levens, “How I Was Trained to Be Quiet (and What Caused Me to Speak): White Silence from a Do-Gooder Christian Perspective”

Week Two: Dr. Lewis Brogdon, “We Won’t Take It Any Longer: Understanding the 2020 Black Protest Movement”

Week Three: Dr. John Inscore Essick, “We Know Their Names: The Power of Reading Black History Together”

Week Four: Dr. Dalen Jackson, “Did I Read It Right?: Reading Scripture and the Road Out of Southern White Supremacy”



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# **G.I.V.E Partnership**

## **Global Impact Vision Expansion**

*Partners Impacting the World!*

***Rev. Delvin Atchison, National Coordinator***



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## **GLOBAL IMPACT VISION EXPANSION (GIVE) PARTNERSHIP**

### **I. WHAT IS GLOBAL IMPACT VISION EXPANSION (GIVE) PARTNERSHIP**

The Global Impact Vision Expansion (GIVE) Partnership is a new program designed to give churches, state conventions, associations, members and friends an opportunity to give monthly to NBCA, so we can expand our global impact in evangelism, missions and education; as well as support the operational costs needed to operate the convention which includes, but are not limited to, payroll for the executive staff and operational costs. Unlike any giving program NBCA has had before, active members will **not** have to pay registration fees for NBCA meetings, Auxiliaries, Boards, or Commissions conferences or events during the year! That's right, by remaining current with your commitment, churches, state conventions, associations, members and friends will be automatically registered for these events.

### **II. HOW THE PROGRAM WORKS**

The Global Impact Vision Expansion (GIVE) Partnership is designed so everyone can participate by giving a nominal monthly contribution. This will allow NBCA to increase the work that we are currently doing and also take on additional important projects that are a part of the convention's causes.

The goal is to secure a yearly budget for the convention, based on churches, associations, state conventions and individuals becoming a member of the program and paying their monthly contributions.

Additionally, throughout the year, additional income from the Mid-Winter Board, Congress and Annual Session, along with special offerings and sponsorships will add to the yearly income.

## PROJECTED INCOME

| GIVE Partnership Projected Income |                   |                |                        |                       |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| #                                 | From              | Monthly Amount | Monthly Income to NBCA | Yearly Income to NBCA |
| 750                               | Churches          | \$ 125.00      | \$ 93,750              | \$ 1,125,000          |
| 75                                | Associations      | \$ 150.00      | \$ 11,250              | \$ 135,000            |
| 35                                | State Conventions | \$ 150.00      | \$ 5,250               | \$ 63,000             |
| 3500                              | Individuals       | \$ 50.00       | \$ 175,000             | \$ 2,100,000          |
| <b>Total Amounts</b>              |                   |                | <b>\$ 285,250</b>      | <b>\$ 3,423,000</b>   |

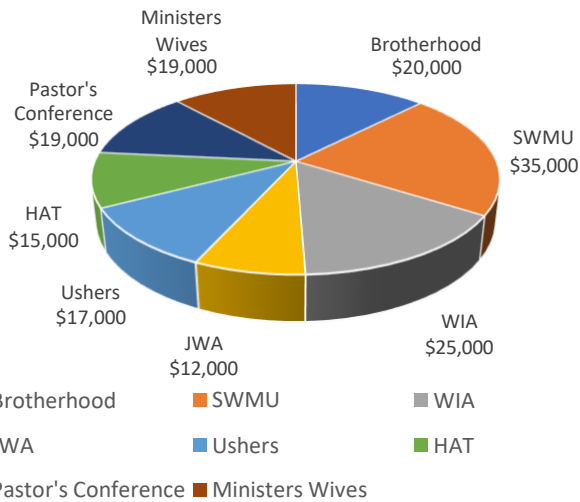
| Additional Projected Income      |                                                  |                  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| #                                | From                                             | Amount           |
| 1                                | Mid-Winter Board and Mini Congress               | \$ 15,000        |
| 2                                | Congress of Christian Education and Discipleship | \$ 25,000        |
| 3                                | Annual Session & Sponsorships                    | \$ 60,000        |
| 4                                | Special Offerings and Gifts                      | \$300,000        |
| <b>Additional Income to NBCA</b> |                                                  | <b>\$400,000</b> |

| Total Projected Income           |                      |                    |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| #                                | From                 | Amount             |
| 1                                | GIVE Partnership     | \$3,423,000        |
| 2                                | Additional Offerings | \$ 400,000         |
| <b>Additional Income to NBCA</b> |                      | <b>\$3,823,000</b> |

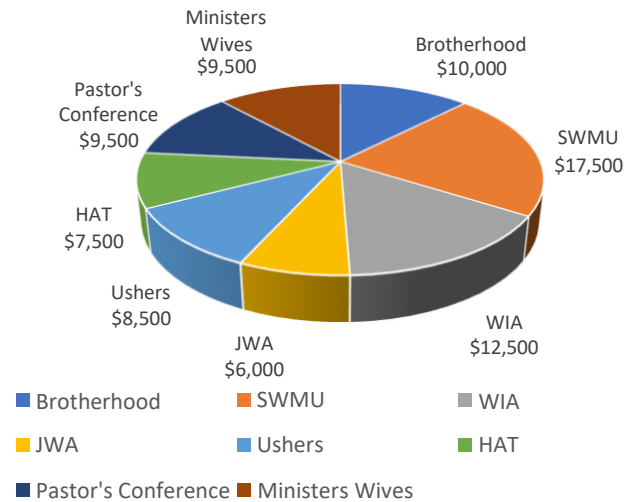
### III. HOW ARE DISBURSEMENTS MADE TO AUXILIARIES, BOARDS, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND COMMISSIONS TO REPLACE REGISTRATION FEES?

The income from this program will be disbursed by percentages to the Headquarters and Operations, Auxiliaries, Christian Education, Boards and Commissions.

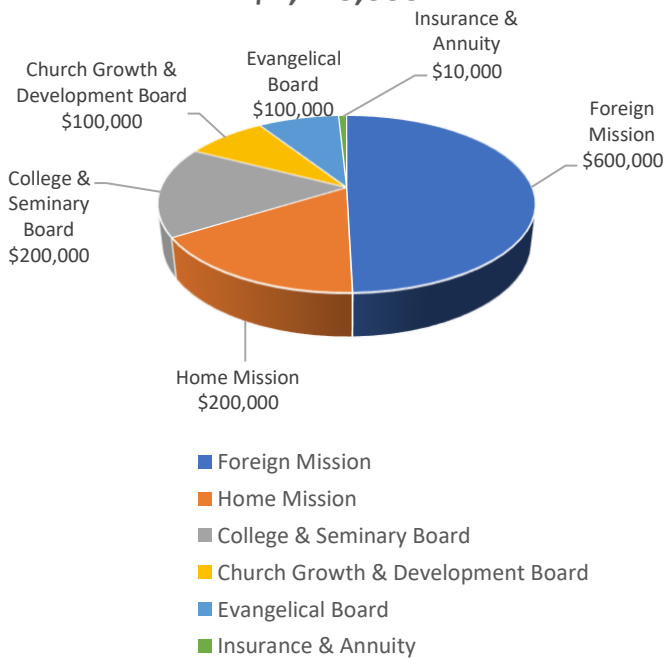
**AUXILIARIES DISBURSEMENT at 100%  
of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$162,000**



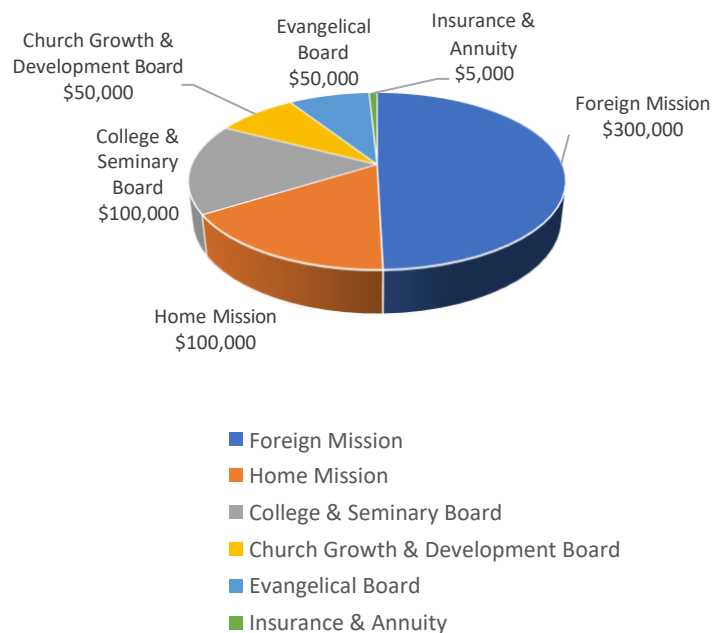
**AUXILIARIES DISBURSEMENT at 50%  
of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$81,000**



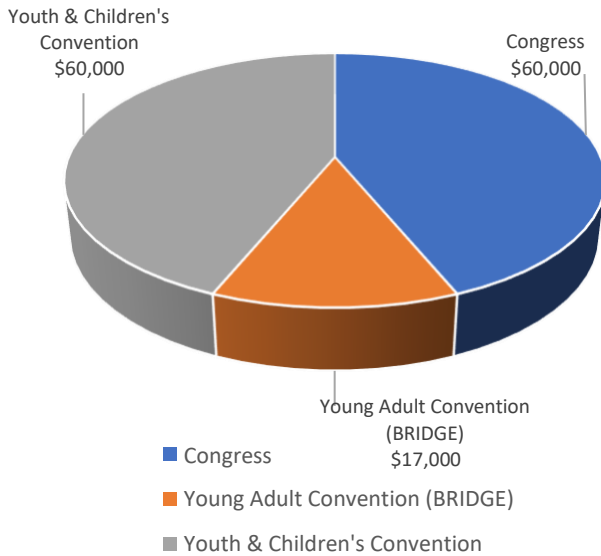
**BOARDS DISBURSEMENT at 100% of  
PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$1,210,000**



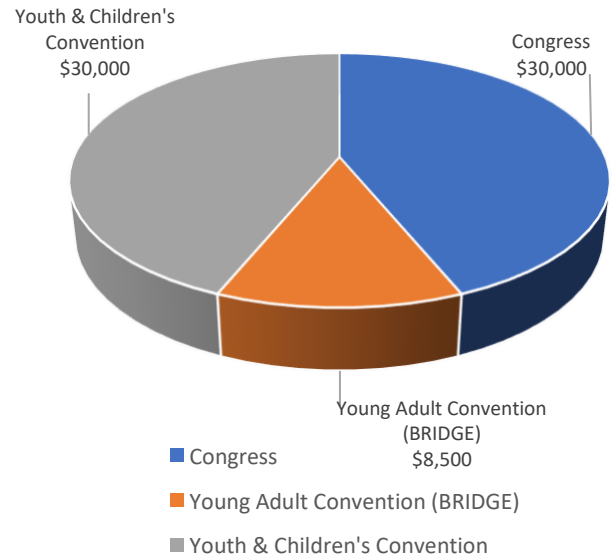
**BOARDS DISBURSEMENT at 50% of  
PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$605,000**



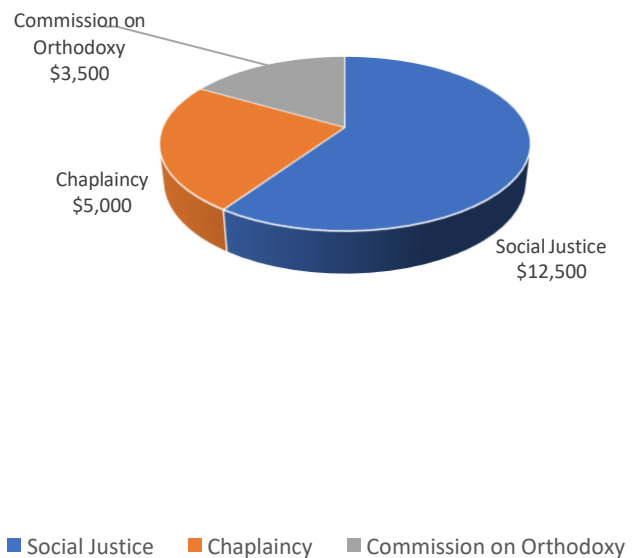
**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION  
DISBURSEMENT at 100% of  
PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$137,000**



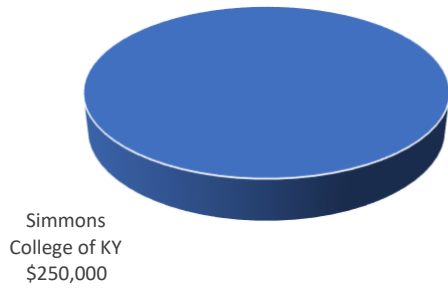
**CHRISTIAN EDUCATION  
DISBURSEMENT at 50% of  
PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$68,500**



**COMMISSIONS DISBURSEMENT at  
50% of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED -  
\$21,000**

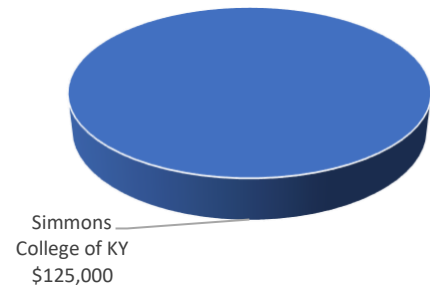


**SIMMONS COLLEGE DISBURSEMENT  
at 100% of PROJECTED INCOME  
RAISED - \$250,000**



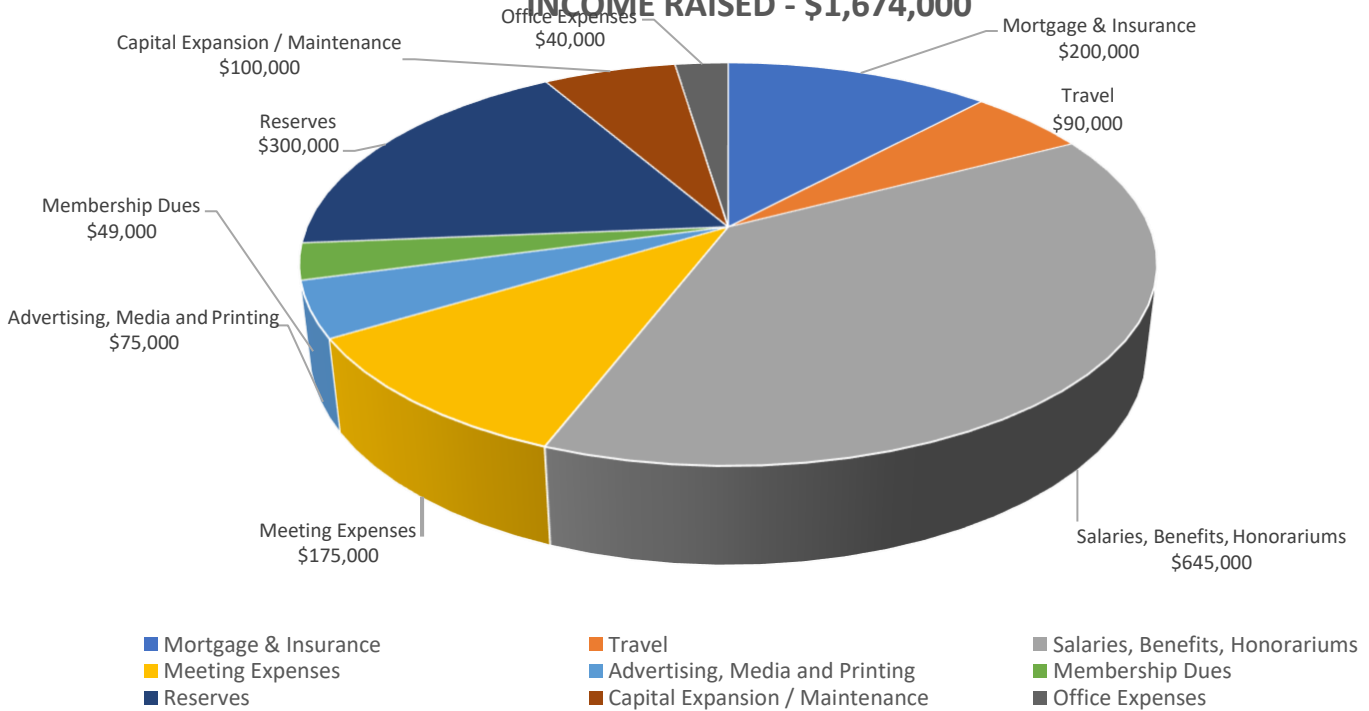
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**SIMMONS COLLEGE DISBURSEMENT  
at 50% of PROJECED INCOME RAISED  
- \$125,000**

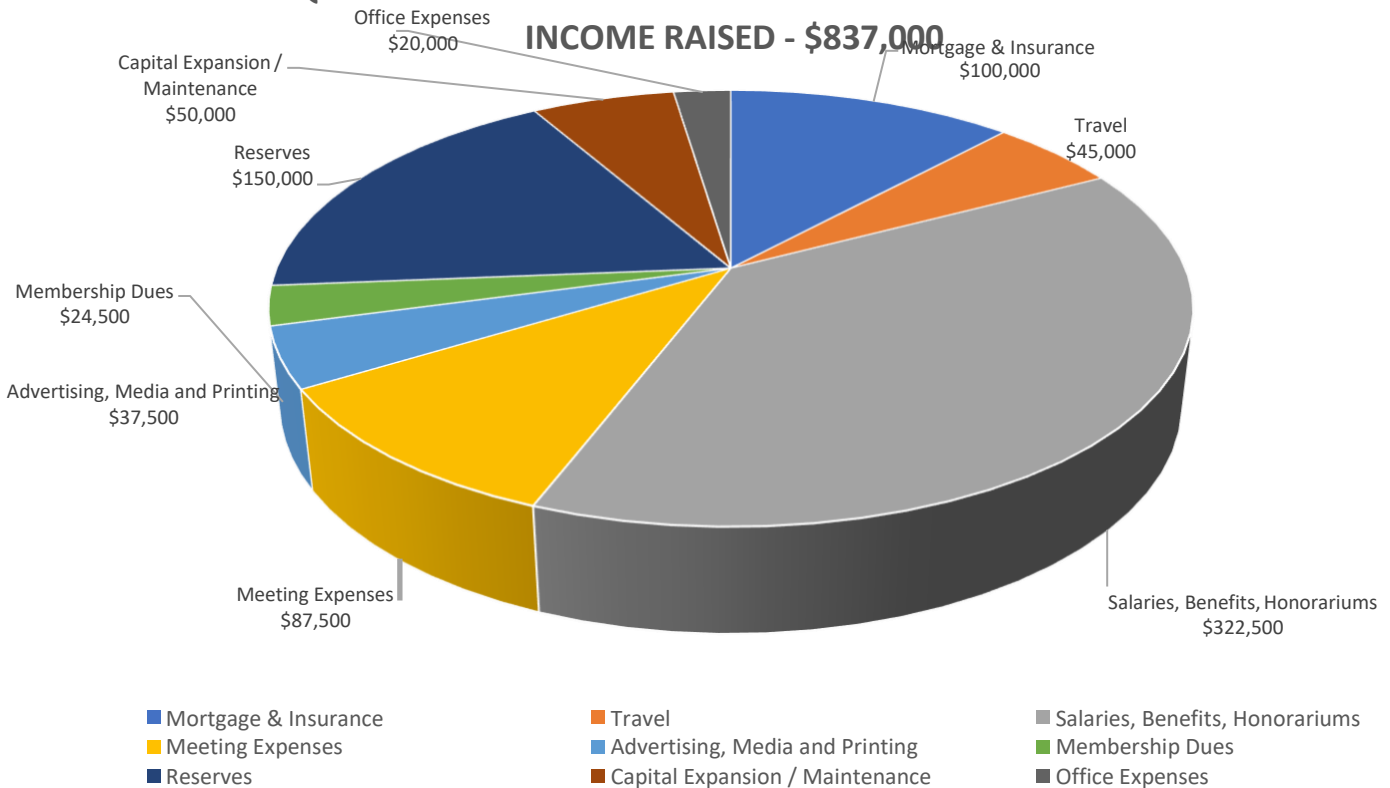


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## HEADQUARTERS AND OPERATIONAL EXPENSES at 100% of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED - \$1,674,000

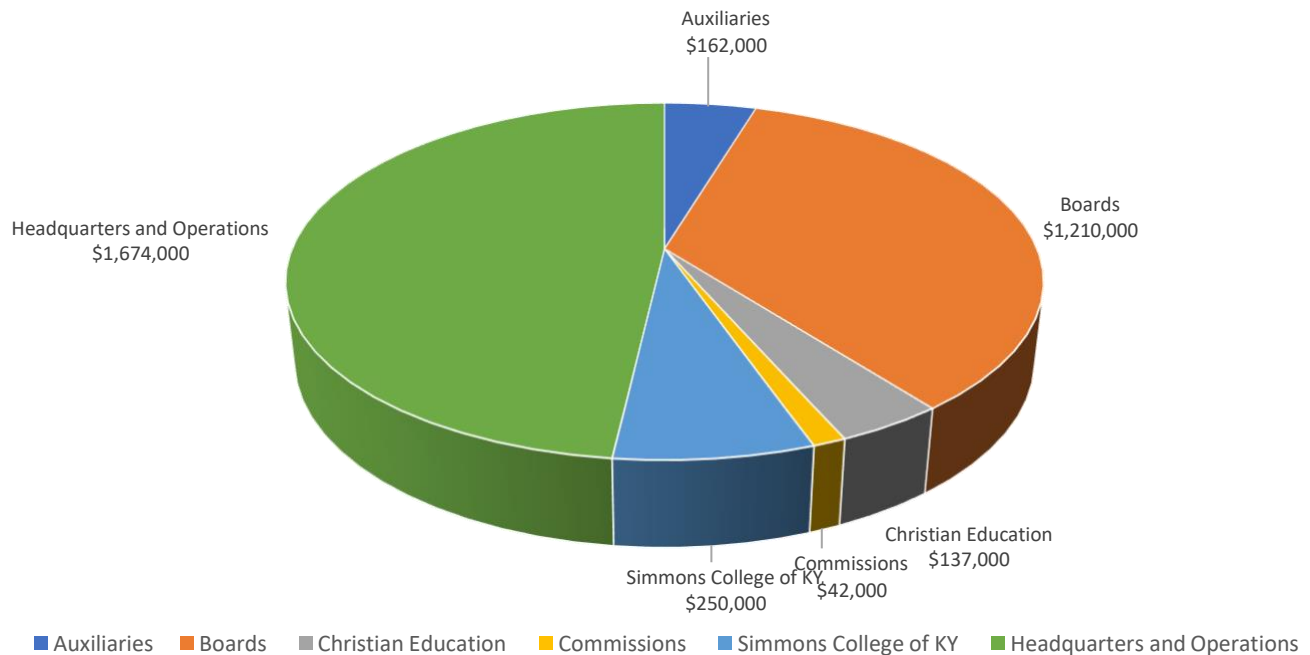


## HEADQUARTERS AND OPERATIONAL EXPENSES at 50% of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED - \$837,000

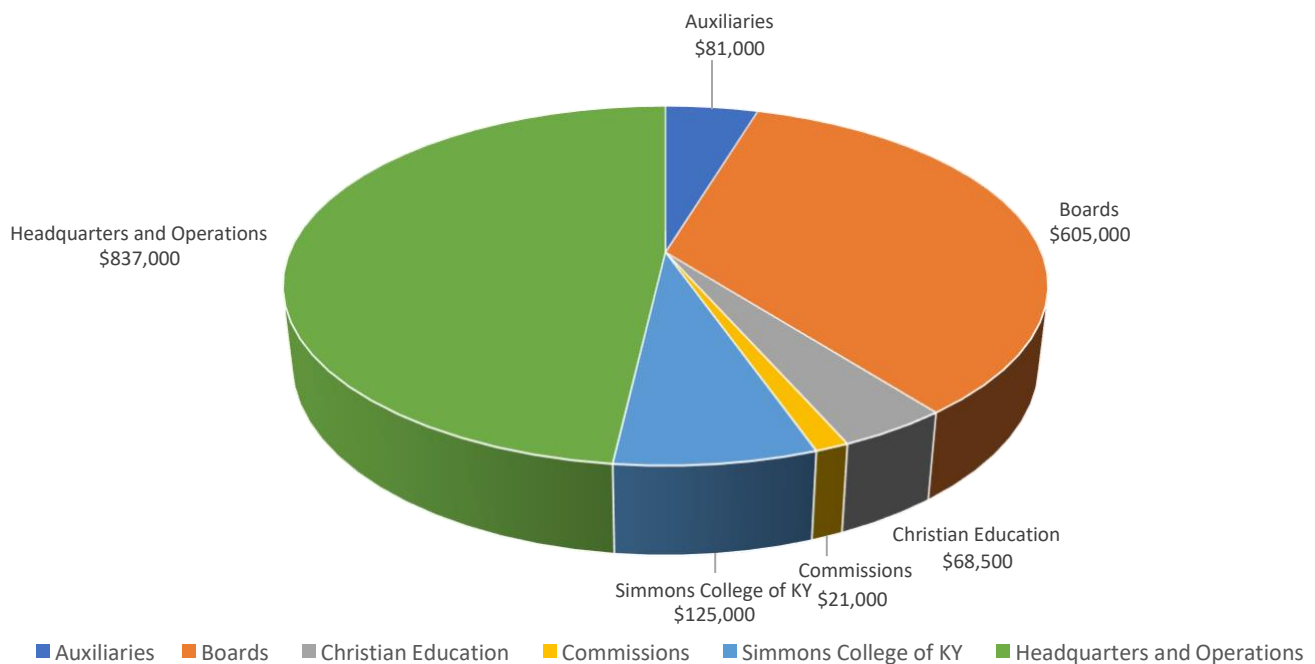


**Membership Dues:** Baptist World Alliance, North American Baptist Fellowship, NAACP, Christian Churches Together, Baptist Joint Committee and Council of National Black Churches

**TOTAL DISBURSEMENT at 100% of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED**  
**(Auxiliaries, Boards, Christian Education, Commissions, Simmons College of**  
**KY, Headquarters and Operations) \$3,475,000**



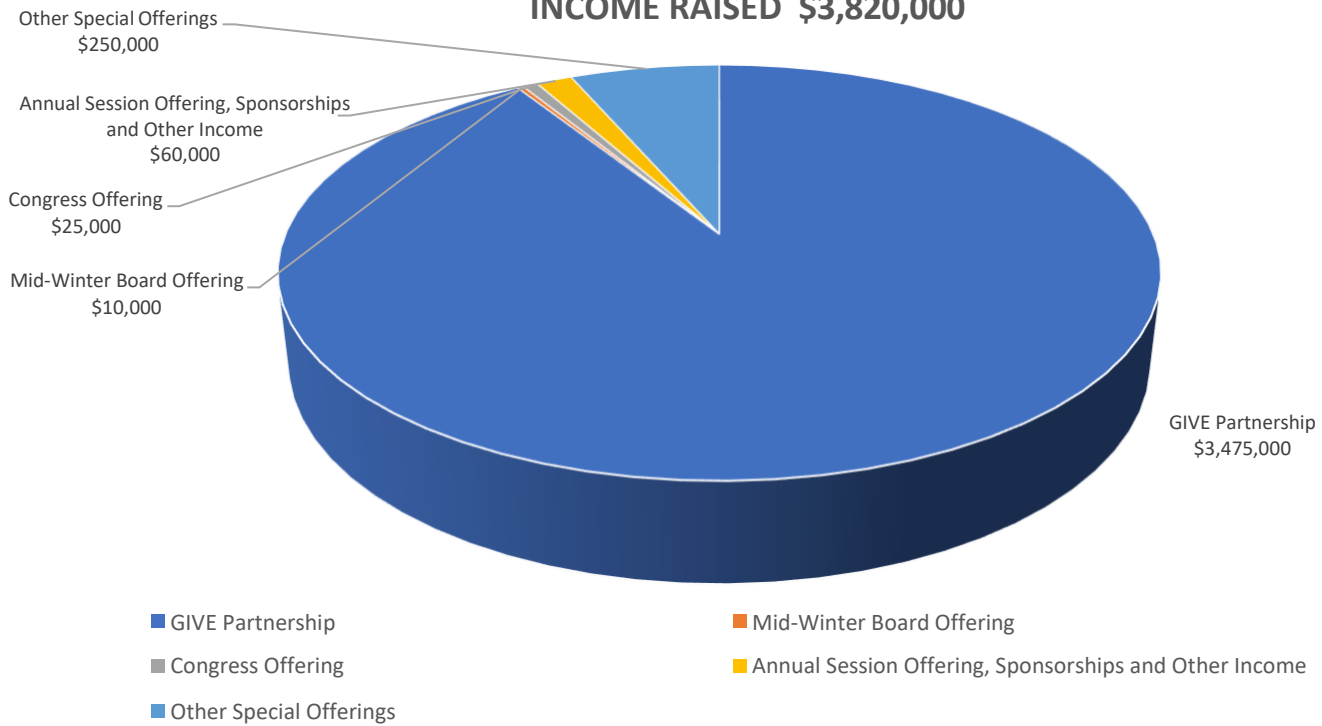
**TOTAL DISBURSEMENT at 50% of PROJECTED INCOME RAISED**  
**(Auxiliaries, Boards, Christian Education, Commissions, Simmons College of KY,**  
**Headquarters and Operations) \$1,737,500**



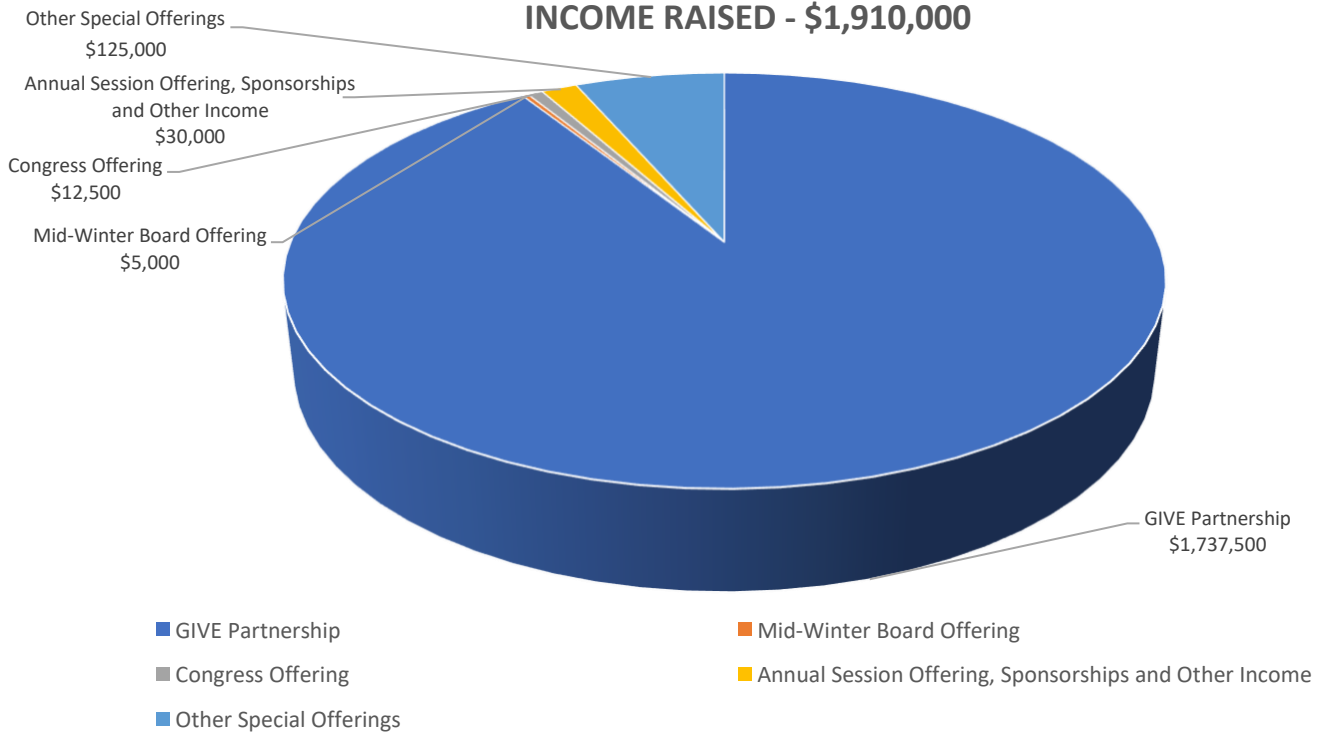
## Disbursement by Percentages

| #  | Category                                 | Percentage Based<br>on \$3,475,000.00 | Amount 100%           | Amount 50%          |
|----|------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 1  | Brotherhood                              | 0.57                                  | \$20,000.00           | 10,000.00           |
| 2  | Senior Women's Missionary Union          | 1.00                                  | \$35,000.00           | 17,500.00           |
| 3  | Women's Intermediate Auxiliary           | 0.71                                  | \$25,000.00           | 12,500.00           |
| 4  | Junior Women's Auxiliary                 | 0.34                                  | \$12,000.00           | 6,000.00            |
| 5  | Ushers                                   | 0.48                                  | \$17,000.00           | 8,500.00            |
| 6  | Health Awareness Team                    | 0.43                                  | \$15,000.00           | 7,500.00            |
| 7  | Pastors Conference                       | 0.54                                  | \$19,000.00           | 9,500.00            |
| 8  | Ministers Wives                          | 0.54                                  | \$19,000.00           | 9,500.00            |
| 9  | <b>Auxiliaries Total</b>                 | <b>5.00</b>                           | <b>\$162,000.00</b>   | <b>81,000.00</b>    |
| 10 | Foreign Mission Board                    | 17.26                                 | \$600,000.00          | 300,000.00          |
| 11 | Home Mission Board                       | 5.75                                  | \$200,000.00          | 100,000.00          |
| 12 | College & Seminary Board                 | 5.75                                  | \$200,000.00          | 100,000.00          |
| 13 | Church Growth & Development              | 2.87                                  | \$100,000.00          | 50,000.00           |
| 14 | Evangelical Board                        | 2.87                                  | \$100,000.00          | 50,000.00           |
| 15 | Insurance & Annuity Board                | 0.29                                  | \$10,000.00           | 5,000.00            |
| 16 | <b>Boards Total</b>                      | <b>35.00</b>                          | <b>\$1,210,000.00</b> | <b>605,000.00</b>   |
| 17 | Congress                                 | 1.72                                  | \$60,000.00           | 30,000.00           |
| 18 | Young Adult Convention                   | 0.48                                  | \$17,000.00           | 8,500.00            |
| 19 | Youth & Children's Convention            | 1.72                                  | \$60,000.00           | 30,000.00           |
| 20 | <b>Christian Education Total</b>         | <b>4.00</b>                           | <b>\$137,000.00</b>   | <b>68,500.00</b>    |
| 21 | Social Justice Commission                | 0.57                                  | \$25,000.00           | 12,500.00           |
| 22 | Chaplaincy Commission                    | 0.28                                  | \$10,000.00           | 5,000.00            |
| 23 | Commission on Orthodoxy                  | 0.20                                  | \$7,000.00            | 3,500.00            |
| 24 | <b>Commissions Total</b>                 | <b>1.00</b>                           | <b>\$42,000.00</b>    | <b>21,000.00</b>    |
| 25 | Simmons College of Kentucky              | 7.90                                  | \$250,000.00          | 125,000.00          |
| 26 | <b>Simmons Total</b>                     | <b>7.00</b>                           | <b>\$250,000.00</b>   | <b>125,000.00</b>   |
| 27 | Headquarters and Operations              | 48.00                                 | \$1,674,000.00        | 837,000.00          |
| 28 | <b>Headquarters and Operations Total</b> | <b>48.00</b>                          | <b>\$1,674,000.00</b> | <b>837,000.00</b>   |
| 29 | <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                       | <b>100.00</b>                         | <b>\$3,475,000.00</b> | <b>1,737,500.00</b> |

**TOTAL INCOME, OFFERINGS & SPONSORSHIPS at 100% of PROJECTED  
INCOME RAISED \$3,820,000**



**TOTAL INCOME, OFFERINGS & SPONSORSHIPS at 50% of PROJECTED  
INCOME RAISED - \$1,910,000**



#### **IV. BENEFITS OF BEING IN THE GLOBAL IMPACT GIVING PROGRAM**

There are multiple benefits of being a part of this program. First, you are helping to expand NBCA's reach in evangelism, missions and education, as well as support the operational expenses of the convention. Beyond that, members who are current with their commitment will experience the following benefits.

##### **Churches, State Conventions and Associations Member Benefits**

- No parent body registration fee for Mid-Winter Board, Congress and Annual Session.
- No Young Adult Convention or Youth & Children's Convention registration
- No church or state registration fee for any conferences that auxiliaries, boards or commissions host during the year.

##### **Individual Member Benefits**

- No registration fee for Mid-Winter Board, Congress and Annual Session
- No individual registration fee for auxiliaries, boards or commissions meetings or conferences held during the year.
- No annual dues Board of Directors dues for officers.

#### **V. ENROLLMENT PERIOD AND PROGRAM LAUNCH**

The Global Impact Vision Expansion (G.I.V.E.) Partnership will officially launch on July 1, 2020; however, we are launching the commitment campaign immediately, in which we are asking everyone to sign a commitment card. You can complete a commitment card online or at any of the NBCA meetings. Once the program starts, you can make your monthly commitment payments securely thru an online platform or mail a check to the Office of the Treasurer.