



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Adoption Resource Fund

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." Jer. 29:11

We are excited you are applying for a grant from the Adoption Resource Fund! It is the church's privilege to come alongside you and your family while you are on this journey that is so close to the heart of God. The application process for the Adoption Resource Fund has three components:

1. Complete application form
2. Two letters of reference
3. Copy of your completed homestudy

Documents may be mailed or dropped off at:

**First United Methodist Church
Adoption Resource Fund
1701 W. 32nd St.
Sedalia, MO 65301**

After the Adoption Resource Fund team receives these three documents, we will meet to review your application and make a grant decision. May the Lord bless you as you join Him in this incredible adventure of adoption.

Date _____

Name _____ Email Address _____

Address _____ City/St _____ Zip _____

Cell Phone () _____ Home Phone () _____

Spouse's Name _____ Email address _____

Cell Phone () _____

Number and ages of current children (if any) _____

Details of Adoption

Name of Adoption Agency _____

Address _____ City/St _____ Zip _____

Name of contact person/social worker _____ Phone _____

Number of children you wish to adopt _____ May we contact your agency? Yes No

When others hear your “adoption story” it may prompt them to donate money to The Adoption Resource Fund so we can help more families like yours. May we use your “adoption story” and photographs on our website and/or in other electronic or printed media for these purposes? (Your answer will not affect the awarding of your grant.)

_____ Yes

_____ No

In the space below, please share your story with us. Please include how you and your family believe adoption is part of God’s plan for you.

Signature _____

Date _____

Spouse’s Signature _____

Date _____