## **Project Description**

- 1. **Church Life** Tell us about your church: (this is literally what you would say to someone who says, "tell me about your church."
- 2. **Vision** What is the written vision for your church? (How is your church distinctive? How can your church change lives? Why does your church matter?)
- 3. **Mission** What is the mission for your church? (How are you going to accomplish your vision? How are you going to build a Christian community?
- 4. **Plan** Tell us about the plan to Revitalize/Renew/Redevelop your congregation.
- 5. **Demographic Research (www.missioninsite.com) Please include a copy of the data.** What does the demographic research show? Who are the potential members?
- 6. **Leadership Team:** Who are the members of your leadership team and what skill sets do they have to accomplish your goal? Include items such as faith journey, history with the current church, core values and experiences that will help you equip this church to revitalize.
- 7. **Church History:** Attendance, membership, giving, budget and expenses for the last 5 years.
- 8. **Tell us about your church facility:** When was it built? Is it accessible?
- 9. **Timelines and Benchmarks:** Provide goals for redevelopment/revitalization of your congregation. What metrics will you use to measure success?
- 10. **Budget** what is the budget for the proposed timeline? Please include a detailed narrative budget for the next 5 years.
- 11. **Financial Stability:** How will you utilize grant funds? How will you offset declining grant funding? How will you raise new dollars in the future?
- 12. **Identify your coach.** (Someone who is specifically trained to work with congregations in their efforts to revitalize/redevelop.)