



love God, love people, be changed

To Whom It May Concern:

North City Church of Christ chose to locate in the Mark Twain neighborhood of St. Louis just over three years ago. This neighborhood is regarded by many to be one of the roughest in the city. We see it as an incredible opportunity to live out our mission to love God, love people, be changed.

The first few years have been spent renovating the formerly Catholic facility and building trust among our neighbors. We believe that we are on the cusp of a major breakthrough and need to increase our focus on outreach and discipleship.

This is why we have asked Keith Brown and his family to join us. They will be moving into the rectory to become a part of the neighborhood. Initially, their main tasks are to meet their neighbors and get acclimated to the culture of the inner city. Keith will then help the church develop small groups and outreach opportunities to bring in new believers and disciple the maturing members.

The Brown family needs you to partner with them in this endeavor. Being an inner city church, we aren't able to provide much more than a roof over their heads as they serve Christ in this setting. All of our staff has raised their salary and Keith is beginning to do the same. His letter will let you know about his need.

We believe that Keith is the right man for such a time as this for North City Church of Christ to minister to its surrounding community. His family has much to offer the kingdom by joining us here. Would you prayerfully consider how you might partner with them? Whether it be prayer, arranging for volunteers to help with projects, or sending tax deductible donations towards his salary, we are thankful that you will be a partner with North City Church of Christ and the Brown family.

In His Service,

Robert Lawrence
Senior Minister