















## BETHEL AME CHURCH LEBANON, OH Building on the faithfulness of those who served before Continuing with Prayer & Fasting Getting to know the people and the community Finding out what is needed within the community Submitting applications for grants including a State Capital Budget Grant Discerning God's Heart



We envision a facility designed to include gathering spaces for community dialog and lifelong learning. We intend to develop a mixture of amenities centered around the intention of being an integral part of a self-sustaining healthy community.



## WORKING TOGETHER TO BUILD UP BELOVED COMMUNITY

Dr. King's Beloved Community is a global vision in which all people can share in the wealth of the earth. In the Beloved Community, poverty, hunger and homelessness will not be tolerated because international standards of human decency will not allow it. Racism and all forms of discrimination, bigotry and prejudice will be replaced by an all-inclusive spirit of sisterhood and brotherhood



Because this collaboration...

- Contributes to community needs and vision in multiple ways &
- Honors the legacy of long-time neighbors who once occupied the properties

"We believe this project will enhance the spiritual, physical, social and economic health of the neighborhood and therefore contribute to the overall wellbeing of the city." Rev. Koren Schoeffer, Ph.D.









