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For more than 30 years, MFC consultants have been meeting one-on-one with individuals and families, helping them establish good financial habits, including advice on how to talk about the difficult topic of money with your spouse and children. MFC is dedicated to biblical principles and since 1974, has been investing a large portion of its assets back into its supporting communities.

Financial Literacy

MFC's teaching and preaching on the appropriate and responsible use of God's gifts challenges young couples and families to live out their faith in a material way. MFC is committed to helping individuals, couples and families work at what it means to be stewards of all that God has entrusted to us.

Encouraging financial literacy and providing stewardship education is one of the primary mandates of MFC. Demand for stewardship materials, and strong affirmation of MFC's ongoing efforts reinforces our commitment to continue to build this important ministry.

Resources available to you online at mennonitefoundation.ca include:

First Things First. Learn how to manage money from a Christian perspective by putting first things first.

Money Management and Financial Planning Guide. Developed by MFC staff, through extensive research and practical experience.

God, Money, and Me. Exploring the spiritual significance of money in our lives.

Managing God's Good Gifts. A series of lessons designed to prompt group discussion on a variety of topics related to biblical stewardship.



Estate Planning

Financial and estate planning is a dynamic process. As you move through different stages of life, your needs and resources change. Start planning today, realizing that your plans will need to be updated from time to time as your circumstances change.

The goal of estate planning is to provide for your family (especially dependants), to simplify the work of your estate trustees, to continue your support for the charities of your choice, and to minimize taxes.

MFC consultants are trained to assist individuals and families with estate and will planning, and charitable gift planning. We are often used as a "quarterback" in helping people achieve their financial, charitable and estate goals.


Will Planning

The cornerstone of a good estate plan is a current, properly drawn up will. MFC consultants are available to meet with individuals, to help you with the planning of your will or estate. The role of an MFC consultant in this setting is to answer any questions you have, to serve as a sounding board for ideas. If they don't know the answers they will find them for you. This is a free service that we offer to encourage the practice of estate planning.

Understanding Power of Attorney

Next to your will, your power of attorney (POA) document is the most important component of your estate plan. While your will outlines your wishes upon death, the POA authorizes someone to act for you while you are alive — but are either temporarily absent or are mentally or physically incapable of handling your own affairs.

Authorizing someone to act for you for financial and personal reasons is an excellent insurance policy for any adult. Do the planning now and put the documents in place to avoid possible complications later.



Power of Attorney legislation and terminology vary from province to province. MFC consultants are prepared to assist you with information on powers of attorney as it relates to your province of residence.

Gift Planning

MFC consultants provide gift planning expertise, counsel and services to help you realize your charitable giving goals—and save on taxes along the way. MFC offers a full service of gift planning options and opportunities.

Scholarships

MFC has a number of scholarships available to qualifying students. Applications for these scholarships can be found online or you can request them from any of our offices across Canada. To look at the full list of scholarships, go to mennonitefoundation.ca/learning/scholarships

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