

# Tabernacle Bible Church

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John Banks, Senior Pastor

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Dear Pastor or Mission Committee Chair:

For the past 5 years, I have been the pastor of John and Kelly Kornbau. I would like to recommend John and Kelly to you as an extension of your mission's ministry to the people in the Republic of Ireland. John's goal is to assist a small local church and provide outreach to unchurched families through children's and camping ministry.

John and Kelly put their energy into serving wherever they believe God is calling them with joy. I have observed John serving with diligence in the areas of Sunday School Superintendent. I found him to be reliable and conscientious.

I have observed John as co-laborer in the gospel through our church's partnership with CEF of Eastern PA, in particular Wayne-Pike Counties. John is noticeably gifted in working with children and youth.

About 2 years ago, God directed John and Kelly to focus their energy on Lackawanna County, PA through CEF. The change was a move even though it was only a county away. Lacking an already established church network of support and workers, I witnessed bold courage in the face of significant financial risk.

As far as I am aware, God has rewarded their faith and effort in the Wayne, Pike and Lackawanna county School Districts of Northeast Pennsylvania as church families have witnessed many children respond to the gospel.

John and Kelly are raising their young family for the glory of God. Not without its challenges, I have seen them overcome and adapt their ministry to make family a priority. Their family will be an asset in Ireland.

I highly recommend that you give John and Kelly Kornbau the opportunity to share what God is doing in their lives, and their vision for the Republic of Ireland.

Sincerely,



John S. Banks  
Sr. Pastor



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