

Capital Markets Overview

Myers Park Covenant Church's Endowment Committee maintains an asset allocation structure providing the Investment Consultant with appropriate asset class weightings for each endowment fund. This is done in a way to maximize return vs. risk. It is important to remember that each of the endowments are subject to market volatility and may lose value. Below is a snapshot of major benchmark performance for the first quarter of 2026:

- US Equity:
 - S&P 500 Total Return -4.33%
 - Russell Midcap +1.30%
 - Russell 2000 (Small Cap) +0.89%
- International Equity:
 - MSCI AC World ex US Gross -0.60%
 - MSCI EM Gross -1.39%
- Fixed Income:
 - 90-Day T-Bills +0.93%
 - Bloomberg US Aggregate -0.05%
- Inflation:
 - CPI +1.31%

General Endowment Overview

As of March 31, 2026, the General Endowment investment portfolio totaled \$8.4 million in assets. The General Endowment returned -1.7% for the quarter and 11.7% for the trailing 12 months. At the total fund level, the Endowment outperformed the 65% ACWI / 30% Bloomberg US Aggregate / 5% cash for the quarter and trailed for the year-end period. Over the long term, the Endowment has generated annualized returns of 7.3% over the trailing 10 years. As of quarter end, 49.0% of the portfolio assets were allocated to passively managed strategies (index funds).

Equity / Growth Assets Composite returned -2.9% for the quarter and +18.4% for the trailing 12 months. The composite bested its benchmark for the quarter but lagged for the 1-year due to a tilt to US equities, which underperformed international equities in 2025. The portfolio was underweight equities at quarter-end, 58.0% current vs 64.0% target.

The Fixed Income / Risk Reduction Assets Composite returned +0.1% for the quarter and +5.4% for the trailing 12 months. The Composite bested the Bloomberg US Aggregate index for all trailing time periods. The composite is currently managed by five active managers.

The Forever Forward Endowment totaled over \$3.2 million as of March 31, 2026, and returned -1.7% for the quarter and +12.8% for the one-year period.

The Cornwell Endowment totaled just shy of \$5.6 million as of March 31, 2026, and returned -1.8% for the quarter and +13.4% for the one-year period.

The Cornwell Capital Endowment totaled over \$1.8 million as of March 31, 2026, and returned -2.1% for the +13.0% for the one-year period.