ROOTED Annual Report: 2021

2020 saw the launch of *RootedGood*, a year of building, putting in place systems and processes, and trying to respond creatively to the opportunities and challenges of the pandemic. Based on the foundation of 2020, in 2021, *RootedGood* began implementing key projects and initiatives at the intersection of faith, innovation and economics. *The Oikos Project*, an initiative funded by Lilly Endowment, began equipping dozens of churches with an online

accelerator and the tools and processes they need to start a social enterprise. Due to the acceleration of the economic crisis facing congregations, our role as **thought-leaders** unexpectedly took-off, reaching thousands of leaders across the country. We also delivered **key projects** in collaboration with **high-profile clients** and grew a team of three into four through the excellent addition of Tito Ponce.

THOUGHT LEADERSHIP podcasts Shannon Hopkins' two articles in TRAINED 🝣 FAITH AND LEADERSHIP **ORGANZATIONS** 2,261 views PEOPLE TO RUN MAKE GOOD Initial test phase with 30 members

OIKOS PROJECT WHAT NOW? **HOW WILL WE GATHER? APPLICATIONS FOR** downloads **OIKOS** downloads ACCELERATOR PLACE-BASED COHORTS LAUNCHED IN MADISON, WI AND PORTLAND, OR NEW WHAT **HOW TO** WHAT **TOOLS ABOUT DEVELOP** NEXT? **CREATED** TAXES? WELL

COLLABORATIVE LEARNING & DESIGN

SOME KEY EXAMPLES:

WORKED TOGETHER TO PRODUCE HOW TO

TALK ABOUT RESOURCES

PRINCETON THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY - HELPED
THEM WITH LEARNING AND DESIGN FOR THEIR
CONTINUING EDUCATION INITIATIVE

LUTHER SEMINARY - SUPPORTING THEIR RELEVANCE TO RESONANCE PROJECT

DUKE DIVINITY SCHOOL - RECEIVED A GRANT TO DEVELOP OUR **MONEY AND MISSION** TOOL

TEXAS METHODIST FOUNDATION SUPPORTING
THEIR LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
WITH IMPACT MEASUREMENT TRAINING

INTERNAL



Appointed TITO PONCE
as PROJECT MANAGER FOR OIKOS
in March, promoted to DIRECTOR
OF OPERATIONS in December