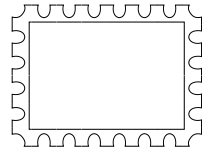


Giving today for ministry tomorrow.



The purpose of the Plainfield United Methodist Church Endowment Program is to provide members and friends of the church the opportunity to make charitable gifts to the church *today* that will become part of a permanent endowment of financial support for ministry *tomorrow* and well into the future.

Only income (interest, etc.) from gifts made to the Endowment Program will be used for ministry

and mission in and through Plainfield United Methodist Church, assuring the lasting legacy of each donor and gift.



Gifts may be designated for a particular ministry or given to the Memorial/Celebration Fund for the general benefit of the church.

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Administering permanent gifts for future ministry of the Plainfield United Methodist Church and its members and constituents.

“Creating community which honors God.”

One Mission - Many Gifts, Many Ways to Give.....

Endowment Funds are managed with the single intent of fulfilling the church's Christian mission of "Creating community which honors God, in our homes, in the church and in the world." But there are many possible kinds of gifts and many ways to give.

Possible types of gifts include....

- * Cash
- * Real Estate
- * Securities

And gifts can be made for any reason or occasion....

- * As a memorial to a person
- * To celebrate a life event such as a birth, wedding, or graduation
- * In support of a particular ministry, such as music, education or mission.



Gifts assure that important ministry will continue for years to come.

Many Ways to Give...

There are a variety of ways to give to Endowment Funds. Each option provides a unique tax and financial benefit to the donor.

- * Bequest (a gift by a Will)
- * Annuity (provides lifetime income for the donor or designee)
- * Charitable Trust (also provides income to donor or designee)
- * Life Estate (deed a property to the church while retaining full rights for life to live on the property)
- * Life Insurance

And gifts may be designated for a particular use...

- * Music Ministry
- * Missions
- * Pastoral Support

Or be made to a general Memorial/Celebration Fund to be used for the general benefit of the church.

In all cases, gifts are held in permanent trust and only the earnings from gifts are distributed in support of ministry and mission.

Benefits of Endowment Giving...

- * Assure the future ministry of Plainfield United Methodist Church
- * Honor and remember a special person or event
- * Tax Benefit (Consult your tax professional for details)



Learn More...

Members of the Endowment Committee are prepared to talk with any individual or group about the benefits and blessings of Endowment Giving. To make a gift or learn more, contact the committee as listed below:

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