

I'm interested. Please contact me about these ways to give:

____ Charitable Gift Annuities _____ A bequest in my will
____ Securities _____ Life insurance

I'd like to make an outright gift in response to this mailing:
The amount of the gift is \$1,000 \$500 \$250 \$100 \$50
Another amount: \$ _____

____ I'm making the gift to support the Ministers' Retirement and Healthcare Fund
____ I'm making the gift to support _____

Please turn the card over to fill in the rest of your reply information.
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Giving AT YEAR-END



Council on Development
West Ohio Conference
The United Methodist Church
32 Wesley Boulevard
Worthington, Ohio 43085

Gifts to the Council on Development can be earmarked for any United Methodist purpose:

- Ministers' Retirement and Healthcare Fund
- Any one of the local churches
- Seminaries
- Colleges and universities
- Hospitals
- Retirement Homes
- United Methodist Children's Home
- General church organizations
- Camps
- Builders' Club
- Leadership Development
- Other special askings

Gifts of all types and any amount are most welcome by the Council on Development. Please let us know if you have questions or need help in making your gift. If you choose to give by check please make it payable to the *Council on Development* and mail it to:

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You Can Make A Difference . . .

Charitable Gift Annuity: What an ingenious method of using one's property to benefit others while still providing for oneself. The donor has the ability to name an individual or individuals to receive income for life, and then the remaining amount goes to the ministry of the donor's choosing - pensions and healthcare, local church, world and national missions....

Donor Advised Funds: The donor can make an outright gift of \$5,000 or more, receive an immediate income tax deduction, and then name the ultimate use of the gift for any of the many United Methodist purposes in the future.

Last Will and Testament: A bequest through one's Will allows the giver to designate a special dollar amount, specific assets, or a percentage of one's estate as their gift.

Appreciated Stocks, Bonds, and Mutual Funds: Taxes on "capital gains" (the difference between the market value and original cost of stocks, bonds, and mutual funds), can be avoided when they are used as gifts to the Council on Development.

Life Insurance: Owners of life insurance can make the Council on Development the beneficiary of a policy (and perhaps the owner), the donor designating how the proceeds shall be used - for any United Methodist agency.

Retirement Assets: Tax-free distributions from a qualified IRA of a person 70 1/2 years or older can be made to the Council on Development through 2009. Contact us for more information.

Cash: The most often used method to support the ministries of the church. The Council on Development gratefully receives checks in any amount.

To assure accurate records and so that we may properly acknowledge your gift, please complete the following:

(Rev. Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms.) **First name(s)** _____ **Last name** _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____ **Local Church** _____

Telephone () _____ **Expiration Date** _____

E-mail address _____

Credit Card Gifts: Name on Credit Card: _____

Credit Card Number: _____

If you are making an outright gift with this response, please make your check payable to **Council on Development** and return in the provided envelope or mail to Council on Development, 32 Wesley Boulevard, Worthington, Ohio 43085

If you have received this mailing in error, please mark the original envelope and return it in the envelope provided. Your help in updating our mailing list is appreciated.