

First United Methodist Church, Omaha

is a welcoming and inclusive community,
inspired to grow with and in God.

We are **passionate**:
intellectually challenging and
theologically progressive.

We are **compassionate**:
supportive, healing, and actively involved
in mission and social justice.

Your gift to the Foundation of First United Methodist Church of Omaha, Nebraska can be given without designation to grow and support future ministries of mercy and justice in ministry fields most needed at the time.



Perpetual Pledges:

Establish the continuation of your annual contribution to the Operating Budget of FUMC Omaha after your death. Make a gift to the Foundation for that purpose, and your one time gift lives and gives forever.

Facility Maintenance and Improvements:



Since 1957 our building and grounds have provided space and setting for thousands upon thousands of people to be involved in ministry. Helping insure funding for renovations and improvements into the future will provide additions as needed and envisioned such as the prayer garden, gazebo, new trees, gardens, parking lot maintenance and interior renovation.

Keeping the Dream Alive...
Moving the Vision Forward...



Endowment Opportunities





Since its beginning in the late 1990s, The Foundation of First United Methodist Church of Omaha has continued to provide a means for church programs and ministries that might otherwise not have been possible during the transition years in the first decade of the 21st century. Its funding has largely been from unsolicited gifts and bequests provided by members and friends who believed deeply in the purposeful mission of the historic congregation's commitment to a lifestyle grounded in values of justice and compassion for all people. Today, we are the beneficiaries of the financial commitment made by those who have gone before. And, today, we are called to grow the historic and purposeful vision into the next generation. Our support today strengthens the congregations work now, and in the future.

MAKE A GIFT THROUGH:

- Cash donations
- Electronic funds transfers
- Life insurance policies (existing or new)
 - Annuities
 - Endowments
 - Stocks
 - Bonds
- Mutual funds
- Trusts
- Property
- Real estate

In addition to non-designated giving, there are many ways you can give today for tomorrow's ministries. You may choose to designate your gifts to one of the particular initiatives identified here which is meaningful to you. Your gift can support a particular passion of your choice.



Music Ministry:

Help insure the continued growth and excellence in the Music Ministry of the Congregation. Enhancements to choral music, pipe organ, instrumentalists, vocalists as well as new and creative models of the arts in worship.



Emerging Ministries:

Provide for the immediate funding of new and relevant ministries. Because of this fund, leadership can begin new ministries when they are conceived, rather than missing a ripe opportunity to serve and to act in a timely manner due to Operating Budget constraints.



Global Missions:

Reaching out through the world-wide ministry of the United Methodist Church via funding of existing missional outposts and opportunities around the globe, we live for all people everywhere.



Scholarships:

Supporting our active Senior High Youth graduates into their future education is one way that we honor our students. This scholarship fund provides the resources for making those annual scholarships.



Community Outreach:

Your generous giving supports local ministries such as the homeless shelter, Emergency Assistance, Sienna Francis House, local food pantries, Youth Emergency Services and much more for the citizens of our city and community.



Peace with Justice:

Increase our hands working to bring peace through justice ministries locally, nationally and globally by strengthening our funding for these vital and emerging causes. This is a fundamental value of the historic vision for relevant ministry of our congregation.

To Make a Donation Contact:

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Go to: www.fumcomaha.org to find out more.

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