Treasurer Update

2020 THIRD QUARTER

DEAR CONGREGATION,

We recognize that there are a lot of places you could donate your money to. So, let me take a moment and thank you for supporting Avon United Methodist Church. Your gifts allow us to continue to do God's work as we serve the congregation and the community. Let me highlight some of the areas your funds have helped support this quarter.

STAFFING

- The last several months have been unprecedented times. We are blessed to have kept all our staff working or paid on Coronavirus Time Off at 50% or more of their hours/pay the entire time.

BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

- We have recently replaced 3 aging and failing AC units.
- We have seal-coated and re-striped the parking lot.
- We have added new lighting in the Sanctuary to help brighten the chancel area for both in person and online services.

COMMUNITY SUPPORT

- Through these times, we have also been able to continue giving 10% of all congregational giving to Missions. This has allowed AUMC to focus on helping local community organizations with Food, Shelter, or Healthcare needs.

THE MANY WAYS TO GIVE

Giving should be easy and convenient.

Some people prefer to give cash or write a check and that's fine. Cash and checks can be dropped in the:

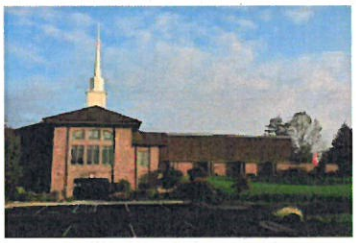
- Offering Plate
- Mail Slot outside the Treasurer's office
- Mail to the Church office (6850 E. US Hwy 36, Avon, IN 46123)

Other people have gotten in the habit of using their debit or even their phone to pay for things or paying for everything online. So that's an option for contributing to the church as well. Online giving can be done:

- Using the online banking options at your personal bank.
- Using the church's online giving option, called Pushpay.

QUALIFIED CHARITABLE DISTRIBUTION.

Using a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) is a great way for individuals over 70 &1/2 with an IRA and a need to withdraw funds to meet a Required Minimum Distribution (RMD), to contribute to Avon United Methodist Church. The money you contribute to AUMC using a QCD is not included in your adjusted gross income on your tax return which is a better option than listing the donation as a simple charitable contribution. Click here for more information.



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