

The Christian Covenant Endowment is making a difference in the North Lake Community with grants for:



Hand Chimes for the Bell Choir



Children's Christmas Musical

*"Do all the good you can, in all the places you can, to all the people you can."*

John Wesley

## WAYS TO GIVE

Examples of gifts that can ensure the perpetuity and expansion of the North Lake United Methodist Church ministries include:

Cash  
Wills  
Stocks/Bonds  
Trusts  
Memorial Gifts  
Life Insurance  
Real Estate  
Property

Contact your legal or financial advisor for assistance. Your advisor can discuss potential tax and legal advantages with you. If you do not have an advisor and need a referral, please contact Director of Gifts, North Lake United Methodist Church at:

[CCE@northlakeumc.org](mailto:CCE@northlakeumc.org)

If you would like more information or have questions, please call the Church office and ask to be contacted by a member of the Christian Covenant Endowment Committee.

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## Christian Covenant Endowment Fund

North Lake United Methodist Church



*"And whatever you do, in word or in deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."*

Colossians 3:17

## CHRISTIAN Covenant Endowment

What is the most treasured gift you have ever received? Possibly it was a special piece of furniture or childhood toy your grandfather made, a hand-pieced quilt sewn by great grandma, a helping hand when you most needed it. Those cherished gifts keep on giving, bringing us joy and reminding us of that special person who provided the gift. God's precious gift of love to us was his son, Jesus.

A bequest to the Christian Covenant Endowment of North Lake United Methodist Church demonstrates one's love of God with a gift that provides everlasting financial support for Christian ministry. An endowment gift also is a gift of love that keeps on giving from generation to generation.



Prayer Shawl Ministry

## Christian COVENANT Endowment

*... "Provide purses for yourselves that will not wear out, a treasure in heaven that will not be exhausted." ... Luke 12:33*

The word "covenant" is essential, reminding us that the gift is a covenant, lasting forever. The Church's ministry is affected now and for future generations.

The Christian Covenant Endowment is a pool of money (from bequests/gifts) intended to produce a permanent source of income for ministries, missions, or other charitable purposes. The principle may not be spent. Rather, the principle is reinvested to produce additional income. This income can then be used to further the ministries and missions of the Church.

The Christian Covenant Endowment has three purposes:

- \* Provide a means for members and friends of the Church to make gifts/bequests of financial support and living memorials
- \* Provide a permanent source of income
- \* Provide monies, from income on investments, to fund missions and ministries.

## Christian Covenant ENDOWMENT

Endowment investments are managed by the United Methodist Foundation. The Church's Christian Covenant Endowment Committee is responsible for carrying out the terms and conditions of the North Lake United Methodist Church Endowment Fund Charter. Endowment monies are not used for general operational expenses.

Monies are used to support grant projects in the areas of:

Missions  
Youth  
Education  
Scholarship  
Building  
Ministry

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