

Electronic Funds Giving Program

Center Avenue United Methodist Church

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For Office Use Only	Envelope # _____	Date _____
Member Authorization Form		
Effective Date: _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Change Contribution Date <input type="checkbox"/> Change Financial Institution Account <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinue Electronic Contribution
<input type="checkbox"/> New Authorization <input type="checkbox"/> Change Contribution Amount		
Name of Member (Please Print) _____		
Address _____		
City _____	State _____	Zip _____
Regular Contribution <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly – Transferred on (Check One): <input type="checkbox"/> Monday <input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday <input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday <input type="checkbox"/> Friday <input type="checkbox"/> Every Other Week – Transferred on (Check One): <input type="checkbox"/> Monday <input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday <input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday <input type="checkbox"/> Friday <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly – Transferred on _____ of every month (Example: 5 th of every month) Currently all EFT contributors are giving monthly on the 5th.		Current Expense Fund \$ _____ Benevolence Fund \$ _____ Building Fund \$ _____ Special Offerings (Explanation on Back) \$ _____ Total Contribution Amount \$ _____
Please take my contribution directly from the account specified:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Checking Account (attach a voided check)		<input type="checkbox"/> Savings Account (attach a savings deposit slip)
Routing #: _____ Routing number must start with 0, 1, 2, or 3, is 9 digits long, and is located at bottom of check between these symbols □:□:		Account #: _____
I authorize Center Avenue United Methodist Church to process debit entries to my account. I have attached a voided check or savings deposit slip. This authority will remain in effect until I give reasonable notification to terminate this authorization.		
Authorized signature on my account: _____		Date: _____
Please attach a voided check or savings deposit slip.		

Special Offerings

The dollar amount designated on the front of this form will be divided equally between two *Special Offerings* per month as shown below. Contributions of varying support levels may be made individually through the offering plate rather than through the electronic funds giving program.

January

- **First Quarter Communion** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of The United Methodist Church through Mission Share
- **Human Relations Day** – This *General Church Special Offering* funds Community Developers, Voluntary Services and Youth Offender Rehabilitation to further develop better human relations

February

- **Disability Awareness Sunday** – This *Annual Conference Special Offering* promotes awareness of issues as well as ministries that provide opportunities for fuller inclusion of people with disabilities.
- **Ash Wednesday** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the Pitcairn Food Pantry

March

- **Lenten Offering** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of Center Avenue United Methodist Church through the Current Expense Fund
- **Maundy (Holy) Thursday** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of Center Avenue United Methodist Church through the Current Expense Fund

April

- **Easter** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of Center Avenue United Methodist Church through the Current Expense Fund
- **Youth Service Fund** – This *Annual Conference Special Offering* celebrates youth as it raises funds to be distributed by youth to support mission projects and outreach efforts of youth groups and youth-serving agencies

May

- **Second Quarter Communion** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the United Methodist Church Union, our mission arm in Allegheny County.
- **Mother's Day** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the Monroeville Mall Ministry

June

- **One Great Hour of Sharing** – This *General Church Special Offering* shares the goodness of life with those who hurt by providing seed funding for first response efforts in times of disaster by The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR)
- **Father's Day** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the Methodist Union of Social Agencies (MUSA) in Homestead, PA.

July

- **Native American Ministries** – This *General Church Special Offering* recognizes the contributions of Native Americans to our society by funding Native American ministries, initiatives, and seminary scholarships
- **Peace with Justice Sunday** – This *General Church Special Offering* calls the church to action by supporting peace with justice ministries of the annual conference and the General Board of Church and Society

August

- **Third Quarter Communion** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of The United Methodist Church through Mission Share
- **Golden Cross Sunday** – This *Annual Conference Special Offering* furthers the work of health and welfare ministries in the annual conference through our homes: Arbutus Park Manor in Johnstown, United Methodist Services for the Aging in Mount Lebanon, and Wesbury United Methodist Community in Meadville

September

- **Christian Education Sunday** – This *Annual Conference Special Offering* calls the church as the people of God to be open to growth and learning as disciples of Jesus Christ by funding Operation Sunday School, Lab School, and Laity Scholarships
- **Rural Life Sunday** – This *Annual Conference Special Offering* emphasizes the value of small membership churches through grants for special initiatives

October

- **World Communion Sunday** – This *General Church Special Offering* calls the church to be universal and inclusive by funding Crusade and Ethnic In-service Training
- **Camping Sunday** – This *Annual Conference Special Offering* supports the camping and retreat ministries of our annual conference through Camp Allegheny, Jumonville, Wesley Woods, and Olmsted Manor

November

- **United Methodist Student Day** – This *General Church Special Offering* calls the church to support students as they prepare life in uniting faith with knowledge funding scholarships and loans for United Methodist students
- **Thanksgiving Offering** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the Pitcairn Meals on Wheels

December

- **Advent Communion** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of the Center Avenue United Methodist Church through the Current Expense Fund
- **Christmas Offering** – This *Local Church Special Offering* supports the mission and ministry of The United Methodist Church through Mission Share and the Center Avenue United Methodist Church through the Current Expense Fund