



Your annual investment can be made simply and safely through monthly contributions made through an automatic draft on a bank or credit card account. Or you may choose to make a single annual payment.

Your commitment is renewable annually. We will inform you of the many ways that your legacy investment builds results that matter.

If you are unable to participate at the Bronze level, you may want to give at the EMS plus level, which is any annual amount from \$35 to \$110.

- EMS membership - \$30
- EMS plus - \$ _____
- Bronze Legacy - \$10 monthly
- Silver Legacy - \$25 monthly
- Gold Legacy - \$50 monthly
- Platinum Legacy - \$100 monthly
- Select another monthly amount \$ _____
- Estate Legacy – will/trust
- Please call me to discuss

My preference for giving is

- A bank account draft
- A credit card account
- Payment by check
- Other, please specify:



YOUR LEGACY

THE TRUE MEANING OF LEGACY IS TO PLANT TREES UNDER WHOSE SHADE YOU DON'T EXPECT TO SIT.

Dear friend of men's ministries:

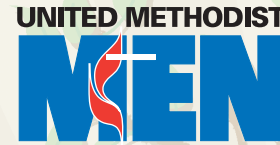
For years United Methodist Men have supported ministries with an annual membership called EMS (Every Man Shares in Evangelism, Missions and Spiritual life). This amount supports ministries in annual conferences, jurisdictions and national ministries.

At the 2005 National Gathering of United Methodist Men at Purdue University, participants decided they wanted to leave legacies for future generations. They gave birth to the Legacy Builders program.

Legacy Builders are persons who make monthly investments of \$10 or more. That pledge pays their EMS commitment; the balance of their monies is deposited with the United Methodist Men Foundation to support ministries.

All Legacy Builders will receive the *UMMen* magazine and other benefits of EMS, but they will also know that their monthly gifts will provide ways to enable men to live with Christ at the center of their lives.

Yours in Christ,
The Rev. David Adams
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**LEAVE A LEGACY TO REACH THE
HEARTS OF MEN FOR CHRIST AND
HELP THE CHURCH EFFECTIVELY
MINISTER TO AND THROUGH MEN.**



**UNITED
METHODIST MEN
EMS / LEGACY
BUILDERS**

MISSION

**To enable men to put Christ
at the center of their lives;
To set the hearts of men afire
for Christ; and To equip
United Methodist congregations
for ministry to and
through men.**



**A CHANGED HEART,
LIKE JOHN WESLEY'S
WARMED HEART.**

EMS

(Evangelism, Mission and Spiritual Life)

In a simple distribution plan, your first \$30 pays your EMS membership. Enrollment at the Bronze Level or above supports existing and future ministries.

Your EMS commitment supports

- District and conference ministries
- Jurisdictional and national ministries
- Conference presidents
- Scouting and civic youth ministries
- Missions
- Upper Room prayer ministries
- Training and resources
- Administrative expenses

As you increase your pledge above the bronze level, your contribution will be invested in the United Methodist Men Foundation. The foundation supports Scouting, the Upper Room Prayer Line and various ministries to and with men.

EMS Benefits

As an EMS contributor, you will receive the quarterly *UMMen* magazine and discounts on men's events and materials. All Legacy Builders are EMS members.

MINISTRIES SUPPORTED

BY YOUR LEGACY GIFT

Leader Training

United Methodist Men conducts training for conference and district leaders. It also develops curriculum and training for Men's Ministry Specialists. These men assist local congregations become more effective in reaching men and growing men spiritually.

Wesley Band of Brothers

Men are invited to grow in Christ together in Wesleyan Bands of Brothers. They become men whose faith is reproduced in others as they mature as spiritual fathers. Some men serve their local congregations and pastors in men's ministry teams.

Retreats and Events

Spiritually enriching growth experiences are offered to men through retreats and regional events across the nation.

Scouting

The United Methodist Church is the second largest charter organization of Boy Scouts of America with almost 400,000 youth meeting in 12,000 units in 8,000 churches. The UMM Foundation also annually provides 10,000 New Testaments to a national scout camp. Other youth agencies promoted as outreach ministries include: Girl Scouts of the USA, Camp Fire USA, Big Brothers Big Sisters and 4-H.

Hunger relief

The commission supports the Society of St. Andrew which annually leads 9,000 volunteers into farmers' fields to glean more than 3.7 million pounds of food for America's hungry. Through Meals for Millions contributions, the men provided another 5.7 million pounds of fresh produce. The salvaged food resulted in 28.2 million servings of food for the hungry.

The Upper Room Prayer Line

This toll-free line receives some 36,000 calls a month. A network of over 1,000 people answer prayer requests in more than 300 covenant prayer groups around the world. "I thank God for the faithfulness of men of God like those in our UM Men connection," said Migdiel Pérez, manager of the prayer center.

Ministries to Children of Incarcerated Parents

A new partnership with Big Brothers Big Sisters of America matches United Methodist men with youth whose parents are incarcerated. The organization is located in 5,000 communities around the country. The commission has projects in several annual conferences.

Strength for Service to God and Country

The commission helps send copies of an updated World War II book of daily devotions to troops deployed in Iraq and Afghanistan. Over 250,000 copies of the pocket-sized book have been sent to members of our armed forces.

Ministry in Other Nations

Since its birth as an agency in 1996, the Commission on United Methodist Men has striven to become financially self-sufficient in its ministries within the United States. Our goal is to use funds provided by the denomination to reach thousands of men outside U.S. borders.

All Legacy Builder funds above the bronze level will be administered by the United Methodist Men Foundation.

Your tax deductible investment will pass on a legacy of faith for generations.

You can mail or fax the enrollment form back to us, or you may enroll by phone at 615-340-7145. You may also download the automatic bank draft and credit card form from www.gcumm.org.

Your name and account information will be kept confidential and secure. We will contact you with detailed information.

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Address _____

State _____ Zip _____

Day Phone _____

Home Phone _____

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Local Church _____

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