

September 29, 2014

Emanuel United Methodist Church
Attn: Finance Committee
4256 N. Ridgeway Ave.
Chicago, IL 60618

Greetings in Christ,

Please find the enclosed information including a detailed explanation of the apportionment formula and how your church's apportionment was calculated for 2015.

Your 2015 Apportionment Summary

Church # 20005	Annual Amount	Monthly Amount
Support for Ordained Leadership:	\$5,640	\$470
Mission & Evangelism:	\$4,272	\$356
Strengthening the Connection:	\$828	\$69
Total 2015 Apportionment:	\$10,740	\$895

Apportionments are one of the most significant ways in which we as United Methodists stay connected to each other and to the shared mission of the United Methodist Church. Through apportionment giving, United Methodists are able to do together what no individual, church, cluster, district, or conference could possibly do on their own.

There are many resources available to help you further interpret apportionments in your local church setting. For more information, please visit the Northern Illinois Conference website at www.umcnic.org/leadership-resources/apportionments/ or contact me at mbunt@umcnic.org or (312) 346-9766 x741.

Thanks for your continued support of our United Methodist connectional giving,

Merrie Bunt

Apportionments Administrator,
Northern Illinois Conference

2015 Apportionment Calculation for Chicago: Emanuel Church # 20005

Please refer to the subsequent document titled "About the 2015 Apportionment" for an explanation of the revised Apportionment formula, approved at the 2014 session of the Northern Illinois Annual Conference.

Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment			
<u>5 year data set</u> 2013: 30,000 2012: 30,000 2011: 48,500 2010: 49,500 2009: 56,125	Ave. Clergy Costs	36,167	
	Calculation Rate	x16%	
	Sub-total	5,787	
	Additional Calculation:		
	Average Weekly Attendance Pastoral Residual: above (below) similar sized churches Change to apportionment	115 (11,484) -151	Final Considerations: (Round to 12 and 9% max increase or decrease)
	Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment	5,635	+5 = 5,640
Mission & Evangelism Apportionment			
<u>5 year data set</u> 2013: 30,550 2012: 30,550 2011: 30,550 2010: 43,600 2009: 43,600	Ave. Church Operation Costs	30,550	
	Calculation Rate	x14%	
	Mission & Evangelism Apportionment	4,277	-5 = 4,272
Strengthening the Connection Apportionment			
<u>5 year data set</u> 2013: 63,798 2012: 60,550 2011: 92,550 2010: 106,600 2009: 91,900	Ave. Grand Total Spending	82,749	
	Calculation Rate	x1%	
	Sub-total	827	
	Additional Calculation (Budget Size)	0	
	Connectional Apportionment	828	0 = 828
	Calculated Apportionment	10,740	
	Total 2015 Apportionment		0 = 10,740
	2014 Apportionment: Increase/Decrease of:	11,292 -5%	