

October 4, 2013

Resurrection United Methodist Church  
Attn: Finance Committee  
5717 W. 63rd Place  
Chicago, IL 60638

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 2014.

Your 2014 Apportionment Summary

Church # 20018	Annual Amount	Monthly Amount
Support for Ordained Leadership:	\$7,956	\$663
Mission & Evangelism:	\$8,160	\$680
Strengthening the Connection:	\$1,272	\$106
<b>Total 2014 Apportionment:</b>	<b>\$17,388</b>	<b>\$1,449</b>

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. Please refer to the enclosed resource guide and for more information visit the Northern Illinois Conference website at [www.umcnic.org/apportionments.php](http://www.umcnic.org/apportionments.php) or contact me at [mbunt@umcnic.org](mailto: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

## 2014 Apportionment Calculation for Chicago: Resurrection Church # 20018

Please refer to the following page titled "About the 2014 Apportionment" for an explanation of the Apportionment formula.

<b>Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment</b>			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Clergy Costs	49,674	Final Considerations: (Round to 12 and 9% max increase or decrease)
2012: 57,650	Calculation Rate	x16%	
2011: 52,766	Sub-total	7,948	
2010: 50,220	Additional Calculation:		
2009: 36,136	Average Weekly Attendance	60	
2008: 46,036	Pastoral Residual: above (below) similar sized churches	127	
	Change to apportionment	0	
	<b>Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment</b>	7,948	<b>+8 = 7,956</b>
<b>Mission &amp; Evangelism Apportionment</b>			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Church Operation Costs	58,255	<b>+4 = 8,160</b>
2012: 66,734	Calculation Rate	x14%	
2011: 62,145	<b>Mission &amp; Evangelism Apportionment</b>	8,156	
2010: 61,016			
2009: 51,604			
2008: 35,571			
<b>Strengthening the Connection Apportionment</b>			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Grand Total Spending	101,180	<b>+5 = 1,272</b>
2012: 118,388	Calculation Rate	x1%	
2011: 108,140	Sub-total	1,012	
2010: 107,331	Additional Calculation (Budget Size)	+256	
2009: 88,069	<b>Connectional Apportionment</b>	1,267	
2008: 84,360	Calculated Apportionment	17,371	
	<b>Total 2014 Apportionment</b>		<b>+17 = 17,376</b>
	2013 Apportionment:	16,620	
	Increase/Decrease of:	+5%	

Remember: We averaged the three middle years after discarding the highest and lowest years.