

October 4, 2013

Hemenway United Methodist Church
Attn: Finance Committee
933 Chicago Ave
Evanston, IL 60202

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 # 20044	Annual Amount	Monthly Amount
Support for Ordained Leadership:	\$6,420	\$535
Mission & Evangelism:	\$6,888	\$574
Strengthening the Connection:	\$1,164	\$97
Total 2014 Apportionment:	\$14,472	\$1,206

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 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

2014 Apportionment Calculation for Evanston: Hemenway Church # 20044

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

Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Clergy Costs	45,190	
2012: 47,379	Calculation Rate	x16%	
2011: 45,379	Sub-total	7,230	
2010: 45,442	Additional Calculation:		Final Considerations: (Round to 12 and 9% max increase or decrease)
2009: 44,750	Average Weekly Attendance	80	
2008: 43,340	Pastoral Residual: above (below) similar sized churches	(17,382)	
	Change to apportionment	-525	
	Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment	6,705	-285 = 6,420
Mission & Evangelism Apportionment			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Church Operation Costs	51,393	
2012: 59,410	Calculation Rate	x14%	
2011: 59,410	Mission & Evangelism Apportionment	7,195	-307 = 6,888
2010: 59,410			
2009: 35,359			
2008: 30,915			
Strengthening the Connection Apportionment			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Grand Total Spending	105,929	
2012: 105,884	Calculation Rate	x1%	
2011: 106,385	Sub-total	1,059	
2010: 105,519	Additional Calculation (Budget Size)	+160	
2009: 126,126	Connectional Apportionment	1,220	-56 = 1,164
2008: 80,838	Calculated Apportionment	15,120	
	Total 2014 Apportionment		-648 = 14,472
	2013 Apportionment:	13,284	
	Increase/Decrease of:	+9%	

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