

October 4, 2013

Fair Haven United Methodist Church  
Attn: Finance Committee  
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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 # 60017	Annual Amount	Monthly Amount
Support for Ordained Leadership:	\$0	\$0
Mission & Evangelism:	\$1,236	\$103
Strengthening the Connection:	\$228	\$19
<b>Total 2014 Apportionment:</b>	<b>\$1,464</b>	<b>\$122</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,  
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## 2014 Apportionment Calculation for Fair Haven Church # 60017

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	9,083	
2012: 9,914	Calculation Rate	x16%	
2011: 10,064	Sub-total	1,453	
2010: 9,900	Additional Calculation:		Final Considerations: (Round to 12 and 9% max increase or decrease)
2009: 7,435	Average Weekly Attendance	18	
2008: 6,931	Pastoral Residual: above (below) similar sized churches	(32,411)	
	Change to apportionment	-3,405	
	<b>Support for Ordained Leadership Apportionment</b>	0	<b>0 = 0</b>
<b>Mission &amp; Evangelism Apportionment</b>			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Church Operation Costs	5,556	
2012: 5,834	Calculation Rate	x14%	
2011: 4,421	<b>Mission &amp; Evangelism Apportionment</b>	778	<b>+458 = 1,236</b>
2010: 3,533			
2009: 6,414			
2008: 6,420			
<b>Strengthening the Connection Apportionment</b>			
<u>5 year data set</u>	Ave. Grand Total Spending	14,420	
2012: 16,220	Calculation Rate	x1%	
2011: 15,025	Sub-total	144	
2010: 12,535	Additional Calculation (Budget Size)	0	
2009: 14,735	<b>Connectional Apportionment</b>	144	<b>+84 = 228</b>
2008: 13,501	Calculated Apportionment	922	
	<b>Total 2014 Apportionment</b>		<b>+542 = 1,464</b>
	2013 Apportionment:	1,608	
	Increase/Decrease of:	-9%	

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