Wilton Center Federated Church Attn: Finance Committee 14101 W Joliet Road Manhattan, IL 60442

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 # 10065	Annual Amount	Monthly Amount
Support for Ordained Leadership:	\$3,972	\$331
Mission & Evangelism:	\$1,728	\$144
Strengthening the Connection:	\$408	\$34
Total 2014 Apportionment:	\$6,108	\$509

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,

Apportionments Administrator, Northern Illinois Conference

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2014 Apportionment Calculation for Wilton Center Federated Church Church # 10065

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

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