

**Yes!** I am committed to Redeemer's Mission Outreach and interested in supporting future Christian outreach through the Endowment Fund.

- My current gift is enclosed.
- Please send me ideas of how to give through my estate plans.
- I have already included Redeemer Endowment Fund as a beneficiary in my estate plans.

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Please complete this panel and return to the Redeemer Endowment Fund

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### WHAT IS THE REDEEMER ENDOWMENT FUND?

The Redeemer Endowment Fund was established by the congregation in 1995 to support mission outreach into the future. Through this fund, we will share the love of Christ with those in our local community and beyond.

When the Redeemer Endowment Fund receives gifts, the money is permanently invested in the Endowment Fund. Only the income and interest is used for outreach--the principal in the Fund is not spent, rather it is preserved for growth. Endowment gifts go on giving forever.

Redeemer greatly appreciates all gifts of any size.



# REDEEMER ENDOWMENT FUND

CHARITABLE GIVING  
TO SUPPORT  
MISSION OUTREACH



LUTHERAN CHURCH  
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Rev. Dr. Robert Driver-Bishop  
Lead Pastor

## **Purpose of the Redeemer Endowment Fund**

You can leave a lasting legacy at Redeemer. Gifts to the Fund will remain there and grow. Each year, we will give grants only from the *earnings* to be used for mission outreach. The distributed income will go to social service agencies or charitable organizations in the greater Washington DC area and to support missions throughout the United States and the world.

## **Ways to give to the Redeemer Endowment Fund**

### **Outright Gifts**

Donate cash, CDs, stocks or bonds to the Redeemer Endowment Fund and earn a tax deduction at market value.

### **Beneficiary Designations**

Write or update your will, living trust, life insurance policy, retirement account and give a percentage to the Redeemer Endowment Fund. There are great tax savings in leaving your pre-tax funds to a ministry.

### **Charitable Remainder Trust**

Increase current income, avoid capital gain taxes and qualify for income tax deductions with a Charitable Remainder Trust.

### **Charitable Lead Trust**

Establish a trust similar to a family foundation. Save estate taxes for the 1% of Americans subject to them and the income from the trust goes to the ministry for a set period of time. Upon death, assets go to your heirs.

### **Charitable Gift Annuity**

Make a gift and receive a good rate of return back for the rest of your life - best rates for older people. You can get an immediate tax deduction and partially tax-free income.

### **Real Estate**

Consider a gift of real estate such as a house, farm, vacation home, or rental property. Please ask for additional information.

*Remember the Lord your God,  
for it is he who gives you the  
ability to produce wealth.*

**Deuteronomy 8:18**

*Share with God's people who  
are in need. Practice  
hospitality.*

**Romans 12:13**

*It is more blessed to give than  
to receive.*

**Acts 20:35**

