

Ways To Give

We were created to give. Honoring this truth is the purpose of stewardship. Below are the many ways to support Christ Church financially.



Online Payments

You may make a one-time payment or schedule recurring payments. Signing in is NOT required, but allows you to create a secure account through which you can set up recurring credit or debit card payments or drafts from your bank account, schedule future payments, and manage your own transactions. Your profile information will be stored securely for online registration and payment forms in the future.



Text To Give

1. **Text:** Send a text to 833-227-4930. Include the amount you wish to give, one space after the amount, and the code for your gift designation:
Current – Current year operating budget (Texts with no code will default to this fund)
Hearts – Transforming Hearts Capital Campaign
Future – Future year operating budget
2. **Register:** (first time only) You will receive a registration link. Click the link and enter your contact and payment information. Tap “Process.”
3. **Verify:** After registration is complete, you will receive a verification text as well as a receipt via email.
4. **Repeat:** For future giving, simply send a text with the amount you wish to give and it will process automatically. If you wish to give to a fund other than the current year operating budget, please include a space after the amount and one of the codes above.



Christ Church App

Giving is now even easier with the Christ Church Charlotte app. Tap the Giving icon in the menu, and follow the prompts. After the first gift, no further set-up is required. Just tap and give! You can also schedule recurring gifts, view your history, and edit your account details in the app.

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Checks

Checks can be mailed to Christ Church, Attn: Finance Office, 1412 Providence Road, Charlotte, NC 28207. Please note in the memo line how you would like your gift applied.



Gifts of Stock

If you are planning to give a stock gift, call Jennifer Stewart at 704-714-6949 with the following information:

- Your name
- Name of the stock
- Number of shares you are donating
- Allocation of the gift

Please do not rely on your broker to provide this critical donor information.

We encourage all parishioners who desire to donate stock to use one of the following brokers:

- Merrill Lynch Wealth Management | Account no. 7RU02019, DTC #8862
- Morgan Stanley | Account no. 767-116185
- Raymond James | Account no. 27969534
- Schwab | Account no. 7119-2731
- UBS | Account no. C13510 W1
- Vanguard | Account no. 13590587
- Wells Fargo Advisors | Account no. 2142-7440, DTC #0141



Giving through your IRA

For those over 70 ½, you may want to consider making a tax-free gift from your IRA in a transfer known as a qualified charitable distribution (“QCD”). In 2024, the limit for these kinds of charitable donations increased from \$100,000 to \$105,000. For those 73 or older, the transfer will also count toward the amount you are required to withdraw from your IRA each year (the “required minimum distribution” or “RMD”). This QCD can be used to support Christ Church and can be made as a direct transfer from the IRA, which satisfies the RMD while excluding the amount from a donor’s taxable income. Making a charitable donation in this way may preserve an individual’s tax bracket or the amount that Social Security benefits are subject to taxes. Please consult a financial advisor for additional information or personal advice regarding charitable contributions.



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TAX INFORMATION: IRS regulations require that deductions for charitable contributions be claimed in the year the gift is received. Mail or deliver your gift (including stock gifts) to Christ Episcopal Church so that it will be received on or before December 31. Gifts received after December 31 will be recorded in the year received, unless they are received by mail and postmarked by December 31 of the prior year.