

Ways to Give

Giving Through Your Group

Women make commitments to the Annual Mission Fund in their church groups and their leader informs the presbytery treasurer of the congregation's commitment. Presbyterian women pledge in 2025 for what they will give in 2026, and their pledges are received throughout 2026. In this model, Presbyterian women fund all levels of the organization through gifts received by PW in congregations, which, in turn, provides a portion to presbytery, then synod, and finally churchwide (national). Our blessings, combined and set in motion in this way, sustains our beloved PW. [idea! Groups can deepen their commitment by choosing PW as a recipient for an offering or rummage sale.]

Giving as an Individual

You may also give directly to PW churchwide, with confidence that your gift will be tracked as part of synod and presbytery giving. Make a gift at [presbyterianwomen.org](http://presbyterianwomen.org) or mail a check to  
Presbyterian Women, Inc.  
PO Box 643652  
Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3652  
Include your contact information and designate "PW Annual Mission Fund" on the notes line of the check.

Deepen your legacy through your estate plans, building an endowment, giving gifts of stock or sharing a required minimum distribution (RMD). For assistance, contact Presbyterian Foundation, 800/858-6127 or [client.services@presbyterianfoundation.org](mailto:client.services@presbyterianfoundation.org). Questions? Please contact Rhonda Martin, 502/569-5596, or [Rhonda.martin@pcusa.org](mailto:Rhonda.martin@pcusa.org).

Use this space for sharing contact information, or perhaps for notes, prayers, and plans!



Learn more and give to  
the Annual Mission Fund of  
Presbyterian Women by visiting  
[presbyterianwomen.org/amf](http://presbyterianwomen.org/amf)



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*Nurturing Presbyterian Women's  
Heart-filled Ministries*

*Our roots of mission and care run deep,  
and our strength is in Christ and community*

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S 2026 ANNUAL MISSION FUND**  
For Presbyterian Women Groups and Leaders  
*share, promote, display, discuss*



## What is Presbyterian Women's Annual Mission Fund and why does it matter?

Put simply, PW's Annual Mission Fund is the operating fund for Presbyterian Women at all levels of the organization. With the Tree of Life imagery in mind, the Annual Mission Fund is the foundation—the soil—that provides structure, strength and stability so that the tree's branches (PW) are sufficiently fortified to bear fruit, such as leadership development opportunities, denominational and ecumenical support, advocacy, Bible study, community and mission. Just as our names for particular trees vary regionally, historically and according to purpose, PW's Annual Mission Fund has also been known as the Contingency Fund, the Mission Pledge and the operating fund. Name changes aside, the Annual Mission Fund supports all the branches of PW work and witness in the world, growing from our PW Purpose.

### PW Purpose

Forgiven and freed by God in Jesus Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves

- to nurture our faith through prayer and Bible study,
- to support the mission of the church worldwide,
- to work for justice and peace, and
- to build an inclusive, caring community of women that strengthens the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and witnesses to the promise of God's kingdom.

"Blessed are those who trust in the LORD, whose trust is in the LORD. They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green, in the year of drought it is not anxious and it does not cease to bear fruit."

—Jeremiah 17:7–8 (NRSVUE)



A little seed  
+ care  
= a big reward

Presbyterian Women is a "least coin" organization. That means that we trust that our gifts combined—gifts of leadership, participation, and yes, financial support—are sufficient to build up our ministries of hope, love and faith.

Presbyterian Women does not require membership dues and is supported wholly by participants in Presbyterian Women. No denominational offering or offering plate passed supports PW. Your giving is what keeps PW strong.

How much do you or your group value these programs?

- PW/*Horizons* Bible study
- Providing a young woman with an opportunity to attend the Commission on the Status of Women
- Presbytery, synod or PW Churchwide Gatherings

Consider making your gift or pledge with these programs or your favorite ones in mind. Give in support of what you most value with an extra gift of \$10 or \$1000 to PW's Annual Mission Fund. Identifying what your PW gifts make possible can help make more ministries take root.

Standing just outside the entrance of Shawnee Presbyterian Church in Louisville, Kentucky, is a lovely and unique tree. This tree is PW "famous" as its resiliency and delicate beauty informed the name of the kitchen and community gathering place—Café Ginkgo—that received a 2024 PW Birthday Offering for major kitchen renovations. The saints who carry on the work of Shawnee and Café Ginkgo are few but, like the tree that graces the street, they are resilient, strong, and firmly planted in their community and steadfast in doing God's work through their denominational home. Thanks to their efforts and support from PW at large, meals are being served for an underserved community, and like a branch that bears more than one fruit, the improvements also provide space for financial literacy and parenting workshops for adults as well as tutoring and a safe play area for children. Gifts to PW's Birthday Offering made this hope happen; but "quietly" gifts received for PW's Annual Mission Fund made it possible by providing the structure and foundation so that this work could move from hope to fulfilment.