

Does Your Will Include a Bequest to the Foundation?

This may be done by:

- ❖ Designating a specific dollar amount
- ❖ Leaving a percentage of your estate
- ❖ Leaving the residue of your estate after all other beneficiaries have received their bequests
- ❖ Charitable remainder trusts and other similar instruments
- ❖ Real estate and investment holdings

For consultation on your specific wishes, please see the church minister or administrator, or your own financial advisor.

Including a charitable bequest in your will or trust and the giving of your own resources as well as your talents is part of being a good steward and a faithful Presbyterian. We advise all persons to exercise good stewardship by having an up to date will for their families and loved ones.



"When you have to make a choice and don't make it, that in itself is a choice."

-- William James

The Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Foundation

offers you a way to continue your good works and helps assure that the Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Church will go on!

Contributions may be made by cash, check, or money order payable to the *Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Church*, designated for the Foundation, P.O. Box 206, Berkeley Springs, WV 25411-0206

Gifts in any amount are appreciated. Gifts made in honor or memory of loved ones will be acknowledged not only to the donor, but also to the person being honored, or to the nearest next of kin of the deceased person.

We also accept gifts of stock.

A memorial gift to the Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Foundation in lieu of elaborate flowers or a casket spray is one way to remember a loved on and contribute to their church.



+ The Investment Goals of the Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Foundation are:



To protect the assets of the Foundation,



To invest wisely and prudently,



To invest and manage the funds to eventually have a portion of the earnings returned to the fund for future growth (as a reserve fund),



To avoid undue risk and volatility in the securities market.



To invest for the Long term, but to secure growth.

Please remember the Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Church in your will or estate.

What Is the Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Foundation?

The church's Foundation is a registered, non-profit organization with powers and limitations set forth under the Constitution of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and the laws of the State. Its purpose is to manage any funds received by the Foundation for the use and benefit of the Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Church

The Foundation exists to meet the mission needs of the church as approved by the congregation, including the educational, children's and youth programs, and acting as a safety net to meet extraordinary expenses.



"One generation shall laud your words to another." (Psalms 145: 4)

The Foundation was established in 1985 as a service to church members to manage all permanent special funds as may be received by our church in fulfilling the continuing mission of Jesus Christ.

Our Foundation is managed by a Board of Directors (made up of the Trustees elected by the congregation and two active Elders appointed by the Session).

The Foundation through the church helps us to meet mission needs globally and at home. These include:

Educational Assistance for

- ❖ Scholarships
- ❖ Christian vocational training
- ❖ Institutional Endowments (such as a library, building, or a position)
- ❖ Scholarships for church vocations.

Church Programs for

Enrichment of a current program,
Support of an existing or new program

Special Projects for:

- ❖ An urgent or critical situation beyond the immediate resources of the current church budget,
- ❖ An experimental or demonstration project, short-term, until it proves worthy of support by the congregation as a whole.

Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.
(2 Corinthians 9: 7)

You and Your Legacy



The Berkeley Springs Presbyterian Foundation

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"Like good servants of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received."

1 Peter 4: 10