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WHY DO WE GIVE TO APPORTIONED FUNDS?

Apportionments form the framework for our individual and congregational participation in mission and ministry beyond the local church. When you donate to your local church, a portion of what you give supports apportionments. Your gift will help change lives both locally and around the world. For stories about how you make a difference, visit **UMC.org/MEF.**

HOW DO YOUR GIFTS SUPPORT MINISTERIAL EDUCATION FUND?

Local churches are encouraged to nurture candidates for licensed or ordained ministry. Equally important is financially supporting the education and the development of servant leaders for the ministry of God's people. Gifts to the Ministerial Education Fund support the education of effective pastoral leadership. The fund also equips our annual conferences with local pastor courses of study, continuing education and many other efforts to recruit, educate and support people called to ordained and licensed ministry. Your gifts make this ministry possible.

