

ANNUAL FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH REPORT



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
WINTER PARK

A LETTER FROM OUR PASTOR

Dear Church Family,

As followers of Christ, we are called to be good stewards of all that God has given us! This includes not only the giving of our finances for God's purposes, but also the sharing of our time, our energy, our thoughts and ideas, our talents, our abilities, our attitudes and our prayers.

As disciples of Jesus, we understand that all of life is a gift from God! Every good thing comes from His hand! The Bible says that even our ability to obtain wealth is His gift. In recognition of this, we desire to effectively use these gifts in a way that honors Him. Furthermore, as we use these gifts for His purpose, we show our gratitude for God's love and freedom that has been given to us through Jesus Christ!

I share that with you because we are in the midst of our emphasis on being good stewards – both individually and as a church. This includes individual pledging for our own practice of commitment. And it involves raising resources for the 2016 church budget.

Please take a moment to read through this brochure. It is designed to share some important information about our church's ministries and your participation. It is also designed to help you as you consider your pledge to God's work in and through your church family here at First United Methodist Church Winter Park.

After prayerful consideration, you may respond by returning the enclosed pledge card in the mail, or in the Sunday morning offering plate, or you may make your pledge online at fumcwp.org/giving.

Thank you for your prayers and support.



Rev. David Miller

Senior Pastor/Minister of Preaching

PROGRESS/GROWTH

3RD GRADE
BIBLE CLASS

60+

CHILDREN AND
PARENTS PARTICIPATED

VACATION BIBLE
SCHOOL

100 + 150

ADULT
VOLUNTEERS

STUDENT
VOLUNTEERS

FUNDRAISING
INCREASED BY

100%

FROM 2014 TO PRESENT
BY STUDENT MINISTRIES

STUDENT SMALL GROUPS INCREASED FROM 4 TO 10 BETWEEN 2014 AND 2015

MUSIC

TRADITIONAL

MUSIC PARTICIPANTS INCREASED
BY 50 IN 4 MONTHS

CONTEMPORARY BAND

4

SERVICES

&

30

MUSICIANS

SOUTH STREET

M.A.P.

MENTORING FOR
ACADEMIC PROGRESS

32

STUDENTS

W
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Y

20

VOLUNTEERS

CHURCH WIDE

THERE WERE

146

NEW MEMBERS
THAT JOINED IN
2015

60

JOINED THROUGH CONFIRMATION
CLASS (MIDDLE SCHOOL)

86

JOINED THROUGH THE NEW MEMBER
CLASS (ADULTS)

26000+

PEOPLE ATTEND
EASTER SERVICE

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP INCREASED BY
300+ FROM 2014 TO 2015

37

PEOPLE WERE
BAPTIZED IN 2015

FUMCWP.ORG

65,702

VIEWS IN
8 MONTHS

11,494

REGISTRATION VISITS
IN 8 MONTHS

MISSIONS

187



MEMBERS PARTICIPATED
IN TRIPS IN 2015



WASHINGTON
D.C.



NAIVASHA,
KENYA



COSTA RICA
(LOS CHILES)



LOUISIANA



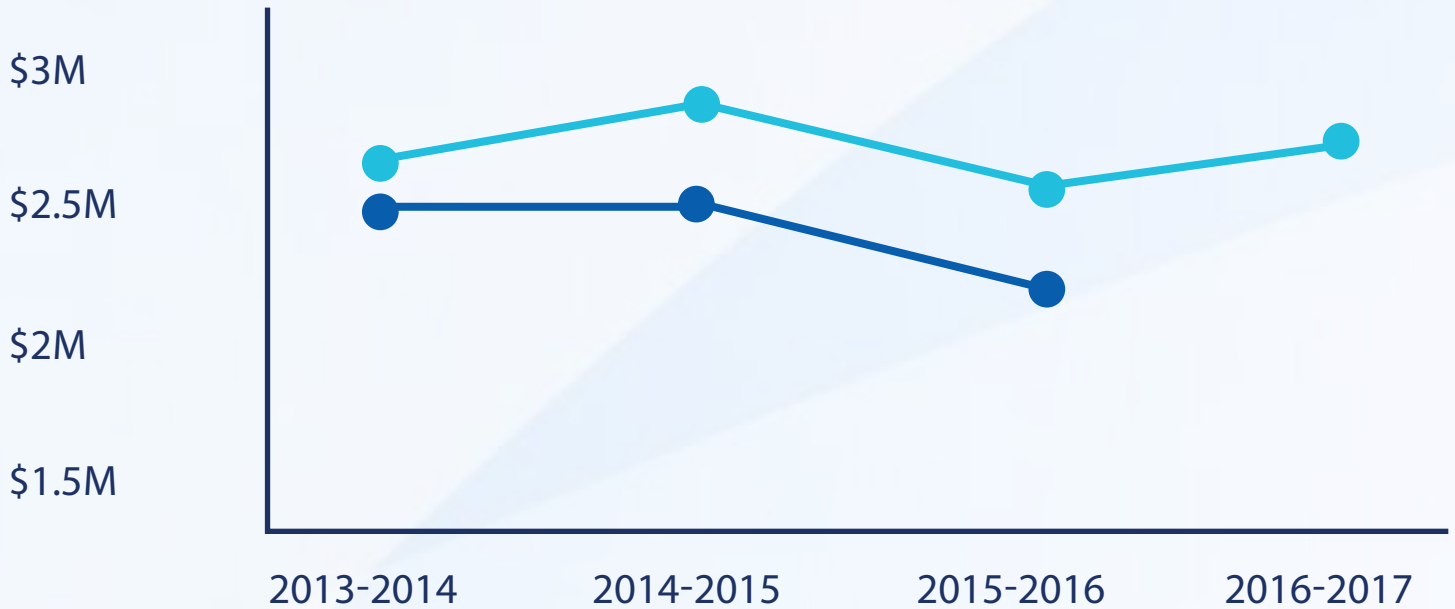
ORLANDO
(DOWNTOWN)



TENNESSEE

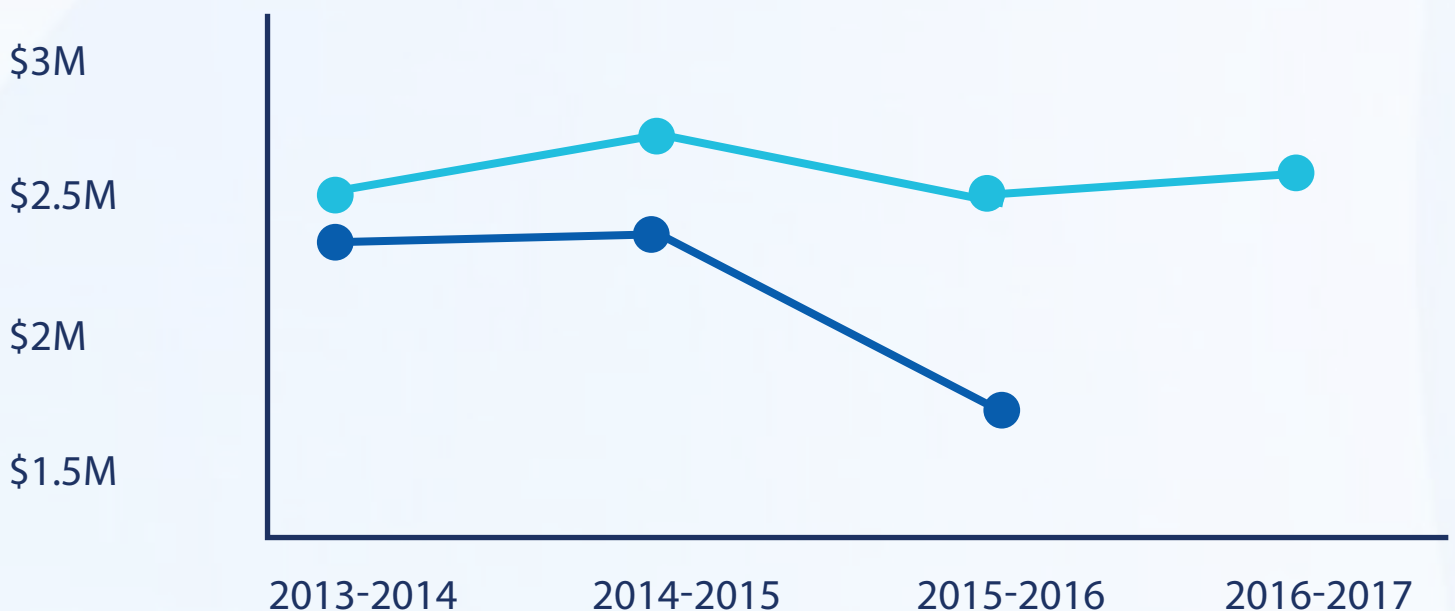
INCOME AND EXPENSES

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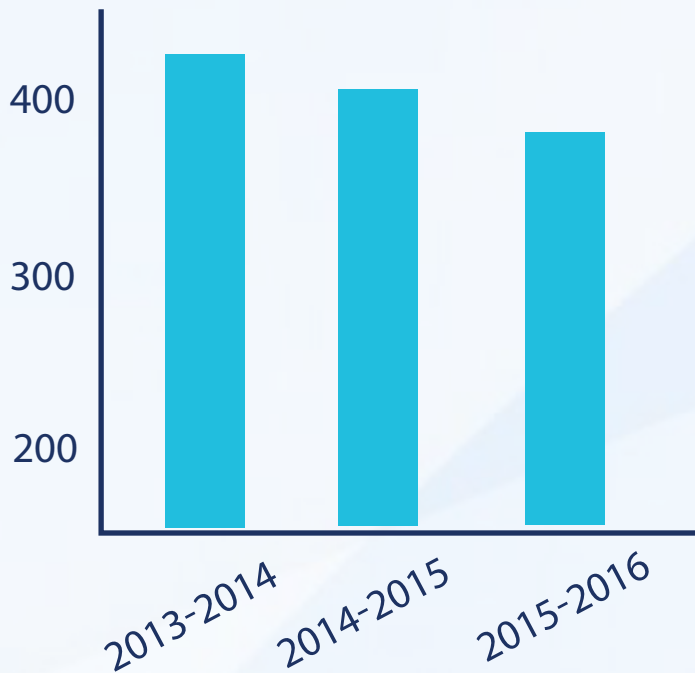
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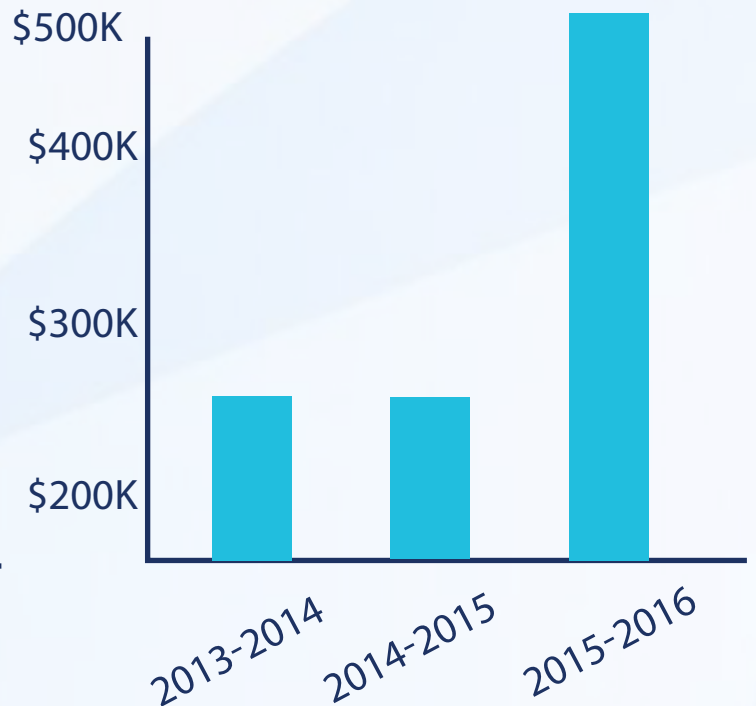


INCOME AND EXPENSES

PLEDGES:



ONLINE GIVING:



MARCY TRUST CONTRIBUTION



2013-2014 - \$121,675
2014-2015 - \$126,675
2015-2016 - \$215,491
2016-2017 - \$171,675

APPORTIONMENTS TO FLORIDA UNITED METHODIST CONFERENCE



2013-2014 - \$239,705
2014-2015 - \$239,064
2015-2016 - \$236,851
2016-2017 - \$255,509



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