

## Endowment Committee Report:

The Endowment Committee has the responsibility to develop an investment policy that will further the ministry and mission of the Conference. The committee is appointed by the board and advises the board on investment strategies. The committee recommends prudent investment guidelines, advises allocation levels related to equity, fixed income, and cash requirements, and monitors the investment portfolios of the Endowment Fund.

This year we undertook the project of updating and revising our policies. These went before the board for approval of the improved policies.

The committee invests large gifts and monitors the income that is received. As directed by policy, the income is reported to the board for distribution of the undesignated portion and the designated portion dispersed as required by the giver/ or fund.

The Endowment Committee has worked improve our investment strategy and provide funding for the conference and its programs. Members of the committee have life skills and experiences that enable them to be responsible stewards on behalf of the Conference and the Board of Directors.

The Endowment Committee, and in conjunction with the Financial stewards, and the Mission Grants Team work together to fund conference programs and provide support to our local churches to help spread the word. This is only possible with God's grace and your support. We can make great things happen when we all work together.

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