



Circuit Rider Dispatch

Holston Conference of the United Methodist Church Foundation, Inc.

Are you providing and protecting?

If your church is like most in the Holston Conference, the majority of your attendees are members of AARP, are enjoying social security benefits, and probably talk more about their grandkids than their children. Most folks in your pews can relate to what Henry Wadsworth Longfellow so eloquently once wrote:

*For age is opportunity no less,
than youth itself,
though in another dress,
and as the evening twilight fades away,
the sky is filled with stars,
invisible by day.*



The Holston Conference Foundation wishes to help those who are considering end of life issues such as leaving a last will and testament, making a charitable gift to their church or favorite ministry or being prepared to join the "church triumphant." Through our popular *Provide & Protect* workshop, attendees receive a FREE 275 page textbook focused on issues such as leaving wealth to children, caring for a chronically ill spouse, the benefits of a living trust versus a will, etc. Also presented and discussed are advance directives, livings wills and the necessary documents individuals need for medical care.

As a part of the connectional ministry of the United Methodist Church, the Foundation exists to assist the local church. We serve individuals through confidential consultations, donor agreements and workshops such as *Provide & Protect*. If your church is interested in the seminar or a sermon on leaving a legacy, please call me at 865-690-8124 or click [here](#) to send me an email.

Twilight is approaching many of us...we want to help your church see the stars it brings.

Paul Bowman
Director of Gift Planning

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SAVVY LIVING

Deciding What to Do in Retirement

I just turned 62 and am financially prepared for retirement, but I'm less certain about how to spend my time after leaving work. Can you recommend some resources or tools that can help me with this? [Read More](#)

PERSONAL PLANNER

Do You Have a Difficult Family?

A businessman with a \$2.5 billion estate passed away in 1976. He was single and many individuals, mostly unrelated to him, filed more than 40 wills with the probate court. [Read More](#)

YOUR PLAN

Patricia V. Timberlake

Patricia (Pat) V. Timberlake was quite a special lady. She was a devoted pastor's wife... [Read More](#)

WASHINGTON NEWS

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After the major tragedy in Orlando, the IRS published IR-2016-89 to remind taxpayers to follow good giving practices. [Read More](#)

FINANCES

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FINAL ANNOUNCEMENT SEMINARY SCHOLARSHIPS

DEADLINE JULY 15, 2016

Following God's call can be costly. Sacrificing potential income to serve as a minister or missionary alone is challenging and admirable; however, for many who attend seminary, tuition and fees can be prohibitive.

SEMINARIANS:

To combat the rising cost of seminary, donors have funded scholarships stewarded by the Holston Conference Foundation. If you have been accepted into seminary we encourage you to peruse funding options by [clicking here](#) or contact our office at 865-690-8124.

POTENTIAL DONORS:

If you have an interest in assisting a seminary student through the creation of a scholarship in your estate plan we want to hear from you. The Foundation meets regularly with individuals answering questions and drafting agreements. Our discussions and documentation is confidential.



We invite you to consider the possibilities of leaving a legacy that has eternal significance in the lives of others.

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