



St. John's Episcopal Church, Royal Oak
Planned Giving Program - Dedicated Fund Descriptions

Building and Grounds:

This dedicated fund is set up to support the physical plant (building/grounds) of the church. The Vestry has discretion to use resources in this fund for ongoing or general maintenance, large structural projects, accessibility improvements as well as beautification projects of both the inside and outside of the building, and on the grounds.

Worship and Music:

This dedicated fund is set up to support both our Worship Services and Music programming. The Vestry has discretion to use resources in this fund to support enhancements to our worship services, purchasing and maintaining necessary equipment and musical instruments for worship services, funding the needs of the choir, providing musical instruments and paying for professional performers, among other reasonable uses, to support both the worship services and music programs.

Education:

This dedicated fund is set up to support educational programming at St. John's. The Vestry has discretion to use resources in this fund to support Sunday School programs, Youth Group programs, Vacation Bible School, Adult Formation, preparation for sacraments (Baptism, Confirmation, Marriage), resources for guest lecturers, and all other forms of education offered to parishioner and visitor. The support can include both the purchase of necessary materials, paying for staffing needs, travel expenses, and scholarships as need.

Outreach:

This dedicated fund is set up support the Outreach efforts of St. John's. This includes support of ministries that serve those in need, as well as building use by community organizations. Current and new forms of Outreach that future congregations may choose to support are also included. The Vestry has discretion to use resources in this fund to give directly to outside charities or by authorizing the purchase of needed items or resources that support a specific Outreach program.

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