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**What would you do if your church received a
million-dollar bequest
to be put into an endowment?
...And your parish doesn't have one?**

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*Learn more about how the Planned Giving Committee can help your congregation.
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The Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey

Planned Giving Committee

Report to Convention for the Year 2012

What is Planned Giving?

Planned Giving offers every church in our Diocese the opportunity to form a legacy for the future of the church. A church must decide that it wants to establish a permanent fund that generates income to support the ongoing mission, outreach, programs, and facilities of the church outside of the annual operating budget. The fund is organized and protected by vestry resolutions and the parish planned giving committee. The endowment is designed to be a lasting legacy for its donors and the parish. It gives every donor the comfort of knowing that their generosity benefits our churches for many years into the future.

What is the Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey Planned Giving Committee

The purpose of the Planned Giving Committee is to offer support to vestries and congregations desiring to organize planned giving programs. The committee will:

- Identify vestries and congregations that desire to establish a program.
- Provide basic consultation with vestries and congregations to walk through the sequential steps of setting up a program.

The Planned Giving Committee offered presentations to the following congregations in 2012:

St. David's, Cranbury
 Good Shepherd, Pitman
 Grace, Plainfield
 Grace, Haddonfield
 Christ Church, Shrewsbury
 St. Peter's, Medford
 Christ Church, Tom's River

Planned Giving Committee Members**

The Rev. Margaret Hodgkins, Co-Chair
 Mr. Chuck Watson, Co-Chair
 The Rev. Jane Brady
 Canon Phyllis Jones, CFO
 The Rev. Canon Don Muller
 The Rev. John Mitchell
 The Rev. Deborah Piggins
 Mr. Joseph Tinley

***The Planned Giving Committee grieves the passing of two of its devoted members this year:
 Mr. Richard Ellwood and Mr. John Goldsack, Esq.*

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