

*Memo from the Grace Accounting Office
about Electronic Giving*

Processing cash and check contributions is a time-consuming process for administrative employees and is chief among regular accounting tasks in benefiting from a more automated approach. We are greatly appreciative of your continued support and are certain that broader utilization of online giving through the Shelby platform will make that support go even further.

Switching to online giving will aid in increasing the longevity and community impact of GUMC while also providing the following tangible benefits to you as a donor:

- Give remotely, from the comfort of your own home
- Schedule recurring gifts, let Shelby manage your pledges and put it out of mind
- Access to comprehensive records detailing all of your previous gifts as well as quarterly and end of year reports
- Gifts are available to view within 48 hours of giving, no more waiting for bank deposits to be made
- Eliminates the risk of cash and checks being lost in the mail
- Multiple bank accounts can be linked in your profile
- Peace of mind: Shelby Systems is a trusted and verified giving platform used by church organizations worldwide

We understand that giving electronically is the less comfortable option for many donors. As such, the business office will make itself available to any who need assistance getting set up or navigating the platform. We humbly request members visit both the Shelby Giving webpage and determine if switching to online giving is right for you.