

Connecticut District & UPCI National Offerings

We collect for these offerings year round.

This list is to assist you in your financial planning for giving.

Save-Our-Children

Collected **on Easter**

<https://upcichildrensministries.org/pages/services/>



The Save Our Children Fund Drive is the lifeline of the Children's Ministries on both the district and national levels. It is one of the youngest divisional fund drives in the UPCI (began in 1973). Half of all S.O.C. funds stays within the district for the promotion and advancement of Children's Ministries work there. The other half of the S.O.C. money goes to headquarters for the furtherance of the national Children's Ministries work.

The following projects are supported with S.O.C. funds:

1. North American SOC Rallies
2. Global Children's SOC Rallies
3. Overseas Orphanages
4. UPCI Children's Disaster Relief
5. Junior Bible Quizzing Extravaganzas and the Junior Bible Quizzing National Finals
6. Teachers Certification
7. BREAD (Bible Reading Enriches Any Day)
8. Seven Super Sundays
9. Teacher Training
10. North American Youth Congress (NAYC)
11. UPCI Divisional Programs
12. Children's Ministries General Conference Service
13. Family Ministry Council

Mother's Memorial

Collected **on Mothers' Day**

<https://ladiesministries.com/mothers-memorial/>



Monies given to this offering are turned into the Connecticut District Ladies Ministries Department. Half remains in the district to be used to fund the various functions of the Ladies Ministries and to help meet various needs in the Connecticut District. Half is sent to the UPCI Ladies Ministries at our Headquarters in Hazelwood, Missouri. These funds are then divided among the various divisions. Money given to the Foreign Missions Division is used to provide washers, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, and air conditioners to our foreign missionaries; to help fund Foreign Missions radio broadcasts; and to provide Foreign Bible School assistance. Funds given to the Home Missions Division is used for home missionary family emergency assistance and to provide tracts and Bible study materials to Home Mission churches. Money given to Harvestime is used to help defray the expenses of broadcasting this radio program through selected stations throughout the United States. The Division of Education uses the funds given to sponsor a Bible School Seminar for the staffs of UPCI Bible Schools. To meet some of their special financial needs, money is also given to Lighthouse Ranch, a home for troubled boys; Tupelo Children's Mansion, a residential childcare facility; New Beginnings, a maternity care center for young women in need and a child placement service; and Spirit of Freedom Ministries, an outreach program for victims and families of drug and alcohol abuse. The Urshan Graduate School of Theology and the World Network of Prayer are also recipients of funds from this offering.



Men's Ministries <https://upcimen.com>

Collected on **Father's Day (June)**

Engage: Time. Talent. Treasure.

The UPCI Men's Ministry has become an invaluable medium through which men are bringing their gifts to the kingdom table, making both a timeless and tangible difference around the world. Through joint efforts with various UPCI ministries, hundreds of capable, committed men continue to build the kingdom at home, and abroad - constructing houses of worship, Bible schools, and orphanages, and through man-to-man evangelism as well.



Move The Mission <https://movethemission.com>

Collected end of **August**

Move the Mission is the fundraising ministry of the Youth Ministries of the United Pentecostal Church International. Since its inception in 1953, over \$166 million has been raised to fund missions and ministries around the world.

- A missionary having the vehicle he needs to carry the gospel to the furthest regions of his country.
- A North American missionary having a building so that he can share truth in his community.
- A child finding healing and a future at Tupelo Children's Mansion or Lighthouse Ranch for Boys.
- A student pursuing her calling and Christian Education with a MTM Scholarship.
- A child being placed with a loving family through New Beginnings.

When you invest in Move the Mission you intentionally share the gospel around the world.



Multicultural Ministries <https://multiculturalministries.org>

Collected mid **October**

The umbrella of Multicultural Ministries encompasses 19 focused ministries, a domestic missionary program, several resource-focused ministries, and a short-term missions program. Each of these is dedicated to effective strategies for evangelism, discipleship, and training. Multicultural Ministries provide materials and resources to help people reach into the many cultural groups of North America.

Within our purpose, we also assist ministers and laity in North American/international transfers. Including helping incoming ministers meet with the proper officials to transfer ministerial licenses to North America. Also, we help people find churches when they move into North America from new areas.

Adopted Missionary Offering (part of MM)

Collected in **December** (and at Ladies Christmas Tea)



Monies given to this offering are sent to the UPCI Ladies Ministries and are used to send each foreign missionary child a card and \$15.00 on his/her birthday. At Christmas time each foreign missionary family is sent \$130.00 plus an additional \$15.00 per child to help make their Christmas a little brighter.

Christmas for Christ <http://www.christmasforchrist.faith/#online>

Collected on **Christmas**



Christmas for Christ is an annual offering received during the Christmas season that supports church planters in North America. 40% of each District's offering stays in the District and is used for promotions, funding and allocations to church planters in the District. 60% is sent to church planters all over North America.



Lighthouse Ranch <https://www.lighthouse ranch.com>

Monthly Sponsor



New Beginnings <https://newbeginningsadoptions.org>

Monthly Sponsor



Tupelo <https://mansionkids.org>

Monthly Sponsor



Global Missions <https://www.globalmissions.com/default.aspx>

Monthly Sponsor for individual missionaries