

Ways of Giving to Bruton Parish Church

The Annual Fund is the cornerstone of our strength as a parish. Regular, unrestricted giving by members and other supporters keeps us operating and thriving.

Contributions to the Annual Fund are needed all during the year. They are put to work immediately toward programs and ministries, building operations and maintenance, personnel, and outreach beyond our walls. The Annual Fund enables those of us at all ages and stages to worship, serve, learn, and continue in spiritual growth.

Every fall, we conduct a month-long campaign for the coming year's Annual Fund. Every person connected to the parish is asked to submit a pledge of financial support. Below are ways to fulfill that pledge or make single contributions. We encourage each person or couple to choose the one best for them, or a combination. Making gifts periodically as opposed to a single gift at year-end does help with management of our cash position.

- By cash or check, on Sunday or by mail. Our mailing address is Bruton Parish Church, P.O. Box 3520, Williamsburg, VA 23187-3520. Pre-printed offering envelopes are not required but we will order them by request, delivered quarterly to your home.
- By automated payments arranged with your bank
- By credit card [on our website](#)
- Gifts of Stock
Donate appreciated securities or mutual funds held longer than one year and receive a tax deduction without paying capital gains tax. Please let Marty Easton know when you have initiated a stock gift so that Marty can watch for the shares to arrive in our account and sell them promptly. Provide your broker these transfer instructions:
Account Name: Bruton Parish Episcopal Church
Fidelity Investments DTC #0226
Brokerage Account #X90-766745
Your Name
- Gifts from an IRA (A qualified charitable distribution or QCD)
The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) passed by Congress (March 2020) included a provision waiving required minimum distributions (RMDs) from retirement accounts in 2020. However, you can still make a qualified charitable distribution (QCD) for 2020 even though your RMD is waived.

A QCD means that IRA owners aged 70.5 or better may directly transfer up to \$100,000 annually from an IRA to charity, tax-free. Please note that the funds must be paid directly from the IRA to Bruton Parish. With a QCD, you get a tax break for your charitable contribution even if you are using the standard deduction. A QCD in effect adds to the standard deduction, by allowing donations made from the IRA to be excluded from income.

Consult your IRA custodian about other benefits and complete QCD rules. The information above is not intended as legal or tax advice. For such advice, please consult an attorney or tax advisor.

Information your IRA custodian will need:

Bruton Parish Church

P.O. Box 3520

Williamsburg, VA 23187-3520

Attn: Finance Office

EIN # 54-0519571

Your Name

Thank you for your ongoing support of Bruton Parish. We are available for further information, help, or conversation about your giving preferences. Please contact:

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