



Donate Stocks

A great way to give to the church and receive a tax savings is through a gift of appreciated stock which has been owned by you for more than one year. The church will receive the full cash value of the stock at the time of sale and you will receive a charitable tax deduction of the full amount without having to pay capital gains tax on the appreciated value of the stock. The stock shares must be given to the church before the sale, not sold by the giver. If you have appreciated stock that you can gift to the church, you can pledge it now. If you have any questions about this particular method of giving you may call the church financial secretary and/or review this article (see link below). It is always recommended that you consult with your tax attorney, accountant, or financial advisor.

<http://www.cbsnews.com/news/donating-appreciated-stock-a-double-play-of-tax-benefits/>