

Special Gifts Fund Allocations for 2010

In 2010 the **Special Gifts Fund** was used to financially support many items that fall outside the budget of St. Pauls United Church of Christ. Per SGF Guidelines, 10% of the allocations are designated toward **Benevolence**, 10% toward **Wider Outreach**, 30% toward **Local Church Ministry**, and 30% toward **Capital Improvements**. Additionally, 20% of the distribution is retained for the purpose of **Reinvestment and Growth**. Below is a list of projects funded by the Special Gifts Fund in 2010:

Category:	Project/Item
Benevolent (10%):	4 Our Churches-matching funds
Local Church Ministry (30%):	Assist Jena Hull with her trip to India Replace Sign Board (1/2 of cost) Worship Service advertisement, newspaper (printed & online) Sabbatical leave Weight loss program and program for child safety Hartman Center Retreat (children and speaker) Special events Mother's Day, Father's Day, etc. to promote fellowship New Choir Music Additional copies of <i>Sing! Prayer & Praise</i> Chaperone registration for 2011 Group Workcamp Vacation Bible School Outreach Playground items Sound system updates FOCUS Improvements (SKY Room and classrooms)
Wider Outreach (10%):	4 Our Churches-matching funds Red Cross-York County Salvation Army of York Our Daily Bread Helping Hands for the Homeless First Capital Group Workcamp Workcamp Fund (York Association)
Capital Improvement (30%):	Geothermal HVAC payments/other physical improvements Replace Sign Board (1/2 of cost)
Reinvestment/Growth (20%):	Retained for reinvestment

Total amount distributed from the Special Gifts Fund since its inception in 2002: **\$129,286.**