

The plate collection on Sundays has become a drop-off for various funds which is absolutely fine as long as the gift intention is clearly defined either on a note in an envelope or on the memo portion of a check. Otherwise, all "gifts" (cash and checks) placed in the Sunday Offering plate are shared 50/50 between "Plate" and "Outreach." Plate goes towards operating expenses not individual pledges. Outreach goes to that month's chosen charity as outlined in the weekly Order of Service. If you have made a pledge to this year's annual Stewardship Campaign (FY '24), the Capital Campaign, or a previous year's Stewardship drive and are not marking your donation accordingly, it has not been applied to that fund. Moreover, if you are putting cash in the plate, we have no way of knowing who it is from so cannot apply it to any individual pledge commitment unless it's in a sealed envelope with specific instructions to do so. The Office is processing a high volume of various payments each week. Please secure credit to your account by including a specific indication of your intention.

Thank you!