



First United Methodist Church of Ann Arbor

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Foundation for all administrative committee memberships

- **Member of FUMC Ann Arbor**
- **Acting in a faith-based manner**
- **Commitment to our FUMC Church Statement:**

We seek to know God. We are grounded in unconditional love. We affirm all persons.

We learn from one another as we follow the teachings of Jesus Christ, an outsider who tore down dividing walls and calls us to unity. We are progressive, relevant, and committed to seeking peace and building hope through worship, service, social justice, and education.

No matter where you are on your faith journey, or how you worship, we welcome you to help us build our community. This includes all races and ethnicities, sexual orientations, gender identities, ages and stages of life, abilities and disabilities, and socioeconomic backgrounds.

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee meets on the third Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m., downtown.

In keeping with the Welcoming Statement, the Finance committee strives to strike a diverse balance on the

committee in terms of demographics, occupational backgrounds and life experience, so as to achieve a well-rounded approach in matters pertaining to FUMC. It is helpful to Finance to have one member with advanced or

professional experience in finance. However, genuine love and concern for FUMC and its ministries is the most important qualification.

Committee Responsibilities:

- Compile an annual budget for the church and submit it to Leadership Council
- Develop and implement plans to raise income to meet the budget
- Administer funds as directed by Leadership Council
- Designate two people each week to count and record the offering
- Arrange for an annual audit
- Recommend where to deposit funds and insure they are deposited promptly
- Report the status of designated funds annually to Leadership Council

Desirable Characteristics:

- Willingness to give of time and talent
- Willingness to learn
- Interest in how the church is structured
- Fundamental knowledge of personal finances
- Experience with the ministries of the church and commitment to our purpose
- Understanding that money is a tool to enable ministry to the congregation and the world