

## Do You Want To Get Well?

#### Session 3-Financial and Health Considerations = Emotional Wellness

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#### We will look into these 3 areas

- Pension and related inputs over your career
- Current Medical Coverage and Post Retirement
- Documents that effect you

## **Denomination Retirement Programs**

#### Current Plans

- Pre 82 Plan-Defined Benefit controlled by conference action
- Ministerial Pension Program-DB that becomes a DC
- Clergy Retirement Program 2007-2013-DB and DC
- Clergy Retirement Program 2014 to Current-Reduced DB

#### Future Plans

- Compass-DC
- Working toward sustainability, Affordability, Flexibility

What makes up MY bucket of retirement assets It is like a 3-legged stool-you need them all

Personal Savings

- Social Security (Replacement)
- Clergy retirement plans



# What do I need to be doing

Accuracy of Benefits Access

- Years of service
- Appointments
- Beneficiaries
- Accuracy of Social Security-annual earnings
- Wespath's Are you ready to retire
- Your personal savings (in and out of Wespath UMPIP)

#### Current Medical Coverage and Post Retirement

- Current
  - PPO vs HDHP
  - Flexible Savings Account-F S A-PPO
  - Health Savings Account-H S A-HDHP
- Post Retirement
  - Conference Benefits closed out 6-30-2020
  - Med Sup plan-personal and conference
  - Spend H S A
- What if I opted out of social security
  - Only have access to full coverage
  - Conference offers access to active plan

## Documents that affect you now

- Compensation Package
- Tax Returns
- Power of Attorney
- ♦ Wills
- Living Trusts
- Inheritance Taxes

# Compensation Package-what it does

- Makes salary reduction elections required by IRS
  UMPIP
  - Medical Premiums
  - H S A F S A Child Care F S A
  - Housing costs
- What can be changed-UMPIP and Housing-Prospectively
- Medical premiums in case of qualifying event



# Compensation Package

- Full cost of having a pastor
  - Business Expense offered by church
  - Compensation to or on behalf of
  - Direct Invoice
- Package is particular to appointee
- Clergy or Lay
  - Sets up laity FICA/MC so it is fair to both lay and clergy after following rules of FICA/SECA

# Notes on Compensation Package

- Assists in tax reporting on W-2
- Allows medical elements as reductions if in conference plan
- Allows Stats proper reporting

#### Tax Returns

- W-2 for appointment
- ♦ 1099 other entities for professional services
- NO business expense for appointment-church provides in amount listed on Comp Sheet up to amount entered
  SECA drives your Social Security Benefits

#### Legal Documents-Get an attorney

- Power of Attorney
  - Health Care
  - Act on your behalf
  - Govern during your life
- Wills
  - Governs after your death
  - JSWROS
  - Beneficiary Designation-Especially CPP Death Benefits
- Living Trusts
- Inheritance taxes





# Clarifications New Areas

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