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Investing in Tomorrow's Voices of Truth

2014 Women's Ministries Love Gift Program Information

Thank you for participating in the 2014 Love Gift program benefitting Christian Education and Publications. Since 1973, through the annual Women in the Church Love Gift Offering, PCA women have loved and supported our denominational ministries. CEP is excited to have the 2014 gift designated for the work of *strengthening discipleship among women in the PCA*. The information below will help you learn more about the Love Gift and provide ideas for you to use in preparing for an effective presentation.

View the DVD Immediately

Problems with the quality of the DVD?
Please call 1.800.283.1357 for a free replacement.
The video is approximately 7 minutes in length.

Publicize the Presentation

Here are some ideas to help you publicize and promote the Love Gift:

- Order free bulletin inserts by calling **1.800.283.1357** or by going to www.pcabookstore.com.
- Provide a brief explanation of the purpose, history, and significance of the annual Love Gift. (See Women's Ministry Love Gift Purpose section).
- Present the opportunity described on the DVD to a variety of groups within your church.
- This video can serve as encouragement and a challenge for your congregation to invest in discipling the next generation.

Viewing Possibilities include:

- Church worship services
- Dinners and events involving the whole church family
- Youth and adult Sunday school classes
- Bible studies
- Youth Groups
- Small Groups
- Presbytery or PresWIC events

Women's Ministry Love Gift Purpose

The annual Love Gift informs members in local churches about the ministries of the denomination. It also promotes unity and a greater understanding of the Presbyterian Church in America while providing funds for specific ministry needs. In the 41 years of the Love Gift, over \$3 million dollars has been given to support ministries of the PCA.

Here are some notable Love Gifts that have impacted the PCA through the years:

- 1988 – Mission to North America, New York City church planting Project** – Redeemer PCA is born!
- 1991 – Insurance, Annuities and Relief, Widows' Ministries** – caring for our pastors and families.
- 1995 – Mission to the World, Scholarships for missionary kids to attend Covenant College** – Investing in the next generation.
- 1999 – Covenant Theological Seminary, Uniting Hearts in Ministry Scholarships** – Enabling spouses of Covenant Seminary students to learn and prepare for kingdom service together.
- 2003 – Reformed University Ministries, Establish and Sustain RUF across America** – launching the ministry of a new PCA Committee.
- 2006 – Mission to the World, Street Child Ministries** – the largest Love Gift offering ever collected - \$200,000!
- 2008 – Christian Education and Publications, Children & Youth Ministries** – Reaching the next generation with Truth.
- 2010 – Mission to North America, Special Needs Ministries** – equipping churches to minister to those who are often overlooked.

The Women's Ministry Love Gift for 2014 will benefit the work of Christian Education and Publications (CEP), and particularly the work of discipleship among women in the PCA. Women play a life-giving role in the life and ministry of the Church, and we seek to address the needs of women in our culture with the encouragement of Christ-centered community and the redemptive truth of God's Word.

Gifts can be mailed to:

CEP, Attn: 2014 Women's Ministry Love Gift,
1700 North Brown Rd, Ste. 102, Lawrenceville, GA 3003-8122

