

# Ways to Give in the New Year

## IRA Gift

- Give a portion of your IRA and reach your yearly RMD (Required Minimum Distribution)
- Avoid federal income taxes and make a larger gift

## Endowment Fund

- Give now or after your lifetime
- Support a ministry, building expansion, or create a scholarship fund
- Decide how ministry funds will be used

## Donor Advised Fund

- Flexible gift that allows you to provide input on how the donation is managed and distributed
- Current income tax deduction

## Stocks and Bonds

- Further the mission of your favorite UM church or ministry
- Receive a charitable income tax deduction for the current market value of appreciated securities\*

## Charitable Gift Annuity

- Contract to give after your lifetime and receive annual fixed payments now
- Current and future tax exemptions

\*Total charitable contributions must exceed the standard deduction