Welcome to the newly redesigned Church Mission Support form! We hope this new format will make it easier for you, as an ABC church, to submit your mission giving.

The upper left section contains the normal contact information. The bottom section contains the receipt from your last gift (we recommend you retain this for your records). The main section is the area that has been simplified.

To submit gifts for categories A – E (found in the upper right section), you just need to enter the amounts.

To submit gifts for categories F – I (found on the main section of the form), you will need to enter the amounts AND further description. We encourage you to use your own wording and to include enough detail to help the bookkeepers understand where you want the monies to go.

To help you understand the categories and their meanings, we hope you will review the definitions page.

This form, the definitions page and a set of detailed instructions are available on the ABCUSA website under ABCUSA Resources.

Please review the example on the next page...

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**DEFINITIONS PAGE**

- **United Mission Basics (UMB)**: Gifts here support all parts of our national and international mission effort as American Baptists. These gifts are vital and basic to the work of all of our American Baptist churches. UMB provides funding for most ministries such as our church planting, evangelism, cooperative Christianity, Christian education for youth, and national and international missions.

- **Love Gift (LG):** American Baptist Women make over-and-above contributions to Love, LG. 15% of these contributions are used to support the work of American Baptist Women's Ministries, and the balance is divided in the same way as gifts to United Mission Basics.

- **Mission Offering (MO):** Gifts go entirely to the Missionary and District Mission Board to provide ministry relief and thank your church for its mission donations.

- **Region Giving** (R): This category is given 100% to the designated Region to use at your discretion for the budget, or for a particular purpose promoted by the Region.

- **World Mission Offering (WMO)**: Gifts go entirely to the work of Global Mission through International Ministries. Contributions are used to support the work of International Ministries partners, projects, and missionaries in more than 75 countries around the world.

- **One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS)**: Gifts provide disaster relief and development assistance in the United States and overseas, administered by the ABCUSA World Relief Committee.

- **All Other Giving** (AO): Gifts support the support of general and specific gifts for all the National Board. This includes missionary projects and missions. These gifts provide income beyond the funded dollars for these projects. Such gifts are generally referred to as Specifics (SFC).

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**Thank you for your support of American Baptist Missions.**

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For more information, visit ABCUSA.org.
To post gifts to **UNITED MISSION**, simply enter amounts into A and/or B. No additional detail is needed.

To post gifts to **THE OFFERINGS**, enter amounts into C, D, E, F and/or G. Additional detail is requested for F and G.

To post gifts to help with **DISASTER RELIEF** for specific events, enter amounts into G. Additional detail is requested.

To post gifts as **MISSIONARY SUPPORT**, enter amounts into H; but if the missionary support is a part of the WMO, enter the amount into F. Again, it would be helpful to have additional detail. For example, besides specifying the missionary’s name, please include the purpose, such as salary, the name of a specific project he/she is working on, etc.

To post gifts for **INSTITUTIONAL SUPPORT**, enter amounts into I. We encourage you to include additional detail.

Not sure where to post your gift? Enter a description in **I. ALL OTHER GIVING**. Remember to enter as much detail as you can!

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Still have questions? Contact your REGION or ABCUSA at the Mission Center at Valley Forge, PA.