

# 2021 Bethel United Methodist Church Online Stewardship Campaign Pledge Instructions

Stewardship Commitment Sunday, January 17, 2021 at 11:00 AM

Theme: "Stewardship is a Relationship"

Scripture: You shall be my people and I will be your God. (Jeremiah 30:22, NRSV)

Below are the instructions to set up your 2021 pledge to Bethel United Methodist Church online via Tithely. This does not require you to give online.

However, it will make it easier to capture member pledges and update the church's contact records. You also have the option to fill-out and mail or drop-off a paper pledge card if you prefer.

## 1. Copy and paste or type the link below into your web browser

<https://tithe.ly/pledge/#/campaign/2932041>

2. You should see a screen similar to one below after you have entered the link. Enter the amount that you would like to give along with the frequency (e.g. Every Week, Every Month, 1<sup>st</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> monthly, One Time) of your contribution. For START date, enter the current date. For END date, enter 12/31/21.

You **DO NOT** have to setup your pledge for auto payment unless you want to. Leave the radio button (small circle) blank beside "I'd like to setup my pledge for auto payment"

Select **ADD CONTACT INFO** to go to the next step.

The screenshot displays a web browser window with the URL <https://tithe.ly/pledge/#/campaign/2932041>. The page content includes the United Methodist Church logo, a large "\$0" indicating the current pledge amount, and the heading "Pledge to 2021 Bethel UMC Stewardship Campaign". Under the heading, there is a "FREQUENCY:" section with four buttons: "Every week", "Every month", "1st & 15th monthly", and "One time". Below the frequency buttons, there are two input fields labeled "START:" and "END:" with "mm / dd / yy" as a placeholder. Below these is a "MEMO:" field with "(Optional)" text. At the bottom of the form, there is a radio button next to the text "I'd like to setup my pledge for auto payment" and a prominent "ADD CONTACT INFO" button.

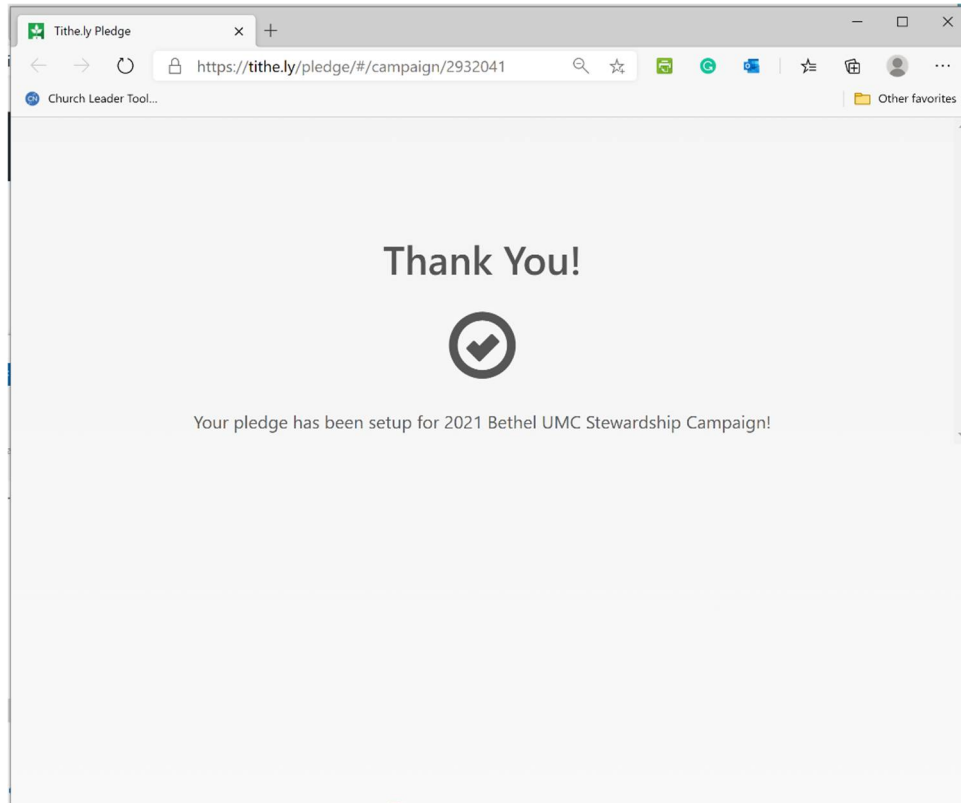
3. Enter your contact information as requested in the form below. When you have completed entering your contact data, Select **ADD CONTACT INFO** to go to the next step.

A screenshot of a web browser displaying the Tithe.ly Pledge form. The browser's address bar shows the URL <https://tithe.ly/pledge/#/campaign/2932041>. The form is titled "Add your contact information so we can track your pledge giving" and contains the following fields: NAME, EMAIL, PHONE, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE / PROVINCE, POSTAL / ZIP, and COUNTRY. The COUNTRY field is pre-filled with "United States". At the bottom of the form, there is a button labeled "ADD CONTACT INFO".

**4. When you have successfully submitted your 2021 contribution and contact information, you should receive a message similar to the one below. Select "Confirm" if the data is correct or "Change my Pledge" if edits are required. Once you are comfortable that the data enter reflects your pledge for 2021, select "Confirm" to go to the next step.**

A screenshot of the Tithe.ly Pledge form with a confirmation dialog box overlaid. The dialog box is titled "Confirm Pledge" and contains the text: "Are you sure you want to pledge \$5.00 Weekly totaling \$265.00 to 2021 Bethel UMC Stewardship Campaign?". Below the text are two buttons: "Confirm" (green) and "Change my Pledge" (red). The background form is dimmed and shows the following information: NAME: John Doe, EMAIL: [redacted]@gmail.com, PHONE: 1234565555, ADDRESS: 1234 Easy Street, CITY: Anytown, STATE / PROVINCE: TX, POSTAL / ZIP: 12345, and COUNTRY: United States. At the bottom of the form, there is a button labeled "PLEDGE \$5.00 WEEKLY".

**5. When you have successfully received completed your online pledge, you should see a screen similar to the one below acknowledging that your pledge has been setup.**



**6. Please prayerfully complete your pledge between Sunday, January 17, 2021 and Friday, February 5, 2021. If you have any issues accessing the stewardship campaign link or successfully completing your pledge online, please contact Cedric Gilmore at (210) 452-5361 or [cedric.gilmore@yahoo.com](mailto:cedric.gilmore@yahoo.com).**