

October 25, 2024

Dear HPUMC Families,

Next week the Parent's Club kicks off our annual Family Giving Campaign, the school's largest fundraiser where our goal is \$100,000 and 100% participation from all families. The Family Giving Campaign provides funds for items above and beyond what normal tuition dollars support. **The campaign will run for one week from October 28 through November 1.**

Last year, thanks to your generosity, we were able to more than double the teacher appreciation budget and provide extra financial support to our teachers throughout the school year as well as add additional holiday enrichment activities for our children to enjoy. We are incredibly proud of the success of last year's Family Giving Campaign and excited by the momentum as we begin this year's campaign.

The theme selected for this year's campaign and for the entire year is Deep In The Heart Of HPUMC.

Your generosity and contributions at every level ensure that our children continue to have an enriching educational and spiritual experience and that the teachers and staff who devote their time to our children are well taken care of.

Your support makes the following school benefits possible:

- Teacher monetary gifts including Christmas, birthday and year-end gifts;
- **Teacher appreciation** including take-home family dinners for all staff, gift card prizes, break room treats, teacher appreciation week and classroom enhancements requested by teachers;
- Teacher Assistance Fund (medical and personal bereavement);
- Educational toys and resources for our classrooms;
- Holiday traditions and enhanced programming such as Cookies with Santa, The Easter bunny petting zoo and The Valentine's Queen of Hearts;
- Facility and security improvements; and
- Events for families to connect outside of the classroom to enrich the community experience such as the annual Welcome Party, Muffins with Mom, Donuts with Dad, and Grand-friends Days.

Your support is significant, and while we encourage you to give at any level you are comfortable with, we hope you will consider matching or exceeding last year's contribution.

Kind Regards,			
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