

APPENDIX 2.3

SPECIFIED DONATIONS POLICY

Acceptable Specifications

Donations to the church, which are explicitly in support of a specific area of mission, will be considered if they are in alignment with the vision and mission in which the church is presently, or desires to be, involved. Should the constraints placed upon the donation not be in alignment, then the donor, or their agent, will be asked to consider changing the specification to be in alignment with one of the church's present areas of mission. If a mutually agreeable purpose cannot be found, then it is appropriate to decline the gift.

Alternate Uses

Any donation that is accepted for a specific area of mission, is accepted under the condition that the church Council can, at their discretion, redirect any part of a donation that remains once the specific project or area of mission has been completed. Should the vision or mission of the church change, such that funds are no longer needed for a specified use, these funds can also be redirected, at the discretion of Council. This redirection shall be to the ongoing mission of the church, which is in closest alignment with the original intent of the specified use. The church will not knowingly accept a specified donation where it can reasonably anticipate that a material portion of the donation will need to be redirected.

Memorial Recognition

Memorial recognition of donations will not be recognized with any visible markings. Recognition will be in the form of an entry in the memorial register.