

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF THE BRYN MAWR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
2018-2019 BENEVOLENCE DONATIONS

theVillage	\$5,000
BMPC PW is pleased to support theVillage’s Out-of-School Programs that provides after-school and summer hours for children at risk, emphasizing academic remediation and enrichment, project-based learning activities, recreation, and social skills development.	
Arch Street Pre School	\$2,000
Located at 1724 Arch Street, Philadelphia and connected to Arch Street Presbyterian Church, Arch Street Pre School has a diverse student population of 39 with many children coming from the immediate neighborhood. Our donation will be used to as needed by the preschool.	
WePAC Open Books Open Minds Library Initiative	\$1,000
WePAC operates13 libraries in public schools primarily in West Philadelphia. Funds will allow WePAC to purchase the necessary materials to support students who are struggling the most with their literacy skills.	
Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church Tutoring Program	\$1,000
BMPC’s Tutoring Program brings together 130 elementary school children from North Philadelphia and high school students from the western suburbs who provide weekly one-on-one help with reading and writing skills. In addition to working toward academic goals, the program helps children and tutors grow in self-confidence, learn about each other’s worlds, and develop friendships. PW’s donation will help pay for transporting students to BMPC and other needs.	
Kirkwood Camp Scholarship Fund	\$1,000
BMPC PW is pleased to support the Scholarship Fund at Kirkwood Camp. Camp scholarships make it possible for children and youth from economically depressed communities experience a week of camp.	
Cathy Chang	\$1,000
Gifts to support the Rev. Cathy Chang currently serving as a PC(USA) mission co-worker in the Philippines.	
Beacon Presbyterian Church	\$1,000
Support the ministries of Beacon Church and the development of a joint church-community center on Beacon property.	
Mothers in Charge	\$500
Mothers In Charge, Inc. advocates for families affected by violence and provides counseling and grief support services for families when a loved one has been murdered.	
Presbyterian Women Presbytery and Synod Donations to Date:	
Our donations support national and worldwide initiatives to promote violence prevention, education, childcare, and economic independence for women and their families. These include: Cottage Village, a tiny house community in Oregon, Village of Grace for Physical and Spiritual Health, Honduras, Women to Women Breast Cancer Project in Palestine, and Phoenixville Housing Project, a women’s shelter.	
Presbytery Birthday Offering, Thank Offering, and Mission Pledge	\$1,900
Presbytery Assessment & Synod Assessment	\$120

2018-2019 Service Projects

Caring & Crafts: knitted 4 afghans, 5 scarves, 1 pair of mittens for theVillage

Y-Group: collected and assembled 62 backpacks with school supplies and decorated 50 Christmas stockings for theVillage; made casseroles to feed approximately 400 people at area shelters and food cupboards.