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PERSONAL LEGACY

If you are interested in exploring the advantages of joining the

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please fill out the enclosed form and return it to

First & Franklin Presbyterian Church
210 W. Madison St.
Baltimore, MD 21201
Attn: Haswell Franklin

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Dear First & Franklin Family,

First & Franklin Presbyterian Church is the oldest Presbyterian congregation in the city of Baltimore. It traces its history back to 1761 when a small group of Scots/Irish families came to Baltimore during the French/Indian War. They founded the congregation that became the First Presbyterian Church. Our present name is the result of the 1973 merger with the Franklin Street Presbyterian Church.

We can assume that First & Franklin's current mission statement reflects the beliefs of those early founders by stating that... "we strive to be a God-centered, inclusive community, celebrating Jesus as our model; that we share God's powerful love with all people through word and deed; and that we trust that God's grace is known through living." In recognition of the remarkable history of our church, the Financial Committee has embarked on a mission to set up a program which we are calling:

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Through this program, members and friends of First & Franklin can continue in the tradition of our predecessors and participate in planned giving by including First & Franklin Presbyterian Church in their estate planning. In so doing, they will be making a lasting gift to the mission of the church.

We encourage you to consider the possibility of planned giving as a way to honor the church which has meant so much to so many over the past 253 years and beyond.

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**FIRST & FRANKLIN
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
IN YOUR ESTATE PLANNING**

BEQUESTS IN YOUR WILL:

Making and/or updating your will is the most important step in an estate planning. Making a planned gift to First & Franklin Presbyterian Church is as simple as including the following statement:

I give to First & Franklin Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, Maryland _____ of my residuary estate.

I give to First & Franklin Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, Maryland, the sum of _____.

LIFE INSURANCE:

You can name First & Franklin Presbyterian Church as the beneficiary or the owner of a life insurance policy you may hold that is no longer needed to provide for your family.

GIFT ANNUITIES:

Through the Baltimore Community Foundation, we can establish gift annuities that may provide income to you during your lifetime and benefit First & Franklin Presbyterian Church in the future.

CHARITABLE TRUSTS:

By transferring appreciated securities of real property to a charitable trust, you may receive a number of benefits. These include avoidance of capital gains tax upon the sale of an appreciated asset, and possibly providing a higher income to you during your lifetime.

REAL ESTATE:

You may choose to deed to First & Franklin Presbyterian Church the remainder interest in your personal residence or other real property.



Yes, I/we have an interest in joining the

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of

First & Franklin Presbyterian Church

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-Mail _____

_____ I/we have included First & Franklin in our estate planning

_____ I/we are considering including First & Franklin in my/our estate plans

_____ I/we would like more information regarding planned giving at First & Franklin

_____ Please contact me

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