

PLANNED GIVING

Planned Giving may provide benefits for you and your family, as well as helping fulfill your charitable and stewardship goals.

Planned giving vehicles can help prepare for possible future needs: health, accidents or unforeseen financial challenges. They can help you provide for your spouse, dependents or other loved ones while reducing the tax consequences of your current assets and future estate taxes.

Types of gifts include:

- Charitable Gift Annuities
- Unitrusts or Remainder Trusts
- Charitable Lead Trusts
- Appreciated Securities
- Gifts of Life Insurance
- Gifts of Real Estate
- Permanent Funds

Please consult your attorney or financial professional for all financial and legal advice. Please contact Kristi Baack, EMO Director of Development, (503) 221-1054 or kbaack@emoregon.org, with any further questions.

Thank you for your generosity and support of Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon.

Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon (EMO) is a statewide association of faith partners working together to improve the lives of Oregonians through direct service programs, ecumenical and interreligious dialogue, creation justice and public policy advocacy.

The Internal Revenue Service recognizes EMO as a tax-deductible, 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Our tax identification number is 93-0625-359.



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THE PAST

NEARLY 50 YEARS OF ECUMENISM

When Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon (EMO) formed through the merger of the Greater Portland Council of Churches and the Oregon Council of Churches in January 1974, its goal was to bring the faith community together for education and dialogue, advocacy, and to care for the needs of people in our community. Through EMO, the faith community of Oregon lifts their voices for justice for the most vulnerable.

For nearly 50 years, through Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon, people of faith have joined together to work, pray and serve in unity, while celebrating their diversity. —The Rev. Dr. Rodney Page, EMO Executive Director Emeritus



One of EMO's early direct service programs includes the Northeast Emergency Food Program NEFP, which opened in 1983 (left). NEFP continues to serve the most vulnerable in our community today (right).

THE PRESENT

OUR SERVICES TODAY

As a donor to EMO, you join the many individuals, congregations, denominations and faith communities that form the largest ecumenical organization in the country.

EMO programs serve over 130,000 people annually, providing assistance for the most vulnerable members of our community.



THE FUTURE

PRESIDENTS' CIRCLE

Presidents' Circle members pledge to remember EMO in their will (or through other planned giving legacies). Members are dedicated to ensuring EMO's capability to respond to future needs faced by generations to come and will play a vital role in continuing the ecumenical work in our state.

WITH YOUR SUPPORT

- Northeast Emergency Food Program distributes an average of 100,000 pounds of food per month to 11,000 individuals.
- Low-income individuals living with HIV have a safe community where they can find meals, health advice and emotional support on a daily basis.
- Immigrants receive the legal services needed to begin the path to citizenship and keep families together.
- Neighbors, congregations and faith institutions are empowered to care for God's creation through our climate justice advocacy.