

August 1, 2019

< Church/Employer Name>  
<Contact Name>  
<Address>  
<Address>  
<City, State, ZIP>

**RE: 3-Month, 1% Contribution Challenge**

Dear <Firstname> <Lastname>:

Your clergy participant(s) has/have indicated that they would like to participate in a challenge to increase UMPIP contributions by 1% of pay for 3 months. Included is a copy of the e-mails we sent showing the rate(s) we have on file and the new rate(s) that should be in effect as of September 1.

If the clergyperson is currently contributing a dollar amount to UMPIP, the contribution was converted to a percentage based on the current compensation on file in order to add 1% for the challenge. It will remain at that percentage after the 3-month challenge ends unless the clergyperson submits a new *Contribution Election* form. No refunds of the additional 1% contributions will be made.

Please prioritize the processing of these changes in payroll so that the clergyperson who signed up can participate for the full, 3-month challenge. **Changes must be made by September 1** for participants to complete the full challenge.

If you have questions, contact the Wespath Retirement Services team at [retservices@wespath.org](mailto:retservices@wespath.org) or **1-847-285-2231**.

Sincerely,

Wespath Benefits and Investments

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