

# EPISCOPAL CHURCH WOMEN, *DIOCESE OF ATLANTA* ANNUAL PLEDGE & CONTRIBUTION FORM

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**Please use this form for all contributions to the Diocesan ECW Board** (not for United Thank Offering or Church Periodical Club). Make copies of this form as necessary.

Name of Donor or Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Contact information (phone # or e-mail address) \_\_\_\_\_

Contribution to be designated as:

[ ] Annual Pledge - Amount \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Rosa Woodbury Scholarship Fund - Amount \_\_\_\_\_  
(awarded annually to a woman studying for the ministry or Christian service)

[ ] Alice Sylvia Child Scholarship Fund - Amount \_\_\_\_\_  
(funds scholarships to the Spring ECW Retreat at Camp Mikell)

[ ] Triennial Unified Gift - Amount \_\_\_\_\_  
(recipient chosen by National ECW Board for each Triennial Meeting)

[ ] Triennial Meeting Fund - Amount \_\_\_\_\_  
(pays expenses of 4 delegates representing Diocese of Atlanta to ECW Triennial Meeting)

[ ] Miscellaneous (Please specify purpose) \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make checks payable to:**

ECW, Diocese of Atlanta

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# REVIEWING YOUR PARISH ECW

## Spirituality:

- Does God come first? Do you have devotions and prayer at every gathering?
- Do you have a mission statement? Is it made known?

## Communication:

- Do you have names, address, phone numbers and email addresses for all women in your church?
- Do you keep the women well informed?
- Do you use church bulletins, newsletters, telephone and email?
- Do you mail invitations for special events to all women in the church?
- Do you have an informational booklet for each family and newcomer?

## Program:

- Do you have a variety of activities?
- Do you plan some programs to include girls? Other family members?
- Do you attend the annual Fall Diocesan ECW meeting? The ECW Spring Retreat?
- Do you stay informed about diocese, province and national ECW activities?
- Do you have at least one program yearly to include others from your community?

## Inquire:

- Has each woman felt welcomed and valued? Are friendships being formed?
- Are the women who are active in ECW satisfied with the overall program?
- Have the interests and needs of all women been addressed?
- Has questioning your parish helped to find out what would interest more women?
- Are you looking at the positives of your ECW?

## Outreach:

- Are you involved in community outreach?
- Do you hold spring and fall United Thank Offering (UTO) gatherings?
- Do you observe Church Periodical Club and Miles of Pennies Sundays?
- Are you aware of other ministries promoted by the diocese and national ECW?

## Possible Pitfalls:

- Are you expecting too much?
- Are you spending too much time at meetings discussing business?
- Are you forgetting to encourage leadership and committee involvement?
- Did you have an annual budget?
- Was making money your major accomplishment?
- Did you forget to make a report at your Annual Parish Meeting?