

First Christian Church Electronic Contribution Authorization Form



YES! I'd like to sign up for Electronic Contribution

Effective Date _____

New Electronic Contribution Authorization

Change Contribution Amount

Weekly (transferred on Mondays)

Change Contribution Date

Semi-Monthly (transferred on the 1st & 15th)

Change Financial Institution Account

Monthly (transferred on either the 1st or the 15th) Discontinue Electronic Contribution

AMOUNT PER DONATION: \$ _____ GENERAL FUND \$ _____ Bridging The Gap

Please Tell Us About Yourself

Name on Account: (please print) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Daytime Phone Number: _____

Your Signature

Please accept my ongoing contribution from my:

Checking Account (attach a voided check)

Savings Account (attach a saving deposit slip)

Routing Number: _____

Account Number: _____

I authorize First Christian Church of Champaign, IL to process debit entries to my account. I have attached a voided check or savings deposit slip. This authority will remain in effect until I give reasonable notification to terminate this authorization.

Electronic Contributions

Frequently Asked Questions

What is Electronic Contributions?

Electronic Contribution is an automatic transfer program which allows you to make contributions without writing checks or giving cash.

What are the advantages of Electronic Contributions?

It saves times and simplifies your life! You also help First Christian Church stabilize it's budget.

How is my Electronic Contribution automatically deducted from my account?

Once you authorize the transfer, your specified contribution is electronically transferred directly from your checking or savings account to First Christian Church's account.

How do I keep my checkbook balance straight if I do not write a check?

Simply record the contribution in your check register on the appropriate date that you have previously specified.

How can I prove I made my contribution without a canceled check?

Your bank statement gives you an itemized list of electronic transfers. It is your proof of contribution. First Christian Church also provides annual contribution statements.

Is Electronic Contribution risky?

Electronic Contribution is less risky than check contribution. It can't be lost, stolen or destroyed in the mail. It has an extremely high rate of accuracy.

What if I change bank accounts?

Notify us and we'll give you a new authorization form to complete.

What about my offering envelopes?

With electronic giving, there is no need for the envelopes so we will take you off that mailing.

How much does Electronic Contribution cost?

There is no cost to you or the church and saves you time.

What if I try Electronic Contributions and don't like it?

You can cancel your authorization by notifying us any time. But, once you've enjoyed the convenience, we doubt you'll want to go back to making contributions the way you did before.

How do I sign up for Electronic Contributions?

Complete and sign the authorization form on the back and return it to us along with a voided check or savings deposit slip.

I currently use a bill pay service to pay my bills. Can I contribute to FCC using bill pay?

Yes and some already do. If you wish to use this type of service you can set it up without the church needing to take any action.

How does Electronic Contribution differ from bill pay?

Through bill pay, contributions are set up on a recurring basis directly with your bill paying service or financial institution. Then they remit checks to First Christian Church on your behalf.

Who do I talk to if I have more questions?

E-mail Brandon Pryor at bpryor@fcc-online.org or call him at (217) 356-1649. He'll be glad to answer any other questions you might have.

