## **Instructions for Giving Gifts of Stock to Moorings Presbyterian Church**

\*Please consult with your tax advisor regarding the tax impact of any gift decision\*

A donor who owns appreciated securities may benefit by making a gift of securities to Moorings Presbyterian Church (the Church). The Church is a 501 (c) (3) organization exempt from federal income taxes. As such, donors may avoid paying capital gains taxes, may be able to claim a charitable tax deduction, or both. **Donors should consult with their tax advisor when considering such gifts.** 

## **Transfer Instructions (two methods):**

- **Electronic Transfer of Ownership (Preferred Method):** Donors wishing to transfer stock from their personal investment accounts to the Church should obtain a form from their financial advisor or investment services firm and complete it with the information below:
  - Firm: Morgan Stanley Wealth Management, Attn: Mayra Dominguez
  - Address: 928 N. Collier Blvd., 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Marco Island, FL 34145
  - **Phone**: 239-393-2902 or 239-303-2900/ Fax: 239-449-6387
  - Account Name: Moorings Presbyterian Church, Inc.
  - Account Number: 525-035669-335, DTC#: 0015
  - Donor Name

Copies of completed forms should be sent to Moorings Presbyterian Church, ATTN: Accounting Administrator, 791 Harbour Drive, Naples, FL 34103 to insure identification and acknowledgement of your gift. Fax # 239-261-8740

- Paper Stock Certificate Transfer Procedure: Donors wishing to transfer physical stock certificates to the Church held in their name or the name of their trust should compose a letter to include the following information below:
  - [Insert donor name] is/are relinquishing the following shares as a gift to Moorings Presbyterian Church,
    Inc.:
    - Name of the Company the Shares are Issued for:
    - Number of Shares:
    - Title of Ownership:
    - If Shares are Restricted, explain:

The letter must include guaranteed signatures from all current owners of the security. A signature guarantee can be obtained from an authorized officer of a bank or trust company, a member of a domestic stock exchange, or another eligible guarantor as defined by Securities and Exchange Commission rules. A notary public cannot provide a signature guarantee.

The stock certificate must be completed as follows:

- On the front upper right-hand margin, write Moorings Presbyterian Church, Inc. account # 525-035669-335.
- On the back, complete the following:
  - Write the words "Morgan Stanley Wealth Management" on the line that states "...and do herby irrevocably constitute and appoint \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to transfer the said stock to the ownership of Moorings Presbyterian Church, Inc."
  - Write the current date on the line that states: "Dated ."
  - The owner (donor) must sign his/her name(s) the same way that it appears on the front of the certificate. If there is more than one owner, all must sign.
- Once completed the stock certificates and letter should be mailed or delivered to:
  Accounting Administrator, Moorings Presbyterian Church, Inc., 791 Harbour Drive, Naples, FL 34103

## For questions, contact: