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Mission

To build an accepting atmosphere in the Church where every woman is welcomed and valued for her individual ministry.

Motto

Then Jesus answered her, *"Woman, great is your faith..."* Matthew 15:28

History

ECW evolved from the Women's Auxiliary Missionary Society, whose first Triennial meeting was held in 1874. Much of the early work involved fundraising in support of missionaries, which eventually led to the formation of the United Thank Offering. The United Thank Offering (UTO) continues to be a significant charity supported by the Episcopal Church Women to this day. The role of women in the Church and the world continues to change and ECW monitors women's full participation, which includes mutual respect and equality of service. ECW listens to the concerns of women throughout the Church and responds creatively to their needs.

Ministries

- **Memorial Scholarship Fund (MSF)**, established in 1925, is one of the major efforts in place to offer financial assistance to women who are pursuing careers in Christian ministry and social work.

To make a donation or receive additional information, please contact Eulalia Smith, MSF Custodian, at (202) 526-3477 or email her at ewsmith1@rcn.com.

- **United Thank Offering (UTO)** is integral to the mission work of the Episcopal Church. Our "UTO Blue Box" is used as a symbol of giving thanks. One can give thanks by dropping coins in the UTO Blue Box each day. Each year, individual offerings are united in great thanks. These offerings are assigned to requests received from all over the world to enhance missions and ministries and to alleviate compelling human needs.

For additional information, please contact Rosamond Daniels at (301) 879-8194 or rosamondmd47@gmail.com.

- **Church Periodical Club (CPC)** is an independent, affiliated organization of the Executive Council of the Episcopal Church. The work of CPC is dedicated to the worldwide ministry of the printed Word and to the promotion of Christian ministry. CPC was founded about one hundred years ago by Mary Jane Fargo in order to provide enrichment for lonely missionaries on the frontier.

ECW- Diocese of Washington continues this tradition by providing printed materials to seminarians, the sick and shut-in in the Washington-metropolitan area.

To make a donation or receive additional information, please contact Angela Atkins at (202) 652-8060 or angela.atkns@gmail.com.

- **The Bishop John Bryson Chane Scholarship for Social Justice** was established in 2011 to award grants to graduating seniors in the Diocese of Washington who are interested in pursuing a degree in social justice studies at an accredited college or university. Students must be active members of an Episcopal Church within one of the six regions of the Diocese of Washington and must demonstrate a commitment to social justice. To make a donation or receive additional information, contact Carol Tyrance Graves at ecw.edow@gmail.com.

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