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Sharing of the stories of God at work in the world is at the heart of our faith. The BWC's Communications Ministries tells your story, those of the 623 churches in our Conference, and the broader United Methodist Church in a variety of media. Its mission is to inspire, inform and equip the spiritual leaders of your church.

COMMUNICATIONS

bwcumc.org/history-archives

The BWC is the birthplace of Methodism in America. It is also the cradle of the United Brethren Church. Archives and History cares for several United Methodist pilgrimage locations, including Lovely Lane Museum, a museum of African-American church history at Sharp Street Memorial UMC, Strawbridge Shrine, and 12 other historic designated sites.

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ARCHIVES & HISTORY

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Arena Questions
Arena is the BWC database. For information, contact Kayla Spears at kspears@bwcumc.org.

bwcumc.org/stewardship

Want to know how to get your church hooked up with electronic giving? Where do you go to get a grant or loan for your church to build a new elevator or start a new program? You're not alone. Thousands of resources exist to help you and your church live out God's call to be good stewards.

RESOURCES

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 **Baltimore-Washington Conference**
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ADVOCACY & ACTION



bwcumc.org/ACT

Faithfully respond to God's call for justice, mercy and hope by collaborating with individuals and organizations to transform unjust and oppressive systems.

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