

# Christian Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses



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TO ALL CONGREGATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, PUERTO RICO, AND U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

Re: Donations to Worldwide Work Using jw.org

Dear Brothers:

You are truly to be commended for your continued support of pure worship, including your contributions of time, effort, and financial resources to Kingdom interests. There is no doubt that Jehovah greatly appreciates your willing and generous spirit. (2 Cor. 9:7) In this regard, many have requested that we make readily available information about ways they may support Kingdom interests in their area. To meet this request, we are providing a country-specific donation information page on jw.org.

This information page will explain donation methods available in your country. These methods include electronic bank transfers, conditional donations, and charitable planning. You may access this page by selecting the link [“Make a Donation to Our Worldwide Work”](#) at the bottom of the home page on jw.org or by using the “Support Our Worldwide Work” option in the “Online” section of the *JW Library* app.

This page will also allow you to make donations to the worldwide work using any major credit card or any debit card labeled Visa or MasterCard. To use this arrangement, the donor will need a card that has a billing address matching the country he selects on jw.org. One-time donations may be made without creating an account. You may also set up a login account to make donations regularly. Setting up a login account reduces the accounting work at the branch office, allows you to create a recurring donation, and allows you to see your donation history. All donations will be immediately confirmed by e-mail. A few days after the donation is received, a donation acknowledgment letter will be e-mailed to the donor. If you have any questions on how to use this arrangement, please feel free to contact one of your local elders or another capable brother to assist you.

We hope that this provision will prove helpful to you as you continue to “honor Jehovah with your valuable things.”—Prov. 3:9.

Your brothers,

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c: Circuit overseers

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PS to bodies of elders:

Please arrange for this letter to be read to the congregation during the midweek meeting the week of May 23, 2016, at the end of the part “Ways to Use *JW Library*”—Part 2. If possible, demonstrate how to connect to the donation information page. Thereafter, the letter should be posted on the information board. **However, this postscript should neither be read to the congregation nor be posted on the information board.** If your congregation will be attending a circuit assembly or a convention the week of May 23, 2016, the letter should be read by the Life and Ministry Meeting chairman the following week.

As a body of elders, select an elder(s) who can assist ones in your congregation who request help setting up a jw.org login account or making a credit or debit card donation. This brother(s) should familiarize himself with this process so he can help others. Please arrange for the name of the designated brother(s) to be announced during the part noted above. This brother(s) should not save the jw.org password of individuals whom he assists or retain their credit or debit card details.