

Pension Plans for Service Prior to January 1, 2007

If you had eligible service as a member of the clergy for the Louisiana Annual Conference of The United Methodist Church before January 1, 2007, you may be a participant in the following retirement programs.

Ministerial Pension Plan (MPP) for service from 1982 - 2006

If you were a member of the United Methodist Church clergy between 1982 and 2006, you may have participated in the MPP. If you have an MPP account, it will continue to be invested and, upon retirement, you will still receive your full benefit from the MPP.

The Clergy Retirement Security Program (**CRSP**) replaced the MPP effective January 1, 2007.

Pre-1982 Plan for service prior to 1982

You may be eligible to receive benefits from the Pre-82 Plan in addition to any CRSP and MPP benefits you are eligible for) if you had eligible service before January 1, 1982. The MPP replaced the Pre-82 Plan effective January 1, 1982.

In Louisiana the funded annuity rate ("Past Service Rate") for 2015 is \$701 and for 2016 it is \$714. Surviving spouses are funded at 75% of this rate.

For more information contact the General Board of Pensions and Health Benefits at 800-851-2201 or the Administrative Ministries office by telephone at 225-346-1646 or by email at [Theresa Stevens](#) or [Jan Curwick](#).

Note: If there is any variance in the information above and the Plan Documents for MPP or Pre-1982 plans, the Plan Documents control.