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**"News from the Board of Pensions"**

*Note: This newsletter offers highlights and news from the Board of Pension.  
Please feel free to share this piece with your communications director or webmaster.*

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**Benefits Connect Tip:  
Church treasurers and business administrators can securely confirm or change  
their members' salary information.**

Just click on the "Register" button under the Benefits Connect logo on the [Pensions.org](http://Pensions.org) homepage. In Step 1 of the registration process, you will be asked to specify what your role is. You should click on the button for "Authorized Web Representative." Then just complete the rest of the registration information and establish your user ID and password. It's that easy.

**ActiveHealth Management Bringing New Features to Members This Spring**

Coming in April, [ActiveHealth Management](http://ActiveHealth Management) is taking our health management services to a new level with the unveiling of a private and secure online personal health record for you and your family members. In addition to providing a unique personal health record, this Web site will be your gateway to many other great health programs and services to better manage your health.

Active members can receive a \$100 health stewardship incentive for participating in the program. Look for more information about the Web site and the incentive coming soon to [Pensions.org](http://Pensions.org).

***Your health information is kept strictly confidential. The ActiveHealth Management programs and tools are secure and confidential, in full compliance with federal and state laws. ActiveHealth Management understands and respects the privacy of all personal health information.***

**Thank You for Your Gifts to the Christmas Joy Offering**

The Assistance Program of The Board of Pensions of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) sincerely appreciates the gifts members and congregations made to the Christmas Joy Offering. With these gifts, the program provides grants to Presbyterian ministers, other church workers, and their families who struggle to make ends meet.

The Assistance Program receives no funds from pension or medical dues. Its grants are funded entirely by gifts, bequests, and one-half of the Christmas Joy Offering.

In addition to the programs supported by the Christmas Joy Offering, the Assistance Program also offers a number of other programs, such as ones that address church

leadership needs through pastoral vocational and leadership training. To learn more, visit the [Assistance Program section](#) of Pensions.org.

### **Benefits Connect Provides You Secure Access to Your Personal and Benefits Information**

Benefits Connect is the Board's secure online resource for active and retired members and surviving spouses. Through Benefits Connect, you can (as applicable):

- update your mailing, home, or email address
- add or remove a dependent or edit his or her information
- review your service information
- view your medical benefits
- access useful partner resources
  - get a pension estimate
  - check your death benefits and calculate your total death benefits
  - find your annual disability benefit
- confirm your Retirement Savings Plan participation

Take advantage of this convenient site today by clicking on the "Register" button under the Benefits Connect logo on the [Pensions.org homepage](#).