

# OPTIONS FOR CHURCH GIVING

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Following are options for church giving other than Sunday offering plate, drop-off, or mail-in.

## **HAMLIN BANK AUTO TRANSFER**

For Hamlin Bank Account holders, if you have a **fixed** gift amount you want to give on a schedule, the bank will set up an auto transfer from your account to the church's checking account at no charge.

Contact our church finance director Jeff Wilson at the bank at (814) 887-5555 or his cell at (814) 558-9218 with your details and he will set it up.

## **HAMLIN BANK BILL PAY**

For Hamlin Bank Account holders, if you have a **variable** (changing) gift amount each time you give, the bank has a free online bill pay service on their website. Go to [hamlinbank.com](http://hamlinbank.com) and click on GO. If you have an online account, login and set up Bill Pay. If you do not have an online account, click GO and scroll down past the login boxes and click Enroll. Once enrolled, login and set up Bill Pay to: East Smethport United Christian Church, PO Box 95, East Smethport, PA 16730.

If you do not have a Hamlin Bank account, it is likely your bank or credit union has online banking services that offer a bill pay service as well.

## **TITHELY ONLINE OR TEXT GIVING**

The church has recently added the option of convenient **online or text giving** through a church giving company called Tithely. To set up or login to a Tithely account, go to our church website, [eschurch.org](http://eschurch.org), and click the GIVE button.

As with all debit/credit card transactions, there is a fee. You will see the fee total before approving your gift amount. Your original gift amount will instantly go to the church; the fee will go to Tithely.

For text giving, text the word GIVE to this number Tithely assigned to our church (855) 848-9494. You will receive an instant reply with a link for setup. After setup, you will get a text of instructions on the specific way to text your giving.