

## Committee/Group Name: Canvass

**Purpose of Committee:** Raise money to operate the church

**Members:** Andrew Mills, Ruth Merriott

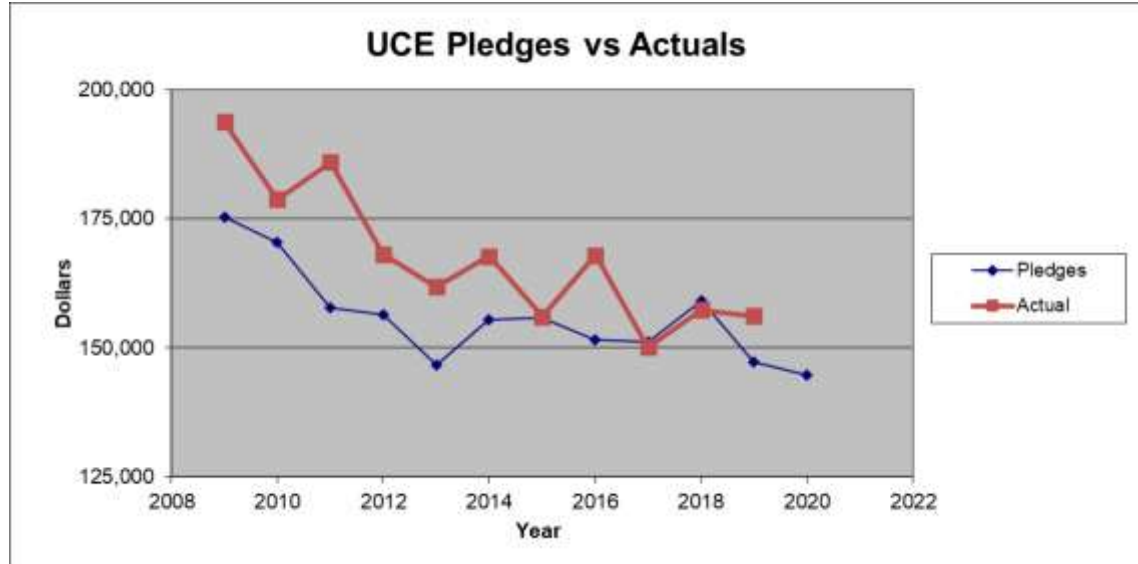
- Special thanks to Ruth Merriott for once again keeping track of pledges.

### Major Actions of 2019-20

- 2020 Canvass “Here Together”
- An unexpected canvass! Our Here Together canvass theme became ironic when the church building was closed ½ way through March. It was a bit of a scramble to get connected to the donation records and to get a reminder out to those that hadn’t pledged by the end of March but I think we ended up in pretty good shape.
  - Activities: newsletter articles (4), emails (2), canvass talks, display in lobby
  - Created a summary of online donation methods for the new online services.
  - Created new form for signing up preauthorized debits (didn’t have one before)

### Outcomes Achieved

- Pledges of \$144,700 which is within 2% of last year’s pledges
- Suggested budget for 2020/2021 is \$150,000 (\$145 plus 3 to 4%)



### Planned Actions for 2020-21

- Pick new theme and start preparations for 2021 Canvass in December

### Recommendations for Board Consideration

- Andrew will continue as canvass chair if acceptable

**Submitted by:** Andrew Mills