



**Alternative Giving Fair  
November 24 through December 22, 2019  
Witherspoon Room**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- † On the opposite side of this sheet, you will find organizations who have requested certain items that will aid their missions.
- † Some of the items are limited stock. You can purchase them and take them with you. Other items reflect what it costs that ministry/organization to provide those items for our neighbors in need. Your donation will help them purchase items they need. In return, you will receive an honor card to give as a gift. All monies collected will go to the organization that was specified on the other side of this sheet.
- † On Sundays, November 24 – December 22, from 9:00-10:00 a.m. and 12:00-12:30 p.m., and Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays after the mid-week Bible study, the Witherspoon Room will be open for you to explore. Come see displays, talk with people about the organization, purchase the limited stock items, and make a donation for honor cards.
- † If you are unable to attend the Alternative Giving Fair at the times it is open, please contact Charlotte Nance-Allbright to make other arrangements. [callbright@fpcburlington.org](mailto:callbright@fpcburlington.org) or 336-228-1703 x 223
- † Pick an item or items from the organization(s) of your choice. You don't have to pick just one! Add your total on the Alternative Giving list. Pay cash or check to First Presbyterian Church. If you pay by check, please memo "Alternative Giving." First Presbyterian will send donations collected to the organizations that participated in this Alternative Giving Fair.
- † Either give this form and your donation to the cashier during the Alternative Giving Fair hours OR mail this form and your donation to First Presbyterian Church, Attn: Charlotte Nance-Allbright. *Be sure to cut off the bottom portion of the sheet as your receipt and document for taxes.* Your donation will not show up on your annual giving statement. The bottom portion of the sheet is your documentation.

***This Advent season, you have a choice*** – give the material things of the world or give the spirit of God's love. Consider giving a fresh look at how you give during Advent with alternative giving that will help bring cheer back to the season.

**Great for Adults** who already have everything and would appreciate knowing that the gift given to them is providing a better life for others.

**Great for Youth** who are becoming more aware that their actions are connected to the world around them. Young people can make a difference in the world and proclaim the Good News of Christ at the same time.

**Great for children** who need the opportunity to truly understand the meaning of giving gifts at Christmas. Give the gift of love and life to your brothers and sisters around the world.

**Please consider at least one of these projects as an opportunity  
where you can share the gift of God's love.  
What a wonderful way to welcome the Christ child!**

If you are not able to attend the Alternative Giving Fair, you may select any *tax-deductible* items, attach your check to the tally form, and mail by December 20 to First Presbyterian Church, ATTN: Alternative Giving, 508 W Davis St, Burlington, NC 27215. Please make checks payable to First Presbyterian Church and designate "Alternative Giving" on the memo line. Cards acknowledging the gift may be picked up at the office *per request* to Charlotte Nance-Allbright.