

Senate Bill 172

We are residents and voters in Maryland who encourage you to vote YEA for Maryland SB 172 during the 2026 session of the Maryland legislature. Approving SB 172 would correct the unfairness of the United Methodist Church (UMC) Trust Clause that stipulates the buildings, property and assets of individual churches are owned by the Baltimore Washington Conference (BWC) of the UMC, even though the Conference has never paid anything for the individual church buildings, property or assets. Compounding this unfairness, the Conference has significantly changed the UMC Doctrine so that it is no longer the Doctrine that individual churches agreed to when they joined the UMC in 1968. These two inequities have made it unacceptable for many individual churches to remain in the UMC system within the BWC and your YEA vote will help rectify these unreasonable situations. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

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