



Dear United Alums and Friends,

***“Why I’m grateful for United?”*** You may recognize that comment from our appeal letter at the end of 2017. We’ve been using that theme throughout the year as a reminder there truly has been much for which we are grateful. Of course, one of the very first things we think of is you, our loyal alums and friends. We are most grateful for your on-going commitment to and support of our mission.

As we come to the close of our 2018 fiscal year, we reflect back and recount several of the key accomplishments of the year:

- Increased enrollment in our Spring Trimester versus a year ago.
- Indicators that the Fall Trimester will see higher enrollment versus last fall.
- Successful new curricula, such as the Interreligious Chaplaincy concentration.
- The prayerfully considered decision to move our campus to a more sustainable location, one that will better serve our students and the community. *We are grateful for your tremendous support.*

Many of you showed your gratitude through a gift at the end of 2017. Again, we thank you! ***There’s still more to accomplish and your continued help is needed.***

***To jumpstart our fiscal year end appeal, we’ve been blessed to receive a \$30,000 matching grant from the Katherine B. Anderson Foundation.*** Is now the time for you to consider another gift, or establishing a recurring monthly gift, to help us meet the on-going financial needs of the seminary? Might now be the time to make a gift designated for the scholarship fund, or in support of a program area of your choosing?

***Hit [‘Give Now’](#) to make your End of Fiscal Year Gift.  
Your gift will be matched! Give today!***

If you have any questions about the seminary or the Annual Fund, please feel free to contact Mark Zastrow, Director of Individual Giving at (651) 255-6164 or [mzastrow@unitedseminary.edu](mailto:mzastrow@unitedseminary.edu).

***Why are you grateful for United?***

With warmest regards,

Amy C. Fistler  
Vice President for Advancement

***P.S. Whether you are making a gift or not, please update your contact information (include preferred address, phone number, email and/or if you’ve included United in your estate plan) by emailing Mark Zastrow ([mzastrow@unitedseminary.edu](mailto:mzastrow@unitedseminary.edu)).***