

SPECIAL MESSAGE for all employees, including pastors, who receive benefits from the Board of Pensions. You **must** participate in the Annual Enrollment process **each year** to keep your benefits.

"Annual Enrollment ... This Means You!"

What?

If you currently receive benefits from the Board of Pensions, and want to continue to receive these benefits in 2017, **you must select the benefits during Annual Enrollment**. Even if you are not making any changes, even if you have never done so before, and especially if you think the benefits offered by your church/ employing organization will be "automatic"!

Who?

Annual Enrollment requires the action of all plan members - *including pastors! (not retirees)*

When?

The Annual Enrollment period is **October 17 - November 11, 2016**.

How?

Annual Enrollment is **only available online!** Use Benefits Connect on pensions.org to access and make your benefit elections for 2017. Or you may click on this link <https://benefitsconnect.pensions.org/layouts/15/BenefitsConnect/Login.aspx>

Help?

The **Annual Enrollment Guide** was sent to the current home address on file of every plan member. It is highly recommended that members also prepare for enrollment by using the **Annual Enrollment E-learning Module**. Additional, pertinent information is available on the **Board of Pensions** home page. Finally, you may always consult **Member Services** at 1-800-773-7752.

Helpful Links

Board of Pensions: <http://www.pensions.org/Pages/default.aspx>

Annual Enrollment

Guide: <http://bit.ly/2d8R9Ko>

E-Learning Module: <http://pensions.adobeconnect.com/annualenrollment>