

Scrip Team Annual Report, 2021-2022

The Scrip Team has not had much to do this past year. Since services were not held in person May through August, we were not able to set up shop in the Social Hall. Since September, however, we have been open for business and underwhelmed by the congregational support. There continue to be 5 people who order People's Food Coop gift cards and almost 20 people who have continued to order eGift cards, physical cards, and reloads either online or with the new phone app RaiseRight. Thanks to them, the congregation received about \$3,000 in rebates. If this is what 25 people can earn in the worst of times, just think of what 400 people could earn in the best of times! All it takes is intention, to earn free money for the congregation that would otherwise go to the retailers.

The Scrip Team never meets altogether, as we each have a defined shift to work with one other person. The work is shared by Carolyn Barber, Jo Dodge, Becky Swank, Sara Gibb, and Sara Mathews. In an effort to hang together during the covid times, though, the Scrip Team has met by Zoom twice a month. It has been wonderful to maintain our connections, see smiling faces, and get to know each other better than when we work together in pairs. This has worked so well, in fact, that we are continuing our biweekly meetings on Zoom.

Please think about where you shop - for groceries, gas, pharmacy, home improvement, entertainment - and come see us to order your scrip.

—Submitted by Carolyn Barber, Scrip Program Coordinator

