

Simple Gifts is the theme for our stewardship emphasis. The goal of Christian stewardship is the faithful management of all God entrusts to us so that God can use our gifts to transform us spiritually and to extend Christ's transforming love to others.

Our relationship with God should impact everything we do. So we ask you to prayerfully consider, "How do your daily life and the way you live reflect your relationship with God?"

One barometer of your relationship with God is your giving back to God. Malachi 3:10 says, *Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, so that there may be food in my house, and thus put me to the test, says the Lord of hosts, see if I will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you an overflowing blessing.* God asks us to take a journey of hope and see how God will bless us.

We invite you to experience God's blessings first hand, by tithing, committing one tenth of your income to God. Do so, and see if new windows of heaven are opened in your life. See if God's eternal blessings begin to shine a new light in your life.

If you aren't ready yet to try tithing, we invite you to increase your giving percentage. What a blessing to be able to give back to God.



"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also."

Matthew 6:21



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ESTIMATE OF GIVING

PRINT Name (s) _____

Phone Number _____

God is leading me/us to tithe (giving **at least 10%** of my/our income to God through Duke Memorial UMC). I/we will give \$_____ per *week* during 2010. I/we estimate we'll give a total of \$_____ during 2010.

God is leading me/us to take a step up toward tithing by increasing the percentage I/we give to God through Duke Memorial UMC. I/we will give \$_____ per *week* during 2010. I/we estimate we'll give a total of \$_____ during 2010.

God is leading me/us to offer God through Duke Memorial UMC \$_____ per *week* during 2010. I/we estimate we'll give a total of \$_____ during 2010.

Other \$ _____

SIGNATURE(S) _____

I/we would like more information on having our tithe/offering transferred via electronic transfer/auto draft.

Thank you!

Weekly Income	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	Tithe 10%
\$100	\$3	\$4	\$5	\$6	\$7	\$8	\$9	\$10
\$200	\$6	\$8	\$10	\$12	\$14	\$16	\$18	\$20
\$300	\$9	\$12	\$15	\$18	\$21	\$24	\$27	\$30
\$400	\$12	\$16	\$20	\$24	\$28	\$32	\$36	\$40
\$500	\$15	\$20	\$25	\$30	\$35	\$40	\$45	\$50
\$600	\$18	\$24	\$30	\$36	\$42	\$48	\$54	\$60
\$700	\$21	\$28	\$35	\$42	\$49	\$56	\$63	\$70
\$800	\$24	\$32	\$40	\$48	\$56	\$64	\$72	\$80
\$900	\$27	\$36	\$45	\$54	\$63	\$72	\$81	\$90
\$1000	\$30	\$40	\$50	\$60	\$70	\$80	\$90	\$100
\$1500	\$45	\$60	\$75	\$90	\$105	\$120	\$135	\$150
\$2000	\$60	\$80	\$100	\$120	\$140	\$160	\$180	\$200
\$2500	\$75	\$100	\$125	\$150	\$175	\$200	\$225	\$250
\$3000	\$90	\$120	\$150	\$180	\$210	\$240	\$270	\$300
\$3500	\$105	\$140	\$175	\$210	\$245	\$280	\$310	\$350
\$4000	\$120	\$160	\$200	\$240	\$280	\$320	\$360	\$400
\$5000	\$150	\$200	\$250	\$300	\$350	\$400	\$450	\$500
\$6000	\$180	\$240	\$300	\$360	\$420	\$480	\$540	\$600
\$7000	\$210	\$280	\$350	\$420	\$490	\$560	\$630	\$700
\$8000	\$240	\$320	\$400	\$480	\$560	\$640	\$720	\$800

What percentage will you give this year?
 What percentage will you give next year?
 What will be your Simple Gift?