

Realizing that all we are and have is a gift from God's abundant love, I/we will support our mission by estimating my/our gift over a three year period:

My/Our total three year gift will be \$ _____ to be given as follows:

- Option 1:
I/We will give \$ _____ per _____ week _____ month over a three year period beginning now.
- Option 2:
An initial amount of \$ _____ will be given immediately.
The remaining balance of \$ _____ will be given _____ weekly _____ monthly _____ annually
- Option 3:
Other* (please specify)

*I/We would like more information on how to donate in the following way:

- Stocks
- Appreciated Assets
- Insurance
- Deferred Giving
- Matched Giving
- Other Giving
- Electronic Funds Transfer- *Simply Giving*
- I/We have included the church in our will

This three year gift is above and beyond what we already give to support the annual ministry needs of All God's Children.

Name(s)

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

E-mail

This estimate of giving may be increased, decreased, extended, or canceled by calling the church office.

CREATIVE A-Z IDEAS

*Automobiles • Acreages • Antiques
• Bonds • Boats • Buffalo • Crops •
Computers • Coins • Diamonds •
Dividends • Estates • Endowments
• Electronics • Farms • Furniture •
Gems • Gifts in Kind • Houses • Hogs
• Heirlooms • Interest • Insurance
Policies • IRAs • Inheritances •
Income Tax Refunds • Jewels • Jets
• Kitchen Appliances • Land • Labor
• Landscaping • Livestock • Motor
Homes • Mutual Funds • Notes
(Treasury) • Necklaces • Options
• Office Supplies & Equipment •
Properties • Printers • Plumbing •
Quartz • Quick Assets • Rings • Real
Estate • Retirement Funds • Stocks •
Sculptures • Savings • Trusts • Tithes
• Town Houses • Underwriting
• Vacation Homes • Works of
Art • Xerox Machine • Yearly
Bonuses • Zero Coupon Bonds*

BLESSED & Blessing Others

*I will bless you, and make your name great,
so that you will be a blessing.*

Genesis 12:2



MAKING A
Joyful
RESPONSE

LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD

As we are invited to make our response to the **Blessed & Blessing Others** appeal, it is important that we listen to God's word for guidance and encouragement.

Please consider the following scripture passages:

"...and God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that you may always have enough of everything and may provide in abundance for every good work."

2 Corinthians 9:8

As generous disciples we are invited to live with expectancy. As we consider sharing our blessings, we should in faith trust the promises of God to be true. God truly does provide us with every blessing in ABUNDANCE. Expect it!

"...you will be enriched in every way for your great generosity."

2 Corinthians 9:11

As we give our blessings away, we are twice blessed in return. It is a privilege and a JOY to be given the opportunity to share out of our abundance with others.

GIVE PRAYERFUL CONSIDERATION

As we listen to God's word, we also need to be in prayer so we can be open to God's spirit in guiding our response. As you take time to pray, please also consider using the **Blessed & Blessing Others** appeal prayer:

*Gracious God,
I thank You for All God's Children, for the blessing it has been to so many.
Continue awakening us to new and exciting possibilities for ministry.
Grant us courage to trust Your leading, to be generous in giving.
Fill our hearts with joy and faith as we see what Your power, working in and through us who are growing together, can accomplish.
In Jesus' Name,
Amen.*

BE CREATIVE WITH YOUR RESPONSE

As we consider how God has blessed us to be a blessing with our response, it is important for us to be creative. There are many ways we can increase our gift potential by looking at our entire resource base.

Please consider the following ideas in your discerning process.

- *Priority Budgeting*
- *Re-Channeling of Expenditures*
- *Gifts of Income*
- *Gifts from Extra Work*
- *Gifts of Appreciated Assets*
- *Gifts of Stocks and Bonds*
- *Gifts of Unexpected Cash*
- *Gifts of Life Insurance*
- *Gift Annuity*
- *Charitable Trusts*

MAKE YOUR RESPONSE

It has been said, *"God doesn't call us to do anything we think we can do, only that which is beyond us."*

All God's Children has been given an extraordinary vision that calls us to make an extraordinary response. As you make your response, please consider lifting your sights to a place you never thought possible, and one that trusts not in your ability to make it happen, but God's ability to provide.

Option 1:

Please use this option if your response will be given on a weekly, monthly, or annual basis over three years.

Option 2:

We encourage you to give this option serious consideration. By giving a portion of your gift up front, it significantly helps the church achieve its goals.

Option 3:

This option provides you the opportunity to respond creatively with your gift. Please indicate here what type of asset you are willing to give to the church as your gift, or check the area in which you would like more information.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact our Kairos consultant; Pastor Jeff Kjellberg, at 651.274.0159.