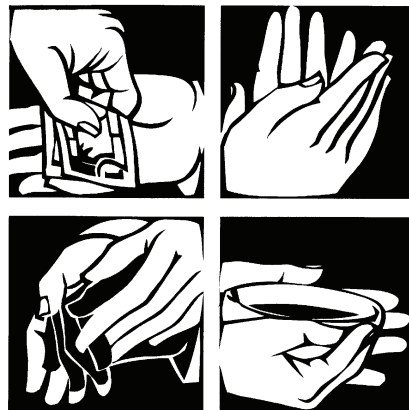


Proportional Giving ...a steward's way of saying thank you to God

Stewardship of our finances asks us to consider giving to our Parish in a way that many of us have never been asked to give. Giving of our first fruits, as it states in Proverbs 3:9, means learning to prioritize our giving so that it becomes a priority in our weekly and monthly household budgeting process.

Many who make the decision to put God first in their budgets find their faith deepened, and far from being impoverished, they find themselves enriched both spiritually and materially.

Sacrificial givers often experience a greater peace of mind and sense of purpose, less concern for material goods, fewer conflicts about money, and a strengthened trust in God's love and care. Many also find they are better managers of their resources!



Before making your commitment as a steward of finance, you should meet with your spouse/partner and children in prayer and ask for guidance. Use the meeting as an opportunity to teach each other about the importance of stewardship and the concept of proportional giving — in which your gifts are based on a percentage of your income each week or year. You should also remember to regularly review your commitment, to adjust for increases or decreases in your resources.

The chart below will help you calculate your weekly giving to Holy Spirit Church as a proportion of your income.

Annual Income	Weekly Income	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	10%
\$15,000.00	\$288.46	\$5.77	\$8.65	\$11.54	\$14.42	\$17.31	\$20.19	\$23.08	\$25.96	\$28.85
\$16,000.00	\$307.69	\$6.15	\$9.23	\$12.31	\$15.38	\$18.46	\$21.54	\$24.62	\$27.69	\$30.77
\$17,000.00	\$326.92	\$6.54	\$9.81	\$13.08	\$16.35	\$19.62	\$22.88	\$26.15	\$29.42	\$32.69
\$18,000.00	\$346.15	\$6.92	\$10.38	\$13.85	\$17.31	\$20.77	\$24.23	\$27.69	\$31.15	\$34.62
\$19,000.00	\$365.38	\$7.31	\$10.96	\$14.62	\$18.27	\$21.92	\$25.58	\$29.23	\$32.88	\$36.54
\$20,000.00	\$384.62	\$7.69	\$11.54	\$15.38	\$19.23	\$23.08	\$26.92	\$30.77	\$34.62	\$38.46
\$21,000.00	\$403.85	\$8.08	\$12.12	\$16.15	\$20.19	\$24.23	\$28.27	\$32.31	\$36.35	\$40.38
\$22,000.00	\$423.08	\$8.46	\$12.69	\$16.92	\$21.15	\$25.38	\$29.62	\$33.85	\$38.08	\$42.31
\$23,000.00	\$442.31	\$8.85	\$13.27	\$17.69	\$22.12	\$26.54	\$30.96	\$35.38	\$39.81	\$44.23
\$24,000.00	\$461.54	\$9.23	\$13.85	\$18.46	\$23.08	\$27.69	\$32.31	\$36.92	\$41.54	\$46.15
\$25,000.00	\$480.77	\$9.62	\$14.42	\$19.23	\$24.04	\$28.85	\$33.65	\$38.46	\$43.27	\$48.08
\$26,000.00	\$500.00	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$20.00	\$25.00	\$30.00	\$35.00	\$40.00	\$45.00	\$50.00
\$27,000.00	\$519.23	\$10.38	\$15.58	\$20.77	\$25.96	\$31.15	\$36.35	\$41.54	\$46.73	\$51.92
\$28,000.00	\$538.46	\$10.77	\$16.15	\$21.54	\$26.92	\$32.31	\$37.69	\$43.08	\$48.46	\$53.85
\$29,000.00	\$557.69	\$11.15	\$16.73	\$22.31	\$27.88	\$33.46	\$39.04	\$44.62	\$50.19	\$55.77
\$30,000.00	\$576.92	\$11.54	\$17.31	\$23.08	\$28.85	\$34.62	\$40.38	\$46.15	\$51.92	\$57.69
\$31,000.00	\$596.15	\$11.92	\$17.88	\$23.85	\$29.81	\$35.77	\$41.73	\$47.69	\$53.65	\$59.62
\$32,000.00	\$615.38	\$12.31	\$18.46	\$24.62	\$30.77	\$36.92	\$43.08	\$49.23	\$55.38	\$61.54
\$33,000.00	\$634.62	\$12.69	\$19.04	\$25.38	\$31.73	\$38.08	\$44.42	\$50.77	\$57.12	\$63.46
\$34,000.00	\$653.85	\$13.08	\$19.62	\$26.15	\$32.69	\$39.23	\$45.77	\$52.31	\$58.85	\$65.38
\$35,000.00	\$673.08	\$13.46	\$20.19	\$26.92	\$33.65	\$40.38	\$47.12	\$53.85	\$60.58	\$67.31
\$36,000.00	\$692.31	\$13.85	\$20.77	\$27.69	\$34.62	\$41.54	\$48.46	\$55.38	\$62.31	\$69.23
\$37,000.00	\$711.54	\$14.23	\$21.35	\$28.46	\$35.58	\$42.69	\$49.81	\$56.92	\$64.04	\$71.15
\$38,000.00	\$730.77	\$14.62	\$21.92	\$29.23	\$36.54	\$43.85	\$51.15	\$58.46	\$65.77	\$73.08
\$39,000.00	\$750.00	\$15.00	\$22.50	\$30.00	\$37.50	\$45.00	\$52.50	\$60.00	\$67.50	\$75.00
\$40,000.00	\$769.23	\$15.38	\$23.08	\$30.77	\$38.46	\$46.15	\$53.85	\$61.54	\$69.23	\$76.92
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\$42,000.00	\$807.69	\$16.15	\$24.23	\$32.31	\$40.38	\$48.46	\$56.54	\$64.62	\$72.69	\$80.77
\$43,000.00	\$826.92	\$16.54	\$24.81	\$33.08	\$41.35	\$49.62	\$57.88	\$66.15	\$74.42	\$82.69
\$44,000.00	\$846.15	\$16.92	\$25.38	\$33.85	\$42.31	\$50.77	\$59.23	\$67.69	\$76.15	\$84.62
\$45,000.00	\$865.38	\$17.31	\$25.96	\$34.62	\$43.27	\$51.92	\$60.58	\$69.23	\$77.88	\$86.54
\$46,000.00	\$884.62	\$17.69	\$26.54	\$35.38	\$44.23	\$53.08	\$61.92	\$70.77	\$79.62	\$88.46
\$47,000.00	\$903.85	\$18.08	\$27.12	\$36.15	\$45.19	\$54.23	\$63.27	\$72.31	\$81.35	\$90.38
\$48,000.00	\$923.08	\$18.46	\$27.69	\$36.92	\$46.15	\$55.38	\$64.62	\$73.85	\$83.08	\$92.31
\$49,000.00	\$942.31	\$18.85	\$28.27	\$37.69	\$47.12	\$56.54	\$65.96	\$75.38	\$84.81	\$94.23
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\$60,000.00	\$1,153.85	\$23.08	\$34.62	\$46.15	\$57.69	\$69.23	\$80.77	\$92.31	\$103.85	\$115.38
\$65,000.00	\$1,250.00	\$25.00	\$37.50	\$50.00	\$62.50	\$75.00	\$87.50	\$100.00	\$112.50	\$125.00
\$70,000.00	\$1,346.15	\$26.92	\$40.38	\$53.85	\$67.31	\$80.77	\$94.23	\$107.69	\$121.15	\$134.62
\$75,000.00	\$1,442.31	\$28.85	\$43.27	\$57.69	\$72.12	\$86.54	\$100.96	\$115.38	\$129.81	\$144.23
\$80,000.00	\$1,538.46	\$30.77	\$46.15	\$61.54	\$76.92	\$92.31	\$107.69	\$123.08	\$138.46	\$153.85
\$85,000.00	\$1,634.62	\$32.69	\$49.04	\$65.38	\$81.73	\$98.08	\$114.42	\$130.77	\$147.12	\$163.46
\$90,000.00	\$1,730.77	\$34.62	\$51.92	\$69.23	\$86.54	\$103.85	\$121.15	\$138.46	\$155.77	\$173.08
\$95,000.00	\$1,826.92	\$36.54	\$54.81	\$73.08	\$91.35	\$109.62	\$127.88	\$146.15	\$164.42	\$182.69
\$100,000.00	\$1,923.08	\$38.46	\$57.69	\$76.92	\$96.15	\$115.38	\$134.62	\$153.85	\$173.08	\$192.31



Thank you for your wise and prayerful decision!

Thank you for helping Holy Spirit Church grow!