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Dear Friends,

Every gift you offer to Christ Church faithfully supports mission and ministry at Christ Church. We are grateful for your commitment to sustain and grow God's call at our parish and beyond. Thank you for your confidence in the many ways we work together to share God's love with the world.

As we look forward to all that is ahead, including **Our Hope & Home for Years to Come** comprehensive campaign, we invite you to consider your annual gift to Christ Church in 2027. St. Paul says, "God loves a cheerful giver!" – and indeed, practicing generosity promotes happiness, trust, and community – proving that giving really does make us feel joyful.

While you eat a meal, manage your calendar, or balance your bank account, consider your opportunity to use the gifts God has given you to do the work God calls you to do. We hope the chart on the other side of this page is helpful as you continue to answer God's call and financially support our thriving church.

Your gifts and presence make a difference in the life of Christ Church. Thank you for all you are and all you offer.

With abundant gratitude,

Cornelia Horner
Treasurer

Julie Simonton,
Director of Development

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Christ Church embodies God's unbounded love by embracing, liberating, and empowering people, whoever they are and wherever they find themselves on their journeys of faith.

We give with gratitude for the many blessings we receive.

Thinking of your annual giving pledge in the context of your income also helps you consider what you give back in proportion to what you receive.

If you would like additional information or to continue the conversation, please be in touch.

We'd love to talk with you.

Proportional Giving: Discerning Your Annual Pledge as a Proportion of Your Annual Expected Income

Annual Income	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	10%
\$40,000	\$400	\$800	\$1,200	\$1,600	\$2,000	\$2,400	\$2,800	\$3,200	\$3,600	\$4,000
\$60,000	\$600	\$1,200	\$1,800	\$2,400	\$3,000	\$3,600	\$4,200	\$4,800	\$5,400	\$6,000
\$80,000	\$800	\$1,600	\$2,400	\$3,200	\$4,000	\$4,800	\$5,600	\$6,400	\$7,200	\$8,000
\$100,000	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$4,000	\$5,000	\$6,000	\$7,000	\$8,000	\$9,000	\$10,000
\$120,000	\$1,200	\$2,400	\$3,600	\$4,800	\$6,000	\$7,200	\$8,400	\$9,600	\$10,800	\$12,000
\$140,000	\$1,400	\$2,800	\$4,200	\$5,600	\$7,000	\$8,400	\$9,800	\$11,200	\$12,600	\$14,000
\$160,000	\$1,600	\$3,200	\$4,800	\$6,400	\$8,000	\$9,600	\$11,200	\$12,800	\$14,400	\$16,000
\$180,000	\$1,800	\$3,600	\$5,400	\$7,200	\$9,000	\$10,800	\$12,600	\$14,400	\$16,200	\$18,000
\$200,000	\$2,000	\$4,000	\$6,000	\$8,000	\$10,000	\$12,000	\$14,000	\$16,000	\$18,000	\$20,000
\$250,000	\$2,500	\$5,000	\$7,500	\$10,000	\$12,500	\$15,000	\$17,000	\$20,000	\$22,500	\$25,000
\$300,000	\$3,000	\$6,000	\$9,000	\$12,000	\$15,000	\$18,000	\$21,000	\$24,000	\$27,000	\$30,000
\$350,000	\$3,500	\$7,000	\$10,500	\$14,000	\$17,500	\$21,000	\$24,500	\$28,000	\$31,500	\$35,000
\$400,000	\$4,000	\$8,000	\$12,000	\$16,000	\$20,000	\$24,000	\$28,000	\$32,000	\$36,000	\$40,000
\$450,000	\$4,500	\$9,000	\$13,500	\$18,000	\$22,500	\$27,000	\$31,000	\$36,000	\$40,500	\$45,000
\$500,000	\$5,000	\$10,000	\$15,000	\$20,000	\$25,000	\$30,000	\$35,000	\$40,000	\$45,000	\$50,000

Thank you for your continuing generosity!