

## White Memorial Presbyterian Church

### ***Faith in Action***

2010 Stewardship Commitment

In grateful response to God,  
I/we would like to grow in spiritual commitment and to give with joy.

#### ***Words to gift by...***

Pledging is an outward expression of our faith in God, our gratitude to God's many blessings, and like discipleship, it is a demonstration of our faith in action.

We hope you will find the following ten quotations helpful as you ponder the appropriate amount to pledge to White Memorial Presbyterian Church for 2010.

***"This is the thing that the LORD has commanded: 'Take from among you an offering to the LORD; let whoever is of a generous heart bring the LORD's offering: gold, silver, and bronze' — MOSES***

***"All this I have given you an example that by such work we must support the weak, remembering the words of the Lord Jesus, for he himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.' "***  
— JESUS AS QUOTED BY PAUL

***"The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. — PAUL***

***"People go through three conversions in their Christian faith: their head, their heart and their pocketbook - unfortunately, not all at the same time." — MARTIN LUTHER***

***"Dearest lord, teach me to be generous; teach me to serve you as you deserve; to give and not to count the cost." — IGNATIUS OF LOYOLA***

***"You have not lived until you have done something for someone who can never repay you." — JOHN BUNYAN***

***"Earn as much as you can. Save as much as you can. Invest as much as you can. Give as much as you can." — JOHN WESLEY***

***"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving." — MOTHER TERESA***

***"We make a living by what we get; we make a life by what we give." — WINSTON CHURCHILL***

***"If a person gets his attitude toward money straight, it will help straighten out almost every other area in his life. Tell me what you think about money and I can tell you what you think about God, for these two are closely related." — BILLY GRAHAM***

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