

How do I give?

Our act of giving is an important part of our spiritual development. Giving is our way of acknowledging God is the owner and provider of everything (Psalm 24:1). He only asks for a small portion to be given back to Him. Giving is also a way of putting God and others before ourselves. "Remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" Acts 20:35

Giving is a next step we all can take. Whether you have been giving for years or you have never given, there is a next step for you.

If you have never given you should step in and give for the first time. Give anything. The purpose of giving at this stage is to make it a regular part of your worshipping.

If you have been giving off and on but maybe you have not been planning your giving in advance, your next step is to step up in your giving and move towards tithing (giving 10%) your income. The purpose of giving at this stage is to intentionally make giving a part of your planned household budget.

If you have been giving a regular percentage of your budget as your tithes and offerings your next step is to step out in giving. Consider increasing your giving 1% each year. The purpose of step out giving is to share from the abundance you have been given.

As you can see, all of us fit into one of these steps in our giving. There are several ways you can give your offering:

1. Give on Sunday/Monday in the services during the offering time.
2. Place your offering in the secure boxes at the rear of the Worship Center at anytime during the week.
3. Give by mailing your gift to the ADBC office at 1305 Loring Mill Road, Sumter, SC 29150.
4. You can utilize your bank's bill pay option to have a check issued automatically on the day you specify.
5. Fill out an automatic draft enrollment form (available at the Welcome Desk, or email mpartin@adbc.org) and mail it to the church office to the attention of Bobbie McIntosh.
6. Give online at www.alicedrive.org. It is safe and easy!
7. Text to give by texting ADBC to 50155.
8. Give through the Alice Drive app. The app is available through the iTunes app store and the Google Store.

This chart is offered as a guide to help you figure your offering based on your income. The amounts shown reflect an annual amount based on the income and percentage chosen.

Giving Percentage

Annual Income	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	10%	15%
\$10,000	\$100	\$200	\$300	\$400	\$500	\$600	\$700	\$800	\$900	\$1,000	\$1,500
\$15,000	\$150	\$300	\$450	\$600	\$750	\$900	\$1,050	\$1,200	\$1,350	\$1,500	\$2,250
\$20,000	\$200	\$400	\$600	\$800	\$1,000	\$1,200	\$1,400	\$1,600	\$1,800	\$2,000	\$3,000
\$25,000	\$250	\$500	\$750	\$1,000	\$1,250	\$1,500	\$1,750	\$2,000	\$2,250	\$2,500	\$3,750
\$30,000	\$300	\$600	\$900	\$1,200	\$1,500	\$1,800	\$2,100	\$2,400	\$2,700	\$3,000	\$4,500
\$40,000	\$400	\$800	\$1,200	\$1,600	\$2,000	\$2,400	\$2,800	\$3,200	\$3,600	\$4,000	\$6,000
\$50,000	\$500	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$2,000	\$2,500	\$3,000	\$3,500	\$4,000	\$4,500	\$5,000	\$7,500
\$60,000	\$600	\$1,200	\$1,800	\$2,400	\$3,000	\$3,600	\$4,200	\$4,800	\$5,400	\$6,000	\$9,000
\$70,000	\$700	\$1,400	\$2,100	\$2,800	\$3,500	\$4,200	\$4,900	\$5,600	\$6,300	\$7,000	\$10,500
\$80,000	\$800	\$1,600	\$2,400	\$3,200	\$4,000	\$4,800	\$5,600	\$6,400	\$7,200	\$8,000	\$12,000
\$90,000	\$900	\$1,800	\$2,700	\$3,600	\$4,500	\$5,400	\$6,300	\$7,200	\$8,100	\$9,000	\$13,500
\$100,000	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$4,000	\$5,000	\$6,000	\$7,000	\$8,000	\$9,000	\$10,000	\$15,000
\$110,000	\$1,100	\$2,200	\$3,300	\$4,400	\$5,500	\$6,600	\$7,700	\$8,800	\$9,900	\$11,000	\$16,500
\$125,000	\$1,250	\$2,500	\$3,750	\$5,000	\$6,250	\$7,500	\$8,750	\$10,000	\$11,250	\$12,500	\$18,750