



## **Email or Announcement Examples**

### **Launching Online Giving**

We're excited to announce we're rolling out the ability for you to give to <<your church name>> online or through text-to-give!

As less and less people are using checks or carrying cash, offering a safe means to give online ensures we're providing you the most convenient methods possible to offer a gift of support to our church.

As many of you are primarily streaming our services online, we hope this will be more convenient than mailing a check, though you are welcome to continue to do so if you prefer.

Through our new online giving platform you have the ability to give one-time or set up automatic recurring gifts from a credit/debit card or through a bank ACH transaction. Our church does pay a small transaction fee to process online payments, but we feel the fee is well worth the convenience. If you choose to, you are able to cover that fee for the church at the same time you give.

We believe these new tools will allow us to continue to serve you well. We want you to know we greatly appreciate you and your heart of generosity as you continue to support <<your church name>> and our mission of serving and growing the kingdom of God.

### **Online Giving Reminder**

With many of you are streaming our services online, we know that mailing a check is not always the most convenient way to give to <<your church name>>. We want to make sure you know we have online giving available on our website, which allows you to easily and safely give a gift of support by credit/debit card or through a bank ACH transaction.

Through our online giving form you have the ability to easily give one time, or set up automatic recurring giving. You can access our online giving form here: <<your church's online giving URL>>

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### **Christmas Giving**

Every year we set aside a particular weekend for our Christmas giving. This year, the weekend we have chosen is Dec. 13. This is a weekend where we encourage those of you who call our church home to consider bringing a special gift for your church that is over and above what you usually give.

We want you to know this over and above gift is important for our church. We rely on our Christmas giving to remain financially healthy and stable, especially during the summer months when our giving is less consistent

*OPTION:* This year we also desire to use a portion of our Christmas giving to bless a wonderful local ministry in our area. Your gift will help us to provide \_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_ ministry.

And so, I ask that you and your family prayerfully consider what you might be able to bring for our Christmas offering. I want to thank you in advance for your heart of generosity. We look forward to what God will do in and through our church with this special offering.

### **Bulletin Announcement/Reminder**

Did you know our church offers online giving and text-to-give? They're easy to use and secure! You can give a gift of support online at <<your church's online giving URL>> or give via text message by texting the amount you would like to give to <<your church's text-to-give phone number>>.