

Proportional Giving

This is for your own private evaluation. You may want to verify how much and how frequently you are currently contributing to the ministry of the parish.

Your current level of support is your bench mark from which you increase or decrease your gift.

Have you arrived at your current level of support as a percentage of your own resources? This tool is provided so that you can do that comparison.

The next thing is to pray. Ask for some sense of what level of support God is asking of you. It may be what you are currently giving, but be prepared for the possibility that it will be more or less. God will be speaking to your heart, and doesn't always agree with us.

If God is asking you to change the amount you provide for the support for the ministries of the parish, then have another look at the provided tool and get a sense of what God is asking really looks like for your budget. There's no sense in being inaccurate with yourself or God, about your resources. Your commitment will have ramifications for your daily life.

You may want to take a moment to evaluate what changes in other parts of your life, this commitment will mean. If you are trying to be more generous, you want to be able to have a plan as to how that will work for you. You want to be able to look in the mirror and smile at yourself, and agree that the gift is worth the cost.

Percentage giving options are presented as a **WEEKLY** gift of an annual income range

	2%	4%	6%	8%	10%	12%
"Ball-park" Annual Income is around...						
15,000	5.77	11.54	17.31	23.08	28.85	34.62
20,000	7.69	15.38	23.08	30.77	38.46	46.15
25,000	9.62	19.23	28.85	38.46	48.08	57.69
30,000	11.52	23.08	34.62	46.15	57.69	69.23
35,000	13.46	26.92	40.38	53.85	67.31	80.77
40,000	15.38	30.77	46.15	61.54	76.92	92.31
45,000	17.31	34.62	51.92	69.23	86.54	103.85
50,000	19.23	38.46	57.69	76.92	96.15	115.38
55,000	21.15	42.31	63.46	84.62	105.77	126.92
60,000	23.08	46.15	69.23	92.31	115.38	138.46
65,000	25.00	50.00	75.00	100.00	125.00	150.00
70,000	26.92	53.84	80.76	107.68	134.60	161.52