

# St. Andrew Orthodox Church

*Stewardship 2026*

## So that you will be altogether joyful

*You shall keep the Feast ... to the LORD your God with the tribute of a freewill offering from your hand, which you shall give as the LORD your God blesses you. ... because the LORD your God will bless you in all your produce and in all the work of your hands, so that you will be altogether joyful.  
(Deuteronomy 16:1, 15)*

St. Andrew's encourages its members to set aside a percentage of their income as a pledge for the support of the Church. The Old Testament guideline for giving was the tithe (one-tenth). Under the New Covenant, we should strive to do as well or better. The chart below will help you estimate a pledge based on a percentage of your income - if you earn \$25,000 a year, they can be halved; if you make more, adjust them accordingly. Use the examples to challenge yourself.

If your **Annual Income** is **\$50,000**, then your pledge, if made on a weekly basis, would be:

3%	5%	8%	10%
\$29/week	\$48/week	\$77/week	\$96/week

If you make your pledge on a monthly basis, the amounts are:

\$125/month	\$208/month	\$333/month	\$417/month
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*(The above figures are rounded to the nearest dollar.)*