



Dear Friends:

As we journey together in faith as one family in Christ, we are called to share the blessings God has entrusted to us. In this season of Advent and Christmas, we are invited to reflect on God's love and the blessings we have received. The bible teaches us that giving is an act of worship! As Apostle Paul reminds us in his letter to the Corinthians *"Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver."* Our giving is a gratitude for the blessings God has given us.

This Christmas, I invite you to prayerfully consider what you can give – time, talent, material resources and love. Just as Christ child gave himself for us, let us offer ourselves in service to him and his work. What matters is the willingness of our hearts to offer what we have to God's work.

"Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you" Luke 6:38

Your offering helps sustain the mission and ministries of our church. **No gift is too small and no act of generosity goes unnoticed by God.**

I invite you to consider your giving not as an obligation, but as a joyful response to God's grace in your life.

May your hearts be filled with the joy and peace of Christ this Christmas season.

May God bless you and may your generosity bear fruit for God's kingdom as we celebrate the true gift of Christmas – the gift of Christ Himself.

In Christ's love and service,

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