

S P E C I A L E D I T I O N

on

TITHING

The Tithes is what you owe—the Offering is what you sow!

✘ What is A Tithe? ✘

The tithe as it is called is a tenth or 10% of your income or earnings (gross). Tithing is actually the most equitable way for believers to give. Those who have great prosperity are only required to give 10 per cent. Those who have little treasure are only required to give 10 per cent. To make it possible for God's work to be done, we are provided with a way by which we can cheerfully respond. **SEE MALACHI 3: 8-11**

WHO WOULD ROB GOD?

8 "Will a man rob God?
Yet you have robbed Me!
But you say,
'In what way have we robbed
You?'
In tithes and offerings.

9 You are cursed with a
curse,
For you have robbed Me,
Even this whole nation.

10 Bring all the tithes into the
storehouse,
That there may be food in
My house,
And try **Me** now in this,"
Says the Lord of hosts,
"If I will not open for you the
windows of heaven
And pour out for you *such*
blessing
That **there will not be
room enough to receive
it.**



Full Tithe Sundays

- January 2, 2011
- February 6, 2011
- March 6, 2011
- April 3, 2011
- May 1, 2011
- June 5, 2011
- July 3, 2011
- August 7, 2011
- September 4, 2011

Examples of Earnings

Here is a list of earnings that may be considered as income.

- One or more jobs
- Investments
- Interest payments
- Social security
- Pension
- Unemployment benefits
- Disability benefits
- Child support
- Alimony
- Lottery winnings
- Inheritance
- Gifts



Weekly Tithing Example

Weekly Gross Salary	Weekly Gross Salary
\$50.00	\$5.00
\$100.00	\$10.00
\$200.00	\$20.00
\$300.00	\$30.00
\$400.00	\$40.00
\$500.00	\$50.00
\$1,000.00	\$100.00

Why Tithe?

Giving is about worship and should not come from coercion or pressure to do what others are doing. Consequently, we bring the Lord such a small portion in comparison with His benefits to us.

We are in the process of becoming a Full Tithing Church. While the goal is to have all of our members tithe every Sunday, (as many of you already do), we are starting out this year by placing special emphasis on everyone bringing a full tithe on the first Sunday of each month. We want everyone to experience the joy and blessings of cheerful giving.

For our guests, please note that we hope that you will contribute to the financial life of our church. We appreciate your offering.

Thank you for participating in our Tithe Sunday effort. Please know that we appreciate your faithful participation. Surely the Lord will “open the windows of heaven and pour you out a blessing.”