

Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization

1) **NAME OF HOUSEHOLD** Name: _____
 Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

2) **SPECIAL NOTE TO CURRENT 2007 EFT PARTICIPANTS:** Your Annual Pledge and installment preference will automatically roll over to 2008. If you would like to increase/decrease your pledge or have changes in installment preference, complete and sign the form below. No need to attach a voided check unless your account has changed.

3) **THE EFT PROGRAM** - Electronic Funds Transfer is an option to the traditional envelope program. Electronic giving is a direct debit program whereby your contribution is automatically withdrawn from your account. The EFT program is used to fund the regular Annual Operating Budget only. Donations to the "Additional Giving Opportunities" on the "Financial Pledge 2008 Annual Giving" form must be made by using the "Additional Giving Opportunities" envelope available in your envelope packet mailed to your home.

4) **AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT FOR AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL OF FUNDS** - Complete the form below, and **attach a voided check from your account**. This authorization will remain effective until St. John the Evangelist receives written notification of change or termination by the parishioner.

To complete my/our pledge of \$ _____, I/we hereby authorize St. John the Evangelist Church to arrange for my pledge to the Church to be fulfilled by establishing automatic payments in:

12 monthly installments of \$ _____
 Monthly installments are withdrawn from your account on the 15th day of each month.

4 quarterly installments of \$ _____
 Quarterly installments are withdrawn from your account on the 15th of March, June, Sept and Dec.

2 semi-annual installments of \$ _____
 Semi-annual installments are withdrawn from your account on the 15th of June and Dec.

1 annual installment of \$ _____
 on the 15th of the following month _____

I want to cancel my participation in this program.

Signature: _____ Today's Date: ____/____/____ Phone: _____

5) **DUE DATE: DECEMBER 30, 2007** - Return by Dec. 30 in order for your first donation to be deducted on Jan. 15, 2008. Return completed form in the collection plate at Mass or mail to:
 St. John Church / 1229 Vermont / Lawrence, KS 66044

<p>Q. What is electronic giving? A. Electronic giving is a direct debit program whereby your contribution is debited automatically from your account.</p> <p>Q. What are the advantages of e-giving? A. It makes it easy to fulfill your annual stewardship pledge even when you can't attend mass. You never have to worry about bringing cash or checks to mass.</p> <p>Q. How is my contribution automatically deducted from my account? A. Once you complete and sign the authorization form and return it to the parish office, the contribution amount you specify will automatically be transferred from your account to St. John's bank account.</p> <p>Q. What if I change bank accounts? A. Notify us, and we will update your authorization.</p>	<p>Q. When will my contribution be deducted from my checking account? A. Your contribution will be debited on the 15th. If the 15th falls on a weekend, the transaction will take place on Monday.</p> <p>Q. If I do not write checks, how do I keep my checkbook balance straight? A. Your bank statement gives you an itemized list of electronic transactions which can also serve as proof of contributing.</p> <p>Q. Is electronic giving risky? A. It's less risky than writing checks or bringing cash to church. Electronic contributions cannot be lost, stolen, or destroyed and have an extremely high rate of accuracy.</p> <p>Q. What if I don't like it? A. You can cancel your authorization by notifying St. John the Evangelist at any time.</p>	<p>Q. How do I sign up for electronic giving? A. Complete and sign this authorization form above and return it to St. John the Evangelist. You can drop it in the collection basket or mail it to the church: St. John the Evangelist 1229 Vermont Street Lawrence, Kansas 66044 Don't forget to attach a voided check from your account.</p> <p>Q. How is the traditional envelope program impacted by electronic giving? A. Registered parishioners will continue to receive envelopes. If you do not currently use envelopes, please consider participating in either the envelope program or EFT program. St. John the Evangelist needs your regular support.</p>
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