

Financial Pledge 2010 Annual Giving Appeal Form



- 1) **THE ANNUAL GIVING APPEAL** - Complete this form to submit a financial pledge to St. John. The Annual Giving Appeal asks for your pledge of financial support to fund Church needs. We all have different levels of financial resources, but we are all called to return in a measure we have been blessed. Parishioners pledged over \$1.1 million dollars in 2009 to support the parish. The Annual Giving Appeal funds over 70% of the regular Annual Operating Budget which supports all ministries of our church including St. John School, religious education, music, St. Clare Center, liturgy, youth activities, cemetery, adult education, Spanish liturgy, and many more.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

- 2) **YOUR 2010 PLEDGE** - Reflecting on the Lord's call to participate in the Church, and in gratitude for many blessings, I/we pledge to give to St. John in the amount of \$ _____

**Insert your annual pledge to the church
from January 1, 2010—December 31, 2010**

- 3) **FULFILLING YOUR PLEDGE** - Fulfill your pledge throughout the year from January 1, 2010-December 31, 2010.
- Place donations in the collection plate at Mass. Parishioners receive donation envelopes in the mail bi-monthly.
 - Request your donation be withdrawn directly from your account. See back for details.
 - Have your donation charged directly to your credit card. See back for details.
 - Mail donations to: St. John the Evangelist / 1229 Vermont / Lawrence, KS 66044
 - Donate stocks, mutual funds, and bonds.

- 4) **ADDITIONAL GIVING OPPORTUNITIES** - Parishioners have the option to provide **extra** support in addition to regular gifts to the Annual Giving Appeal. Use the "Additional Giving Opportunities" envelope in the bi-monthly mailing to fulfill your pledge to these optional and extra opportunities. **Insert your pledge from January 1, 2010 - December 31, 2010.**

Capital Improvements - maintenance and facility upgrades \$ _____

Church Endowment - interest funds church budget \$ _____

School Endowment - interest funds school budget \$ _____

St. Clare Center - supports the needy of our Lawrence community \$ _____

- 5) **ESTATE PLANNING** (check) I/we have included St. John Church or St. John School in my will.
 I/we want information about including the Church or School in my will.

- 6) **PLEASE RETURN BY DECEMBER 20, 2009** - Return completed form in the collection at Mass or mail to:
 St. John Church / 1229 Vermont / Lawrence, KS 66044

Electronic Funds Transfer Authorization

Electronic giving is a direct debit program whereby your contribution is automatically withdrawn from your bank account.

- 1) **2009 EFT PARTICIPANTS:** Your installment preference automatically rolls over to 2010. If you would like to increase/decrease the amount withdrawn from your account, please indicate on the form below. No need to attach a voided check unless your account has changed. Questions? Jane Liebert, Development, 843.0109, liebert@saint-johns.net
- 2) **AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT TO JOIN EFT PROGRAM:** Complete the info below, and **attach a voided check.** This authorization remains effective until St. John receives notification of change or termination.

I/we hereby authorize St. John withdraw from my account:

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 month of your choice _____

I want to cancel my participation in this program.

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

- 3) **PLEASE RETURN BY DECEMBER 20, 2009:** Return by Dec 20, 2009 to ensure your first donation is withdrawn on Jan 15, 2010. Return form and voided check to the collection at Mass or mail: St. John Church / 1229 Vermont / Lawrence, KS 66044

Credit Card Authorization

Parishioners now have the option to charge donations to the church using a credit card.

- 1) **PLEASE CHARGE TO MY CREDIT CARD:** (circle one) MasterCard Visa Discover

Cardholder's Name _____ Card Number _____

Verification Code _____



The Card Security Code is a 3 or 4 digit code found on the back of your credit card. We are requesting this number as an added security precaution.

Expiration Date _____

- 2) **AUTHORIZATION AGREEMENT TO JOIN CREDIT CARD PROGRAM:** Complete the information below. This authorization remains effective until St. John receives written notification of change or termination by the parishioner.

I/we hereby authorize St. John to charge my donation to my credit card:

12 monthly installments of \$_____ Monthly installments are charged to your credit card on the 15th day of each month.

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