

Giving Options and Opportunities

"Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. 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. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work." - 2 Corinthians 9:6-8

- 1. **Cash or Check** Place your personalized HOPE FOR THE FUTURE envelopes in the offering plate located in the Church Narthex
- 2. **Online Giving** Head to www.popslc.org/give and select the HOPE FOR THE FUTURE fund option listed on PushPay.
- 3. **Text To Give -** Text <u>princeofpeace</u> (no spaces) to <u>833-693-7056</u> and select the HOPE FOR THE FUTURE fund listed on PushPay.
- 4. **Unexpected Gifts* -** Often people pray for God to show them a way they can give beyond their current capacity. At times, God answers those prayers very quickly, unexpectedly, and generously: a bonus at work, an inheritance, real estate, or another gift. Also, check with your employer to see if they offer matching gifts. All of these blessings can help fund the campaign.
- 5. **Give Appreciated Assets* -** Many stock holdings have unrealized gain, and that is good news. The bad news is that if these stocks are sold, a significant portion of the gain would be lost to taxation. Gifts of appreciated assets aren't subject to capital gains tax. In addition, the donor receives an income tax charitable deduction for the full market value of the asset. That, in effect, makes these gifts less costly to make.
- 6. If you're 73 years old, consider giving your Required Minimum Distribution from your IRA * Your IRA may present the opportunity to give more to a nonprofit like Prince of Peace and less to income taxes. You can give more than your required distribution, up to \$100,000 per year. Nonprofits don't pay income taxes, but your heirs will. Why not consider QCD's for your above and beyond gifts? Leave a Legacy gift of a debt free ministry to the next generation and watch it grow!

*Before making a commitment of this type, consult your CPA, tax attorney, or other financial advisor.

