



BECAUSE PEOPLE MATTER CREATIVE WAYS TO GIVE

Plan ahead:

- Adjust your budget – add income, reduce expenses.
- Reduce your spending.
- Save a designated amount each week or month.
- Do I have rental property or interest bearing accounts generating income that I could give?
- Do I have any talents that can provide marketable services?
- Can I use my time to create value and increase income? If I bill services, can I open up more time over the next three years to add income?

Change your plans:

- Take a lesser vacation
- Wait to buy a different car or home
- Defer retirement
- Put off a remodeling project

Sell an asset:

- Sell a possession and give the proceeds
- RV's, boats, cars, snowmobiles
- Real estate – land or second home
- Jewelry and collectibles
- Excess stuff

Draw from savings:

- Give of your savings as God blesses you
 - Bonuses
 - IRS Refunds
 - Stocks or Bonds
 - Excess College funds
 - Inheritance

Sacrifice:

What is there of value that I will give up so that I can invest in something of greater value?

Trust God:

After careful prayer and consideration, trust God to replace what you have sacrificially given or enable you to live without it.