

# Giving Chart

Use the chart below to help calculate your weekly financial offering to God based on percentage of income.

Annual income	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	6%	7%	8%	9%	10% tithe	11%	12%	13%	14%	15%
10,000	1.92	3.84	5.76	7.68	9.60	11.52	13.44	15.36	17.28	19.20	21.12	23.04	24.96	26.88	29.40
12,000	2.30	4.60	6.90	9.20	11.50	13.80	16.10	18.40	20.70	23.00	25.30	27.60	29.90	32.20	34.50
14,000	2.69	5.38	8.07	10.76	13.45	16.14	18.83	21.52	24.21	26.90	29.59	32.28	34.97	37.66	40.35
15,000	2.88	5.76	8.64	11.52	14.40	17.28	20.16	23.04	25.92	28.80	31.68	34.56	37.40	40.32	43.20
16,000	3.07	6.14	9.21	12.28	15.35	18.42	21.49	24.56	27.63	30.70	33.77	36.84	39.91	42.98	46.05
18,000	3.46	6.92	10.38	13.84	17.30	20.76	24.22	27.68	31.14	34.60	38.06	41.52	44.98	48.44	51.90
20,000	3.84	7.68	11.52	15.36	19.20	23.04	26.88	30.72	34.54	38.40	42.24	46.08	49.92	53.76	57.60
22,000	4.23	8.46	12.69	16.92	21.15	25.38	29.61	33.84	38.07	42.30	46.53	50.76	54.99	59.22	63.45
24,000	4.61	9.22	13.83	18.44	23.05	27.66	32.27	36.88	41.49	46.10	50.71	55.32	59.93	64.54	69.15
25,000	4.80	9.60	14.40	19.20	24.00	28.80	33.60	38.40	43.20	48.00	52.80	57.60	62.40	67.20	72.00
30,000	5.76	11.52	17.28	23.04	28.80	34.56	40.32	46.08	51.84	57.60	63.36	69.12	74.88	80.64	86.40
35,000	6.73	13.46	20.19	26.92	33.65	40.38	47.11	53.84	60.57	67.30	74.03	80.76	87.49	94.22	100.95
40,000	7.69	15.38	23.07	30.76	38.45	46.14	53.83	61.52	69.21	76.90	84.59	92.28	99.97	107.66	115.35
45,000	8.65	17.30	25.95	34.60	43.25	51.90	60.55	69.20	77.85	86.50	95.15	103.80	112.45	121.10	129.75
50,000	9.61	19.22	28.83	38.44	48.05	57.66	67.27	76.88	86.49	96.10	105.71	115.32	124.93	134.54	144.15
60,000	11.53	23.06	34.59	46.12	57.65	69.18	80.71	92.24	103.77	115.30	126.83	138.36	149.89	161.42	172.95
80,000	15.38	30.76	46.14	61.52	76.90	92.28	107.66	123.04	138.42	153.80	169.18	184.56	199.94	215.32	230.70
100,000	19.23	38.46	57.69	76.92	96.15	115.38	134.61	153.84	173.07	192.30	211.53	230.76	249.99	269.22	288.45

In 2007 the average annual income<sup>1</sup> was £23,746, if tithed that would equal £45.70 per week to Christian ministry and mission, a total annual amount of £2376.40 which if then Gift Aided would increase (at no extra cost to the giver) to £3,041.68.

**Plan your giving wisely** - If you aren't able to give 10%, think about how you can give more than you are giving now, and work your way towards the tithe. Please do not give or increase your giving if you are going to substantially:

- Compromise your health and safety (I Tim 6:6,8)
- Become a burden to others - it is wise to budget/save so that we can provide for our health and safety.

- Renege on your financial obligations such as loans that must be paid back. However, this cannot become an excuse - it is important to guard against excess debt that becomes an obstacle to Kingdom investment.

### Should I give all of my offering to my local church?

Your gift as an individual or family is an act of personal worship to God in response to his grace in your life and how you allocate your time and money to God's service should be a result of careful thought and prayer. However, if you consider one of the churches in the Alwalton and Elton Partnership to be your "home church," you might consider allocating a significant portion of your giving to the community where you invest most of your time, and where others are investing in you.

<sup>1</sup> Source [www.statistics.gov.uk](http://www.statistics.gov.uk)