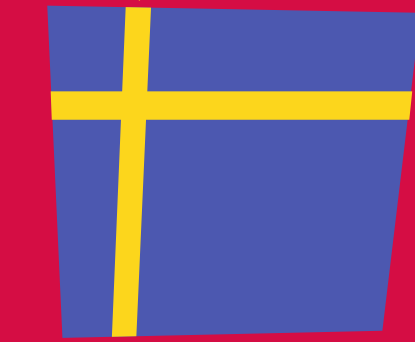


Give In Faith Today



G.I.F.T.

From Me to You
For Others

GIFT (Give In Faith Today) is a mission of Christ Church to provide an **alternative to commercial gifts** for **ALL** gift-giving occasions **year-round**.

When you choose one of the gift options in this catalog, you will receive a personalized greeting card, with a design appropriate for the occasion, for you to give to the person(s) you are honoring.

(text example)

Merry Christmas, Grandma & Grandpa!
A gift to Habitat for Humanity for
supplies to build the
next Christ Church home
has been given in your honor
by
Steven, Jamie and Hazel

You can turn birthdays, anniversaries, holidays and other gift-giving occasions into opportunities to witness for Christ by helping others via your donations to people in need in our church, our community, our nation and our world. These gifts touch many hearts: the ones who give and receive the cards, and those who benefit from the donations. 100% of your donation goes to the mission you choose and is tax-deductible, subject to IRS rules. REMEMBER, you can also ask your family & friends to use this resource to honor you, too!!

Please give as God moves you to give*

- **How to order?** Orders may be placed online at www.christchurchsl.org/GIFT, placed in the GIFT plastic bin above the mail slots in the church Work Room (behind the church office), or mailed to Christ Church. Cards will be available for pick-up at Christ Church generally within **2-3 days after receipt of your order**.
- **Need a Gift NOW?** On-the-Spot cards are pre-printed gift enclosures with a message similar to the message shown above but without the personalization. These are most suitable to insert into your own greeting cards/gifts and for those last-minute, "Oh, my gosh, I forgot" gifts. These are always available in the GIFT plastic bin above the mail slots in the church work room.

* \$10 minimum please

If you need the gift immediately, have a special gift-giving need, or just have questions, please contact Debbie Straw at Debbie.hardy.straw@gmail.com or 281.980.2607.

Our Church's Missions

CC-110	Angel Tree - Provide Christmas joy to families in need, a nursing home and children with fathers in prison.
CC-105	Disaster Relief – Support Christ Church in any of our disaster outreach efforts.
DL-109	Dream League – Sponsor a physically &/or intellectually challenged youth, so they can enjoy playing baseball (cost for a full season \$100).
FB-202	East Fort Bend Human Needs Ministry (FB) - Assist with rent & utility costs.
FB-205	FB - Food Pantry - Feed a family (family of four for 4 days - full cost \$165).
FB-206	FB - Holiday food basket (full cost \$50).
CC-114	Fort Bend Family Promise - Food, shelter & support for homeless families in Fort Bend.
CC-116	Garden Ministry – Supplies for Christ Church's garden that feeds needy families.
CC-122	Habitat for Humanity - Paint, nails, wood, plumbing supplies, and more.
CC-123	Hope for Haiti - Support the church's missions to Haiti.
CC-124	School Partnerships - Help support Christ Church's partnership with FBISD schools.
CC-128	Manna Bags - Provide water, snacks, socks, and hygiene items to the homeless in the streets.
CC-132	Meals on Wheels - Daily delivery to homebound seniors in Fort Bend County.
CC-170	Mexico Vacation Bible School - Help purchase Bible literature, supplies and snacks.
CC-100	Pastors' Resurrection Fund - Used by our pastors to help those people in our church family that have fallen on hard times.
CC-160	Restorative Justice - Support for inmates, their families, correctional officers and ex-offenders.
CC-180	Soles for Souls - Help give new shoes to low-income local students.
CC-185	Supply Our Students – Provide NEW school supplies to low-income local students.
UM - 140	United Methodist Women's Outreach – Support UMW's Stop Human Trafficking programs and the Babies and Mothers Bonding Initiative (BAMBI) that keeps imprisoned mothers with their child.
CC-196	Youth Mission Scholarships – Help fund our students who otherwise couldn't go on a mission.
CC-190	Youth Mission Tools/Supplies - Purchase tools/supplies for student mission projects.

Our Community

BO-213	Bo's Place - Offering free grief support for kids & families who have lost a parent or sibling.
CA-200	Child Abuse Prevention - CASA - Clothes & toys for abused & neglected children.
WC-194	Cultivating Families – Help foster and adopted families thrive (ex: \$50 will supply books needed for a family to receive a parenting class).
FB-210	Fort Bend Cares - Provide Fort Bend County community non-profits with resources to meet the needs of disadvantaged children.
FW-211	Fort Bend Women's Center - Help battered women & their children have a fresh start.
LC-215	Life Center for the Homeless - Help Houston's homeless receive shelter, a meal and hope at Pastor James' housing complex in North Houston.

Our State and Our Nation

HH-230	Home of Hope – Provide sanctuary, education, therapy and vocational training to survivors of human trafficking.
MW-201	Make-A-Wish Texas Gulf Coast - Grant special wishes for critically ill children.
MC-225	Methodist Children's Home - Waco, TX - Feed a child for 5 days (full cost \$50).
UM-322	United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) - " United States Disaster Relief " Provide supplies after natural catastrophes in USA.
WC-216	Wesley Community Center - Providing food and assistance since 1904 through early childhood education, youth and senior services.

Our World

RE-236	CASA Mami - Provide much needed food for the girls or boys shelters in Reynosa.
HP-250	Heifer Project Int'l (HP) - Heifer – One heifer provides 4 gallons of milk a day and offspring (full cost \$500).
HP-251	HP - Goat – One goat provides 4 quarts of milk a day and offspring (full cost \$120).
HP-256	HP – Flock of Chicks - For eggs, fertilizer and protein (full cost \$20).
HP 257	HP - Honeybees – hive, bees and training for honey and beeswax production (full cost \$30).
LW-302	Living Water Mission - Living Water International helps communities in developing countries acquire safe drinking water by installing wells.
MA-300	Maua Hospital – Provide healthcare for pregnant women and young children in Kenya.
PK-304	House of Peace - Help this fledgling orphanage meet basic needs of food, shelter and clothing for children in Pakistan.
UG-301	Uganda Counseling and Support Services - Help transform a village with this holistic approach to self-sufficiency through clean water, education, counseling & spiritual care.
UG-303	Uganda Counseling and Support Services – Educate a child in the village of Bulike, Uganda. \$25 for one month.
HA – 305	REBUILD Globally (RG) – Help the RG organization end poverty in Haiti by providing job training & education so Haitians can be empowered and have the dignity of a living wage.
WV-260	World Vision (WV) – Economic Empowerment Fund to train and provide small loans.
WV-261	WV - Sewing machines for females in impoverished nations.
WV-263	WV - Treadle Pumps - foot-powered pumps for irrigation.
HA – 306	Water to Life – Provide a water filter that will give a family in Haiti clean water for ten years (full cost \$30).

GIFT – Order Form

Donor's Name(s): _____ Email: _____

Phone(s): _____

Computer lists, or LEGIBLE hand-written orders, are also welcomed.

Gift #	Recipient(s): <small>Names(s) to appear on card (example: Aunt Jane for Birthday [or Christmas])</small>	Donor(s): <small>Name(s) to appear on card (example: Love, Bob & Jo, or from The XXX Sunday School class, or ministry)</small>	Catalog # <small>and a brief description (to verify the intended gift)</small>	Amount(s) <small>(Minimum \$10 gift)</small>
#1	To: Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#2	To: Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#3	To: Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#4	To: Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$
#5	To: Occasion:	From:	#: _____ Description:	\$

TOTAL: \$ _____

For mailing birthday or memorial cards:

Gift #	Full Name and Address for Mailing	Gift #	Full Name and Address for Mailing

*Cards not to be mailed will generally be available for pick-up at the church within 2-3 days of order.

PAY BY CHECK:

- Send order & check to Christ Church, ATTN: GIFT, 3300 Austin Parkway, Sugar Land TX 77479.
- Or drop off in the GIFT plastic bin in the church office.
- Or contact Debbie Straw at debbie.hardy.straw@gmail.com or 281.980.2607.

PAY ONLINE:

- Visit www.christchurchsl.org/give.
- Put TOTAL amount in and select "Missions Donations" in the drop-down, along with typing "GIFT" in the memo line.
- Insert payment information and press GIVE.