

I began faithfully tithing as a spiritual discipline when I made the decision to become a member of Salem FUMC. I am not saying that tithing has always been easy. There have been times when I have paused and thought of all the other ways I could use that money.



I will say that as I have learned to tithe with a joyful heart, God has always ensured we have enough. I also know that my heart and my eyes are more open and able to recognize blessings in times when they may be difficult to spot. Because of this, our family continues to tithe as just one part of our spiritual formation.

Tithing is a way of thanking God for all that I have and all that I am, and for blessing me in spite of my humanness.

*Melissa*