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## Why I Give...

1. I \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the LORD Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.” Malachi 3:10*

*“The purpose of tithing is to teach you always to put God first in your lives.” Deuteronomy 14:23 (TLB)*

**2 Corinthians 9:6-11**

**Bible Maxim:** “Do not merely \_\_\_\_\_ to the word, and so deceive yourselves. \_\_\_\_ what it says.”  
James 1:22

2. \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.” 2 Corinthians 9:7*

3. The local church is the \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus said... “I Will build my church...” (Matthew 16:18)

\_\_\_\_\_ giving goes to \_\_\_\_\_.

4. I believe in Fox River’s Mission and Heart.

5. \_\_\_\_\_ is God’s path to blessing and \_\_\_\_\_.  
1 Timothy 6:17-18

**Don’t allow yourself to be \_\_\_\_\_ out of being blessed!**

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*“The Lord Jesus himself said: ‘It is more blessed to give than to receive.’” Acts 20:35*

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*“I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you... Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.” John 13:15,17*

\* \_\_\_\_\_ can be \_\_\_\_\_.

6. I want to hear \_\_\_\_\_.

(Matthew 25:21)