Witness

Beginning today, I promise to share God's love by:

- □ I'm not ready to share, but open my heart to God's encouragement.
- Being intentional about showing love, compassion and grace to friends and neighbors.
- □ Inviting at least one person to join a small group or Bible study.
- □ Sharing the story of God's impact on my life by writing to **story@manchesterumc.org**, or in conversation with a friend.

Find ways to engage in your Discipleship Promises of "Prayer, Presence, Gifts, Service and Witness" at www.manchesterumc.org or call the church office for assistance.



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A New Day and A New Way

This year, we will complete our personal **Discipleship Promise Card** and here's what's new... we will not send it to the church office. We'll keep our promise close to our hearts. It will serve as a reminder of our connection, our thanks, and our praise, sent out as a private offering to our generous God.

Once completed, there are three ways to give to the General Fund:

- 1) Online at **www.manchesterumc.org/give** where we can setup a *recurring* contribution. Recurring gifts make it simple and ensure uninterrupted ministry that is so important to our community.
- 2) Text MUMC to 73256 and follow the prompts.
- Mail a check to Manchester UMC, 129 Woods Mill Rd., Manchester, MO 63011. Please write "General fund" on the memo line of your check.

Please check all that apply:

Prayer

Beginning today, I want to deepen my relationship with God and with others, and seek healing. I promise to:

- □ Pray on Sundays.
- \Box Pray before meals.
- \Box Pray at least 15 minutes daily.

Presence

Beginning today, I promise to make worship a priority and seek connection with Christian Community. I promise to:

- □ Increase my worship attendance from _____ to _____ times a month.
- $\hfill\square$ Invite a friend or family member to worship with me.
- □ Participate in a small group or Bible Study for at least one session in 2021.
- \Box Lead a small group or Bible Study in 2021.

Gifts

Beginning today, I will reflect on my giving journey. My current gift to the ministry of Manchester UMC is:

\$ _____ per year and that represents _____ % of my income

We follow God's example of generosity out of joy for having received God's greatest gift of saving grace. My Financial Discipleship Promise:

- □ I am satisfied with my current giving to God's work. The gift I make will be the top priority of my monthly budget.
- I will make tithing (10%) of my income a priority goal. I intend to begin the journey to that goal starting today by taking the first step from ______% to_____%.
- $\hfill\square$ I currently tithe and will continue to do so.
- \square I feel called to give beyond the tithe (10% of income) by %
- □ I feel called to make a special gift above and beyond my regular annual giving to support:

Debt Reduction \$_____

Heating/Cooling System Replacement \$_____

Other \$_____

Service

Beginning today, I promise to follow Christ's example of service and "Do all the good I can, by all the means I can, in all the ways

I can, in all the places I can, at all the times I can, to all the people I can, as long as ever I can." John Wesley

- □ I am not ready, but I will search for ways to serve the Lord by serving others.
- □ I will volunteer for a Manchester missions activity at least once in 2021.
- □ I will volunteer for a Manchester missions partner agency or other local agency at least once in 2021.
- $\hfill\square$ God is calling me to mission or service in the following area:

(Please contact the church office for more information)