

ABOUT THE OFFERING

For a number of years Chuck has received compensation for his ministry by the receiving of love offerings in the service. Unless you have discussed an alternative arrangement, this is probably your agreement, and following is a short explanation of Chuck's preferences regarding the receiving of the offering.

When the service falls on an "off" night, i.e., a night when there is no regular service in the church, it is requested that only the offering for Chuck's ministry be taken. Chuck prefers this to occur at the very end of the service, as he feels that the people can respond more from their hearts after having been ministered to than at some early point in the service. He will find an appropriate place in the service for the offering.

On regular service days, i.e., Sundays or Wednesdays, of course, the regular tithes and offerings for the church should be received. This can be done in the regular slot early on in the service, with a second offering for Chuck's ministry being received at the end of the service after Chuck ministers.

Chuck requests that there be an announcement at the time the church offering is received, advising the people that there will be a second offering at the end of the service.

Ordinarily, Chuck will say a few things to the people to prepare them to give, and then likes to have one of the pastors come up to pray over the offering and add any comments that he might feel appropriate. Chuck will then play a song for the offertory.

Please have ushers pass offering receptacles to receive the offering.

Ordinarily, any checks that may be given are written to the church and one check is given Chuck from the church for the whole amount of the special offering.

It is requested that whatever arrangements are necessary be made in advance to facilitate the payment of the offering to Chuck before he leaves the service.

Unless agreed otherwise in advance, the expectation is that Chuck receive 100% of the special offering.