

"Like good stewards of the multi-colored grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received."

- 1 Peter 4:10

The grace of God is overflowing in the gift we have in Jesus the Christ. God walked among us in the person of Jesus and God continues to give us treasures unbounded through the Holy Spirit. Our response to this great generosity of God is overflowing compassion, joy, faith, gratitude and love.

#DMFOverflowing



God's love overflows at Easter

Supporting the General Ministries of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), by giving to the Easter Offering, is one of the many ways you share your response to God's generosity. The work of these ministries overflows "from our doorsteps to the ends of the earth."

Whether it is **Disciples Women** sharing compassion through Woman to Woman Worldwide or the **Central Pastoral Office for Hispanic Ministries** serving #LaObraNow with great joy, your support of the Easter Offering – and the core Disciples Mission Fund giving of your congregation – show that you recognize God's great generosity.

You live out God's overflowing faith with the National Benevolent Association connecting people and social services. You witness to the unity of God's people with the Council on Christian Unity. You help the Disciples of Christ Historical Society record examples of God's power. You and Disciples Home Missions and Hope Partnership for Missional Transformation support congregational life in new ways of living out God's call.

Your donation reaches around the globe to partners nurturing the hurting through the **Division of Overseas Ministries** (Global Ministries). Your assistance counts when the **National Convocation** and **North American Pacific/Asian Disciples** (NAPAD) serve their communities with specialized ministries.

Higher Education and Leadership Ministries bring your resources to students following their call, both in undergraduate and graduate programs. Your backing enables **Communication Ministries** to spread the word about Disciples sharing the love of God overflowing.

You are a part of all of these life-giving ministries. (Find stories about these ministries at disciplesmissionfund.org on the 2018 Easter Offering page.)

This year, the **Center for Faith and Giving** explores our response to the overflowing love of God, making the Stewardship Study Document (presented at the 2017 General Assembly) applicable for a variety of ages with a new curriculum. Find the free curriculum at centerforfaithandgiving.org.

"And this is my prayer, that your love may overflow more and more with knowledge and full insight to help you to determine what is best, so that in the day of Christ you may be pure and blameless, having produced the harvest of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ for the glory and praise of God."

- Philippians 1:9-11

