



2011 Memphis Conference United Methodist Church Lenten World Hunger Offering

Let us love... in truth and action

“How does God’s love abide in anyone who has the world’s goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses to help? Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action.”

1 John 3:17-18 NRSV

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MARCH			ASH WEDNESDAY 9 1 John 3:17-18 God’s love abides in anyone who helps a sister or brother in need. “Let us love...in truth and action.”	Acts 9: 1-7 10 Will you give one quarter for each snack you eat today? Ask God to bless your Lenten journey.	Psalm 39 11 Will you give ten cents for each video or DVD in your house? Pray for all students.	Ephesians 2:14-18 12 Will you give one dime for each item of mail you received today? Pray for those who have no water.
Malachi 3:10 13 Will you give one nickel for each book of the Bible? Pray for the food projects of each district in the Memphis Conference.	Isaiah 50: 4-9 14 Will you give a nickel per person, per meal, in your home today? Pray for those confused about Christ.	Luke 11: 11-12 15 Will you give one dime for every egg in your refrigerator? Pray for Heifer Project International.	Acts 10: 1-2 16 Will you give fifty cents for each member of your household? Pray for children who are not allowed to get an education.	John 4: 34 17 Will you give one nickel for each of your favorite hymns? Pray for Reelfoot Rural Ministries.	John 4: 7 18 Will you give one dime for every drink of water you take today? Pray for the Hunters for Hungry ministry.	Mark 14: 12-26 19 Will you give from your heart today? Pray for those who don’t know the joy of Jesus Christ in their hearts.
Matthew 14:16 20 Will you give two pennies for each door you open today? Pray for the Lord to open the doors of hope for those in need.	Psalm 63: 5 21 Will you give a nickel for each pair of footwear you own? Pray for those who can’t afford to buy shoes.	Isaiah 53: 1-6 22 Will you give a penny for each ounce of liquid you drink today? Pray for the thirsty.	Jeremiah 11:18-20 23 Will you give a nickel for each time you go online or check your email today? Pray for your elected leaders.	Psalm 108 24 Will you give one dime for each CD/DVD player or radio in your house? Pray for those who need encouragement.	2 Timothy 4:16-17 25 Will you give one dime for each phone call you make today? Pray for those who have difficulty communicating.	Mark 8:31-38 26 Will you give a dime for each meal you’ve eaten today? Pray for those who can’t afford to eat three times a day.
Genesis 1:14-19 27 Will you give a dime for every tree in your yard? Give thanks to God for the wonders of creation.	John 12:20-23 28 Will you give a nickel for each light bulb in your house? Pray for those who have no electricity.	Exodus 16:4 29 Will you give a quarter for each jar of peanut butter in your pantry? Pray for the Project Peanut Butter.	Deut. 15:11 30 Will you give fifty cents for each of your pets? Pray for those who don’t know the love of God.	Romans 12 31 Will you give one dime for each friend that you have? Pray for those in need of friendship.		
		APRIL			1 Cor. 4:11 1 Will you give a penny for each TV program you watch during the week? Pray for the mission teams of our conference.	Luke 6: 38 2 Will you give from your heart today? Pray for those who seek to give that they may be blessed by God.
Isaiah 58:10 3 Will you give a dime for every phone call you made or received today? Pray for God’s will to be done in people’s hearts.	1 Cor. 13:3 4 Will you give 20 cents for each left-over item in your refrigerator? Give thanks for God’s generosity.	Isaiah 58:7 5 Will you give 25 cents for each gallon of gas you’ve used this week? Pray for those who need clothes.	2 Cor. 9:7 6 Will you give one nickel for each smile you see today? Pray for those who suffer from depression.	Isaiah 25:4 7 Will you pray for the Memphis Food Bank, RIFA Food Depot, Martin We Care & Paducah Cooperative Ministry?	1 Kings 17:14 8 Will you give two pennies for each jar of oil and each bag of flour you have? Pray for the farmers who produce our food.	Psalm 69: 21 9 Will you give a nickel for every meal you ate out this week? Pray for your teachers.
2 Cor. 9:10 10 Will you give one penny for each piece of bread you eat this week? Pray for the United Methodist Committee on Relief.	Psalm 148 11 Will you give a nickel for each plant you have in your house? Pray for those without jobs.	John 15: 1-9 12 Will you give a nickel for each pair of socks/stockings you have? Pray for the Dream Farm at Africa University.	James 1: 2-18 13 Will you give a dime for each piece of furniture in your den? Pray for those who have dirt floors.	Isaiah 55: 1-2 14 Will you give one dime for each day you have read your calendar? Pray for remembrance in your heart.	Matthew 7: 7-12 15 Will you give a dime for each time you ask for help today? Pray for a humble heart.	Genesis 1: 11-13 16 Will you give six pennies for each of your yard tools? Pray for those who can’t go outdoors.
PALM SUNDAY 17 John 6: 55-56 Will you give a nickel for every door in your house?	Numbers 21:5 18 Will you give one nickel for each item of food and drink at dinner tonight? Pray for Memphis Neighborhood Centers.	Matthew 6:11 19 Will you give four pennies for every cooking appliance in your house? Pray for the Potato Project.	Genesis 43: 22 20 Will you give a quarter for each time you went to the grocery store this week? Pray for your friends.	MAUNDY THURSDAY 21 Philemon 8: 21 Will you give a quarter for every room in your house?	GOOD FRIDAY 22 Phil. 2: 5-11 Ask God to give you the attitude that was in Jesus. Pray to be God’s servant in all things.	PRAY FOR PEACE 23 Matthew 25:35 Pray for peace.
24 EASTER SUNDAY		<p><i>In the U.S., 16.7 million children live in households where people have to skip meals.</i></p>				

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