



1. What is First Fruits?

First Fruits is a significant gift or offering that is a statement to God honoring Him as first in our lives. Giving First Fruits is a projection of anticipated blessings for this year and supports the church one attends.

2. What is the different between a tithe, general offering and First Fruits offering?

A tithe is 10% of what you already earn (gross), a general offering is any gift above your tithe and a First Fruits offering is a special gift projection of anticipated blessings for this year.

3. Why should I give a First Fruits offering?

Are you expecting great things to happen in 2012? First Fruits is given in thanks for those future expectations. Think about it as an investment for your future.

4. How much should I give?

Well that's between you and God, but if you are totally unsure we're happy to give you suggestions.

5. Is God's response to my First Fruits based on the dollar amount I give?

Yes. God places as much importance on what you give as you do. See Luke 6:38.

6. How long do I have to pay off First Fruits?

First fruit is NOT a long-term pledge. It's a designated season between Sunday, February 26, 2012 and Sunday, April 15, 2012.

7. What can I assign my First Fruits to do?

To accomplish your 2012 goals.

8. Should I pay my First Fruits in addition to my current tithe and general offering?

Yes. Keep giving your tithe (10% of your gross income), however during First Fruits season your general offering goes towards completing your First Fruits.

9. Is it appropriate for children to give a First Fruits offering?

Yes. Many children give First Fruits and receive benefits either through their parents or directly.

10. Is First Fruits for nonmembers?

Yes. First Fruits is for nonmembers/visitors too. Many companies, organizations and people practice the principles of tithing and First Fruits, and benefit from it greatly. So can you.

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