FOUR EASY STEPS

1

Pick a gift. Set a goal.

When you gather with your team of leaders at a meeting to explore the Catalog and identify the gifts and goals you will use, try using the Opening Sentences as a moment for reflection or opening devotion.

2

Plan your project. Get the word out.

Share announcements in worship with a Moment for Mission on your congregation's gifts and goals, celebrating benchmark achievements and encouraging continued support. As you use the Catalog-specific liturgy, different emphases will surface among your congregation. This increases the likelihood of your members understanding the work of Presbyterian Mission and becoming inspired to participate and partner in supporting the Catalog.

3

Hold your event and collect your gifts.

Catalog gifts can be received from your congregation in many different ways; during the offertory of a service of worship, in an envelope passed around the Sunday school classroom, at your annual Alternative Giving Market, or at a unique event of your own. The Invitation to the Offering and Prayers of Dedication can be used to call the hearts of those gathered to be mindful in their giving and pray a blessing over the gifts that are given.

4

Give your gifts!

At the end of the event's timeframe, celebrate the work God is doing through the many gifts shared. The Prayers of Intercession can provide a framework that integrates the Catalog and its ministries into the regular prayers of God's gathered people.



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