

Instructions for Completing Your Children's Stewardship Form

- 1. Make sure you have the appropriate form.** If your grade level for the upcoming 2025-2026 school year is 5th grade or below, you should be completing a form that says "Children" at the top. If you are currently in 5th grade, you should receive a "Youth" form as you are committing for the fall of 2025. You may complete the included paper copy of this form or use this QR code to complete the information online.
- 2. Pray.** Spend some time in prayer either alone or with your parents. Ask God to guide your decision making as you complete this form. Pledge to pray for the mission and ministry of Unity Presbyterian Church this year.
- 3. Financial:** The next pledge on the form is for treasure. With your parents, consider your allowance and any other ways you earn money. How much would you like to give to share God's love with the world? Maybe you could set up a lemonade stand over the summer. Maybe it's a weekly donation, or maybe it's a percentage each time you earn money for a task. Record that amount on the first line.
- 4. Discipleship:** The next pledge on the form is for time. These are opportunities for you to grow in faith through activities in our church. With your parents, consider what ways you are already participating in discipleship activities in our church and make sure to check those if you want to continue. Then look at the other opportunities available for your age and decide if there are one or two more opportunities to add. If you have questions about these opportunities, please contact the leader of that program and look at the information provided on the Children's Ministry pages on our website. Consider what is realistic and reasonable for your family, especially if transportation is required. Once you've decided, check the ones that apply.
- 5. Service:** The next pledge on the form is for talents. These are opportunities for you to serve others by helping with things in our church or community. With your parents, consider what you are good at and what gifts you have to share with the church. Look over the list of opportunities listed and consider what you are already doing and whether you'd like to continue to serve in that ministry. Read the descriptions online to see what is realistic and reasonable for your family, especially if transportation is required. Once you've decided, check all the ones that apply. Please note that some opportunities require parent/guardian supervision and/or special training. Please include the name and email address of the adult who will serve with you.
- 6. All your information:** Make sure that your name and information is correct on the form. Paper forms can be handed in on **Commitment Sunday, March 30**, during worship. We will also have a box available in the office for paper forms if you will not be in attendance that Sunday.

