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To insure confidentially all donations will be opened by the Chairperson of the Stewardship Committee and recorded by the Financial Secretary of the church.

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\*\*We understand that circumstances may dictate a change in your three-month commitment.\*\*

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## How to Find God's Will

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- Seek to get your heart in position that is willing to do God's will.
- Do not leave the result to a feeling or simple impression.
- Seek the will of God through the Word of God.
- Take into account the provision of God through circumstances.
- Ask God in prayer to reveal His will.
- Make a decision through prayer with God, the study of His Word, and reflections. If your mind is at peace, and continues so, after several more prayers, then proceed with God's will.

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**FOR MY RECORDS  
MY DONATION OR  
COMMITMENT IS:**

January \_\_\_\_\_ February \_\_\_\_\_

March \_\_\_\_\_ One-time \_\_\_\_\_

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## OCEAN VIEW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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### “SECOND MORTGAGE PAYOFF” CAMPAIGN



*“Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.”*

– 2 Corinthians 9:7

## Overview

Ocean View has an urgent and important goal. To pay off the mortgages on the church property quickly, so the money that is presently paying interest can be redirected toward God's service.

There are enormous needs in our community; human needs, ministry and mission needs. Ocean View wants to bring the Light of the World to those who are trapped in darkness. When we are debt free, we'll be able to do much more!

We presently owe a 1st Mortgage of \$1,396,000 and a \$38,000 2nd Mortgage. The monthly payment on the 1st mortgage is \$13,179. The monthly payment on the 2nd mortgage is \$4,850.

We are addressing both of these. We have renegotiated the 1st mortgage to reduce the monthly payment, and now we are introducing this campaign effort to pay off the 2nd mortgage completely!

This is a one-time request for donations. The program will continue until March 31, 2010. If each member of the church contributes a total of \$85 (or more) over these 3 months, the 2nd mortgage debt will be paid in full.

We ask you to pray, listen to God's message to you personally, and follow His direction. Our God is awesome. There is nothing too difficult for Him to accomplish!

## WHAT SPECIFICALLY ARE WE PAYING OFF AND WHY?

1. The 2<sup>nd</sup> mortgage that presently exists on the church from the addition of the Sanctuary
2. To reduce the mortgage payment commitment by \$4,850 monthly.

## HOW MUCH DO WE OWE?

The original amount of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Mortgage was \$150,000. This was a 2<sup>nd</sup> mortgage from Security Savings Bank. The balance is presently about \$38,000. This amount is what we will pay off now. .

## HOW DOES THIS COMBINE WITH OPERATION OASIS?

Operation Oasis will continue through December 2010. This plan will compliment it, by quickly paying off the 2<sup>nd</sup> Mortgage, and reducing monthly payments by \$4,850.

## IS THIS AN ON-GOING PROGRAM?

This is a one-time, 3-month effort through March 31, 2010.

## WHAT'S NEXT?

Later in 2010, we will introduce a Stewardship Program with a goal of paying off the First Mortgage in an accelerated fashion. The goal is for Ocean View to be debt-free, and to be able to direct our resources to Missions, Ministries and Human Needs.

## "Second Mortgage Payoff" Campaign

*"Not equal gifts – but equal commitment"*

Grateful for God's love in Jesus Christ, I (we) intend to support the mission of this church through helping payoff the second mortgage. Therefore, I (we) will support our congregation with the following gift:

### JANUARY 2010

Weekly \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### FEBRUARY 2010

Weekly \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### MARCH 2010

Weekly \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### ONE-TIME DONATION

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**(Please Print)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank-you for your support!**