I CAN'T GET
TO CHURCH
EVERY SUNDAY

I CAN'T FIND ANY CASH FOR THE OFFERING

I CAN'T GET
INTO A PATTERN OF
REGULAR GIVING



LUTHERAN CHURCH

OF AUSTRALIA

where love comes to life



You may have heard of Regular Electronic Giving but it is more widely known simply as REG.

REG has been quietly supporting the mission of the Lutheran Church through congregational giving for over 20 years. Through REG over a thousand individuals and families are providing millions of dollars of offerings to hundreds of congregations annually.

Like some people, you might find it difficult to provide your congregation with a regular offering - for any number of reasons. So, if you are unable to attend church every Sunday, or you are tired of scrambling for cash before church, or you want to be more organised with your giving, REG might be the answer.

### **REG** benefits

#### How REG benefits you

- » No need to remember to bring cash to church
- » If you are away from church, your offering is still made
- » You can apply 'first fruits' principles

# How REG benefits your congregation

- » Provides a regular income or cash flow, making budgeting easier
- Can increase giving through the convenience of direct debits
- » Safer because there is less cash to handle and bank each week

# **REG** keeps things confidential

Your congregation doesn't receive any information regarding your identity or the amount of your offering.

Every good and perfect gift is from above.

REG

offering card

If you would like to still

cards are available free

of charge from the LLL

or your District office.

offering plate, **REG offering** 

put something on the

### **REG** the facts

- REG is a **convenient, safe and confidential** way of giving a regular
  offering to your congregation.
- Your REG offering can come from your bank, credit union or LLL account.
- You can set up REG to coincide with your regular income (eg salary, pension, dividends) or budget weekly, fortnightly, monthly, quarterly or even half-yearly.

# **Getting started**

**1** Determine amount

Determine how much and how often you will give.

2 Select bank account

Choose the account you'll use for your REG offering (does not need to be an LLL account).

3 Complete the REG Direct Debit form

Fill in the REG Direct Debit form online www.lca.org.au/reg or by phoning the LLL on 1800 556 457

4 Done!

Easy as that! Now your congregation will receive your regular offering, just as you've requested.

It's that easy!

You can also use
REG to support your
favourite Churchwide
or District mission
or ministry project.



**GIVES YOU PEACE OF MIND,** 

KNOWING YOUR OFFERING IS ALWAYS THERE FOR YOUR CONGREGATION.



REG (Regular Electronic Giving) is facilitated by using the LLL direct debit system.

LLL Australia administers REG free of charge as a service to the Lutheran Church of Australia.

A REG direct debit can be changed at any time online with LLL@Home (if you are using an LLL account) or by contacting the LLL. For any further information about REG, contact LLL Australia.



