

MCC Toronto

Our Congregation's Gifts for God – Feb. 6, 2011

- Love / My love / Unconditional love (the number one responses, from over 20 people!)
- Myself / Me / My life / All of me (a close second, with 18)
- Peace / World peace / End to wars (almost as many – 15)
- Thanks / Gratitude (Lots of responses like this)
- Faith / Belief (Lots of responses like this)
- Commitment (Lots of responses like this)
- Time (Lots of responses like this)
- Prayer(s) (several responses like this)
- A joyful heart / Joy / My joy (several responses like this)
- My gift of creative communication to be a culturally relevant healing agent in the lives of spiritually starved people, locally and across cultures
- To live trying to show god's love to those I interact with so they feel loved just as they are
- A Faberge version scale-model replica of the Ark of the Covenant (so that he could converse with us again, like in the good old days) ["This poverty I hate it; instead I wish to Faberge it.]
- To be there when she calls me
- Flowers – love, joy, happiness, thanks
- Sexuality
- My heart and soul, but that sounds too cliché
- My service and attempts to be kind
- Being able to use every gift that I have to bless others
- A greater sense of God's presence in my life
- The gift of not having to worry about me
- A vacation
- My faith? Don't know if I have it to give, but would love to
- To return the creative gift God gave me
- My undivided attention
- Every day
- Practicing kindness every day and always in thought word and deed
- Deeper connection
- More time
- To understand God more
- My sexuality
- At the end of my life when I stand before God to be able to say "I used everything you gave me" (Erma Bombeck)
- My best, so that I can be of use and make the world a better place
- My gifts of hospitality & bringing people together to share their highs and lows in life, to help build this church to be all that it can be

- Proof that universal love is alive and well and working in real time always (on our street, anyway)
- To be living a life in ways that allow me to enjoy and share life with others through those ways and plans for great living as is god's wish
- That I be the best that I can be and that my intentions are ones of kindness and compassion
- A productive life-enhancing, life-giving life
- Asking God's will in my life more
- My heart
- Outreach
- To have a love of life
- The gift of being a change agent
- Just to be worthy of God's love
- A permanent smile, so that when he looks down at us there would be no reason for a frown ever!
- Complete freedom to worship God
- Practicing kindness every day and always, in thought, word and deed
- I always wanted to give God the gift of accepting and honoring all the beauty and strength he gave me.
- My time
- To give thanks to God for giving me his gift of love and caring that I share with others every day
- Proof that universal love is alive and well and working in real time always (on our street anyway)
- Showing compassion to those less fortunate throughout my life
- Creativity
- That I be the best that I can be and that my intentions are ones of kindness and compassion
- Complete control of my life
- Work for justice
- My total will and stop taking it back
- My faith and hope
- Myself
- A day off. Curious how we'd do here on earth without God taking care of us.
- A better, more compassionate and patient me.
- A more thankful me
- Commitment
- Me
- Faith, my faith without questioning
- Consistent faith/prayer
- Contribute to human rights

- That God shouldn't have to worry about me and so could devote more attention to people and places with needs greater than mind... that I can help resolve those greater needs
- Loyalty and love
- Peace
- Being able to use every gift that I have to bless others
- A greater sense of God's presence in my life
- The best person I can be
- Belief, faith
- My time
- Gift to God of Time
- Thank you
- Joyful heart
- Complete freedom in worship to God
- All good action I've done to help others
- My life
- Unconditional & unwavering love and belief
- Support to LGBT community in our second home – Eleuthera, Bahamas
- Faithfulness in being spiritual mentor to grandchildren
- Faithfulness in supporting LGBT rights in our second home, the Bahamas
- All of my entire being – heart soul mind body
- My Faith and Belief
- To be the best Mother, Daughter, Wife, Friend to all those around me
- My gift of creative communications to be a culturally relevant healing agent in the lives of spiritually starved people – locally and across cultures
- I would like to give the gift of community to God
- The gift of song: the Lord's Prayer sung by the entire world at the same time
- No hesitation in my living love & understanding
- Me
- Continuing Faith & Belief
- My service and attempts to be kind
- Love – Goodness – Joy
- I want to give you a big fat Bear Hug, God! And also a huge French Kiss. Thanks for being around.
- World Peace
- The service of my life.
- My heart soul, but that sounds too cliché
- A deeper connection
- A gift of less violence and more love, and caring for one another
- A productive life - enhancing giving life
- Outreach: in addition to web, Facebook, and twitter; my life to answer yes to God
- Still sorting this out

- A really big, long hug
- My best so that I can be of use and make this world a better place; my gift of hospitality, bring people together to share their highs and lows in their life; spread the word about MCC and get more people to attend; help build this church to be all that it can be
- A strong heartfelt thank you; share the joy I've experienced with God
- To commit my life to God; all my thanks to give God
- My true, unconditional, unwavering love – the same gift the God gives to me
- Helping with his work on earth; strive to always improve/grow as a person; help to pull back the curtain of fear and ignorance, and replace it with love, wisdom, strength
- Committed love
- Love, joy, happiness thanks
- A hand in fighting for justice
- Love
- My service, but many times I feel it's not enough
- Chocolate
- Loyalty
- Demonstration that my prayers are answered by having the grace to always do the right thing
- A great building for worship
- To be a better Christian
- My personal humility... If we all did this, many, many problems would sort themselves out