



AGAPAY GIVE

A PROPOSAL FOR PARISH COUNCIL

ONLINE GIVING FOR ORTHODOX PARISHES

Let more of every gift reach the parish — and keep our own bank account in control the whole time.

AGAPAY Give is online giving built specifically for Orthodox parish life — feast-aware, fund-aware, and priced so the parish keeps what it earns. This is a straightforward, low-risk decision the council can approve today.



\$0

AGAPAY charges **no donation fee, ever, on any plan**. The only cost is Stripe's own card-processing rate — the same rate every payment processor charges — and donors can choose to cover that themselves, so the parish can receive the full intended gift.

WHAT MATTERS TO THE COUNCIL	AGAPAY GIVE	A GENERIC PLATFORM
Platform fee on every gift	\$0	Typically 1-5%
Funds held before deposit	Never — direct to our bank	Often held by the platform
Built for Orthodox liturgical life	Yes — feasts, funds, calendar	Rarely, if ever
Nonprofit-discounted processing	Eligible, on request	Not usually offered
Contract required	None — cancel anytime	Often annual

PLANS & COST TO THE PARISH

Starter	\$9/mo
Giving Plus	\$49/mo
Stewardship	\$99/mo
Parish	Best Value! \$149/mo

WHAT PARISH INCLUDES

- ✓ Full Parish Directory & member workflows
- ✓ Sacraments & Services scheduling
- ✓ Full Parish Commerce & Bookstore
- ✓ Koinonia — private parish community: groups, announcements & teaching
- ✓ Connected parish accounting
- ✓ Guided onboarding & priority support

No setup fee. No long-term commitment. Every tier can be changed at any time as the parish's needs grow.

● Built for how we actually give

Designated funds, candle offerings, commemorations for the living and departed, and a liturgical calendar that knows our feast days — not a generic donation button.

● Easy for every parishioner

A direct giving link and a printable QR code for the bulletin, the website, or a table in the narthex. No app required to give.

● Our money, our account

Every gift is processed through the parish's own connected Stripe account and deposited directly to our own bank. AGAPAY never holds parish funds at any point.

● Less work for the treasurer

Automatic receipts, giving history, and statements — real time saved every month compared to reconciling a separate platform by hand.

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Council votes to approve

No funds move until setup is complete.

2

Treasurer completes setup

About 15-20 minutes, verified with our own Stripe account.

3

Share the link and QR code

Bulletin, website, and social media.

4

Get the My AGAPAY app

Free to install — give, track pledges, and view history.