

Greetings Amazing GNAZ Family!

Let me start this message off by THANKING YOU from the bottom of my heart for your giving to your church! It is givers like you that God has been using to do the miraculous things we have seen here at Glendale Nazarene Church.

With that being said, I wanted to let you know of a change that will be taking place in our online giving platform in the next 2 months.

On January 1, 2018, we will be changing our giving system from “Monk Donations” to “Kindrid”. “Why are we making this switch?” You may ask. That’s a great question!

The main reason we are switching is because Kindrid reduces fees on gifts, resulting in more of your funds being used for missions and ministry.

With that being said, here are some important items we want you to know about regarding our upcoming transition:

1) How does this affect me?

If you would like to set up a one-time gift, the only change you will see is that the new giving platform may look a little different than the previous one. Online giving is still as simple as going to gnaz.org/give and setting up an account for a one-time gift.

If you’ve been using our text giving option, then you’ve already been using Kindrid and you shouldn’t have to make any changes.

If you’ve already set up a recurring gift through our previous company, “Monk Giving”, you will need to cancel that gift and set it up again in Kindrid by January 1, 2018.

2) How do I switch my recurring gift over to Kindrid?

It’s a simple two-step process:

First, visit our giving page (gnaz.org/give) and log in where it says “Give Online (or Manage Existing Donation)”.

Once logged in, click “Manage your account”.

From this screen, you can cancel any recurring gifts you have scheduled.

Secondly, set up your new recurring gift. Start by going to our giving page again (gnaz.org/give) and follow the prompts. Once you have logged in, you can schedule a gift immediately using the easy interface.

If you would like to give to different funds (including General Fund (Tithe), Debt Reduction, Missions, etc...), just select the category from the drop down menu and select the amount you would like to give.

***Please note: if you choose the option of direct withdrawal from your bank account (also known as “ACH”), there will be a 3-5 day delay for the transaction to be completed the first time you give.*

3) What other differences are there between Monk and Kindrid?

There are 2 other major differences between our old online giving platform and our new one.

First, there is no longer a “notes” section on Kindrid like there was on Monk. That means you will no longer be able to allocate portions of your giving in one gift (e.g. you can no longer give a \$100 gift and have it split \$50 to General Fund and \$50 to Debt Reduction).

Second, if you would like to give to different funds (missions, debt, building, etc...) you will need to do that with separate transactions.

During this transition season we know you may have questions that we didn't address in this message. If you are having trouble, please let us know at the church office and we will be happy to assist you! We want to do our part to make this transition as smooth as possible.

Again, thank you for your faithful giving to our church! God is using you and your financial gifts to change lives and eternities.

Blessings,

Pastor Keith