## **CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST**

# A tax-wise way of providing for you, your children, and ministry



#### How does a **charitable remainder trust\*** work?

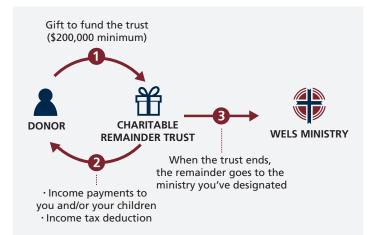
You transfer cash, securities, or real estate into a charitable trust.

The trust provides income payments for life to you and/or the people you care about (like your children). In addition, you receive a charitable income tax deduction.

3 When the trust ends, the remainder will go to support the ministry or ministries that are important to you.



# Is a charitable remainder trust right for you?



Let's find out! You...

- ...have at least \$200,000 of cash, securities, or real estate that can fund the trust.
- ...wish to receive income payments for life (for you and/or your children).
- ...would like to benefit from potential income tax and capital gains tax benefits.
- ...wish to leave a legacy to support ministry after you are called home to heaven.



#### I'm interested! How do I learn more?

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\*There are a number of different ways to structure the trust based on your situation.



## **CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY**

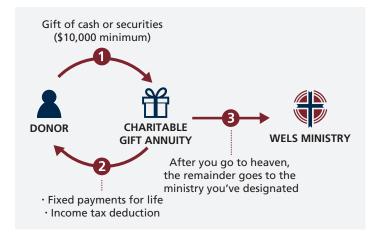
# A simple gift plan that pays you income for life



### How does a **charitable gift annuity** work?

- You make a gift of cash or securities to WELS Foundation.
- You receive fixed income payments for life and a charitable income tax deduction.
- 3 After the Lord calls you home, the remainder is distributed to the ministry or ministries that are important to you.

### Is a charitable gift annuity right for you?



Let's find out! You...

- ...have at least \$10,000 in cash or securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds) that you want to give.
- ...wish to receive income payments for life.
- ...would like to benefit from potential income tax and capital gains tax benefits.
- ...wish to leave a legacy to support ministry after you are called home to heaven.



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## **ENDOWMENT FUND**

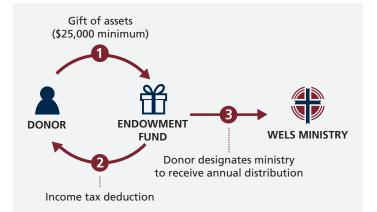
# Ongoing, dependable support for ministry

### How does an endowment fund work?

- You make a gift of cash, securities, or other property to WELS Foundation. (Additional gifts can be made to the fund at any time.)
- 2 You receive a charitable income tax deduction.
- 3 You designate the ministry that receives annual distributions from the fund.



# Is an **endowment fund** right for you?



Let's find out! You...

- ...have at least \$25,000 in cash, securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds), or other property that you want to give.
- ...would like to benefit from potential income tax and capital gains tax benefits.
- ...wish to support ministry for years to come.

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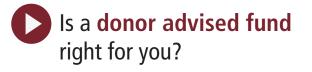


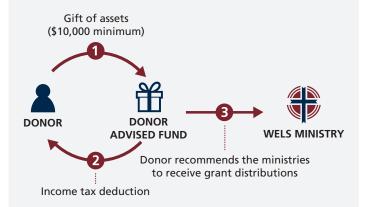
## **DONOR ADVISED FUND**

## A simple, tax-wise way to support ministry

### How does a **donor advised fund** work?

- You make a gift of cash, securities, or other property to WELS Foundation. (Additional gifts can be made to the fund at any time.)
- 2 You receive a charitable income tax deduction.
- 3 You recommend the ministry or ministries that receive distributions from the fund.





Let's find out! You...

- ...have at least \$10,000 in cash, securities (stocks, bonds, mutual funds), or other property that you want to give.
- ...would like to benefit from potential income tax and capital gains tax benefits.
- ...wish to have an immediate impact on the ministry or ministries you recommend.

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