

The Pavlich's Story

We have never tithed regularly. But since Joining Faith, we have felt the call to start giving. During the 10/10 Challenge, we made the commitment to give ten percent for ten weeks, even though it was a very unsure time, financially, for us. Jeremy was laid off in August and we were six months pregnant with our second child.

From the very beginning of our giving, it has been an awesome experience. It would have been so easy to take that money and save out of fear of future. Instead, we decided to tithe the way God instructs us and trust that He would provide what we needed. Provide He did- through the church, our community, and friends and family! During this time, there were three distinct moments when we prayed hard for help to stay above water. Each time God put us on someone's heart, prompting them to bless us.

Jeremy is now working full-time again and he has even been bless with a part-time job at Faith, which he is loving. With each paycheck and each gift, we have fulfilled our commitment to God. Without Him, we know that we could not have survived.

We have been so happy with all that has come from just having faith that we now take joy in giving. To quote some famous vegetables (VeggieTales), "I can give because God loves me. I can give because he gave."