

**Allocations for
Ola Cox State Missions Offering 2008**

Goal: \$110,000

Theme: Make a World of Difference

Scripture: Acts 1:8 NKJV

But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, in all Jude and Samaria and to the ends of the earth.

A Personalized Version

“Okay, you will receive My Holy Spirit power and then you will be My witnesses right where you are, all around West Virginia, throughout the US and all around the world!”

Congregational Assistance (58%)	\$63,800
Assist existing congregations, new congregations; survey and other activities related to starting new churches (includes Anglo, African-American, other Ethnic groups).	
Associational Development (10%)	\$11,000
Each association receives ten percent of the receipts from the churches that make up the association. Local associational leadership determines how money is used.	
Mission Ministries (5.1%)	\$5,610
Provide training materials, resources to equip churches to do ministry.	
Missions Camp and Super Summer (5.5%)	\$6,050
Supplement Convention budget for these two summer events for children and youth.	
Disaster Relief (4.5%)	\$4,950
Designated to fund disaster response.	
Pastor Annuity (5.5%)	\$6,050
Supplement Convention budget line that covers a minimum amount for pastors' annuity when the church participates at the required level.	
Emergency Help for Church Staffs (2.75%)	\$3,025
Provide assistance for emergency needs of church staff members.	
Emergency Help to Churches (2.75%)	\$3,025
Help for repairing/replacing existing facilities and equipment when local funds are not available.	
Resort Missions (3%)	\$3,300
Provide assistance for innovative ministries to reach employees and visitors to resorts.	
Missions Education (1.4%)	\$1,540
This new allocation provides assistance to encourage new missions education units and to train missions leaders.	
Promotion (1.5%)	\$1,650
This new allocation supplements convention budget for preparing state missions promotional materials.	

Note: The Ola Cox State Missions Offering funds are placed in designated accounts, according to the percentage of the allocation/receipts at the first of the year. Any funds not used are carried over in the designated accounts. Most funds of used each year