

# My Alternative Gift

† Enclosed is my gift for \$\_\_\_\_\_ to empower impoverished families thru Solar Oven Partners.

What will your gift buy?

- #1. \$50 — Shipping and Training
- #2. \$100 — Materials and Components
- #3. \$150 — Complete Solar Oven Package
- #4. \$1,000 — Impact a Neighborhood!

### Your Directions to Solar Oven Partners

Please send a card to the following, informing them of the gift given in their honor or of the memorial remembering a loved one:

Notify this person of the Alternative Gift...

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Notify this person of the Memorial Gift...

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Gift or Memorial Given By...

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_



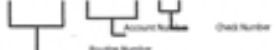
Please send this form with your check, credit card transaction, or withdrawal authorization to:

Solar Oven Partners UMC 910 4th Street, Ste G Brookings, SD 57006-2172



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ADVENT  
GIVE  
HOPE**



		<b>AUTHORIZATION FORM FOR GIFTS TO:</b> <b>Solar Oven Partners UMC</b> <small>If using a checking account, please return with a voided check.</small>		 <b>Return form to:</b> Dakotas Conference Finance Office PO Box 460 Mitchell, SD 57301-0460	
Last Name		First Name			
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City		State		Zip	
Email Address					
Please debit my donation from y (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> Savings Account (contact your financial institution for Routing #) <input type="checkbox"/> Checking Account (attach a voided check below)			Routing Number: _____ <b>Valid Routing # must start with a 0, 1, 2 or 3</b>		
Amount of Monthly Donation \$ _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted <input type="checkbox"/> Solar Ovens <input type="checkbox"/> Associate Director			Account Number: :123456789: 123 123456 0001 		
I authorize the above organization to process debit entries to my account in the amount shown above on the 15 <sup>th</sup> of each month. I understand that this authority will remain in effect until I provide reasonable notification to terminate the authorization by contact with Finance Office at 605-996-6552.					
Authorized Signature: _____			Date: _____		

Hope... A blessed gift to give this Christmas

# GIVE THE GIFT OF HOPE

Solar Oven Partners UMC offers various levels of gifting. No matter which level you select, know that you are partnering to provide opportunity, hope, and empowerment to grateful recipients.

## OPTIONS FOR GIFTING

### Option #1: \$50

#### Shipping and Training

Covers the cost of shipping a solar oven from our South Dakota workshop. For each oven recipient - cooking seminars and food, training in building an oven and use and care of it.



### Option #2: \$100

#### Component Parts of a Solar Oven

Covers the cost of the component parts and manufacturing necessary to build each solar oven. Powered by volunteers, labor costs for manufacturing are rock bottom!

### Option #3: \$150

#### Complete Solar Oven Package

Put an oven/accessories into the hands of a family in need. Your gift includes shipping from our South Dakota workshop and the training needed to understand the benefits of solar cooking and how to use the oven effectively. Each recipient also pays 10% of the actual cost—to implement the program and build a sense of investment and ownership.

### Option #4: \$1,000

#### Impact a Neighborhood

Solar Oven Partners takes ovens and training to locations where we have been invited and welcomed by church and community leaders. To magnify your impact, consider multiplying your assistance to a community, demonstrating a real opportunity to help break the cycle of poverty. Pay it forward with a gift that provides a foothold for the next generation!

This year, give a gift—or ask for a gift—that truly matters: **a Solar Oven!**

Use this brochure yourself, or hand it to someone planning gift-giving for you. For more information about Solar Oven Partners UMC go to [solarovenpartnersumc.org](http://solarovenpartnersumc.org)

## Christmas is all about hope

It's wrapped up in the birth of a Savior and new life. Solar Oven Partners is all about hope, as well.

It's a partnership of people who believe they help alleviate hunger, improve health, and reduce pollution in poverty-stricken countries using a solar oven for cooking food.

This Christmas, you can be part of that partnership — part of that gift of hope. Instead of giving a gift that will sit on the shelf collecting dust, why not give an alternative gift in your special one's name — a gift that will truly make a difference to an impoverished family.

This year, Solar Oven Partners will provide on-site training in building ovens, cooking seminars; and distributing ovens in the Dominican Republic, Sierra Leone and to the people of the Navajo Nation in Arizona.

Utilizing the free energy of the sun to cook food, Volunteers-in-Mission shared the love of Christ through empowering participants with skills while developing positive relationships.

With your donation, you and your gift recipient ensure that Solar Oven Partners' 18 years of perseverance continues to bring hope to the hearts of struggling families.