



Important notice for treasurers

Effective 1 January 2014

The following information will assist in your role as treasurer for your Congregation.

1. Increases in Stipend, Allowances and other related expenses are as follows:

		Per Annum	Per Month (Parish)	Per Month (Agency)
Minimum Stipend	Minister of the Word Deacon/Deaconess Lay Pastor Youth Worker – Accredited	\$52,920	\$4,410	\$4,410
House Allowance		\$15,132	\$1,261	\$1,261
Basic Travel Allowance		See below		
Beneficiary Fund				
Agency/Parish Levy		\$7,632	\$636	\$636
Personal		\$3,048	\$254	\$254
Superannuation Guarantee Charge	Parish/Agency 9.25%	\$4,896	\$408	\$408
Home Acquisition Fund				
Personal		\$2,388	\$199	\$199
Agency Only		\$1,068	(NIL)	\$89
Continuing Education for Ministers (CEM)	Parish/Agency	\$960	\$80	\$80
Sickness and Accident Assistance Plan		\$372	\$31	\$31
Work Cover		\$444	\$37	\$37
Long Service Leave – Agency Levy		\$900	NIL	\$75

The Travel Allowance rate is to be negotiated between the Minister and the congregation in accordance with the schedule recommended by the Ministerial Support Funds Committee.

Rate No.	Kilometres Travelled	Allowance Per Annum	Allowance Per Month
1	Up to 10,000 km	\$11,688	\$974
2	10,000 to 12,500 km	\$12,384	\$1,032
3	12,500 to 15,000 km	\$13,116	\$1,093
4	15,000 to 17,500 km	\$14,004	\$1,167
5	17,500 to 20,000 km	\$14,916	\$1,243
6	In excess of 20,000	+ 27 cents / km	+ 27 cents / km