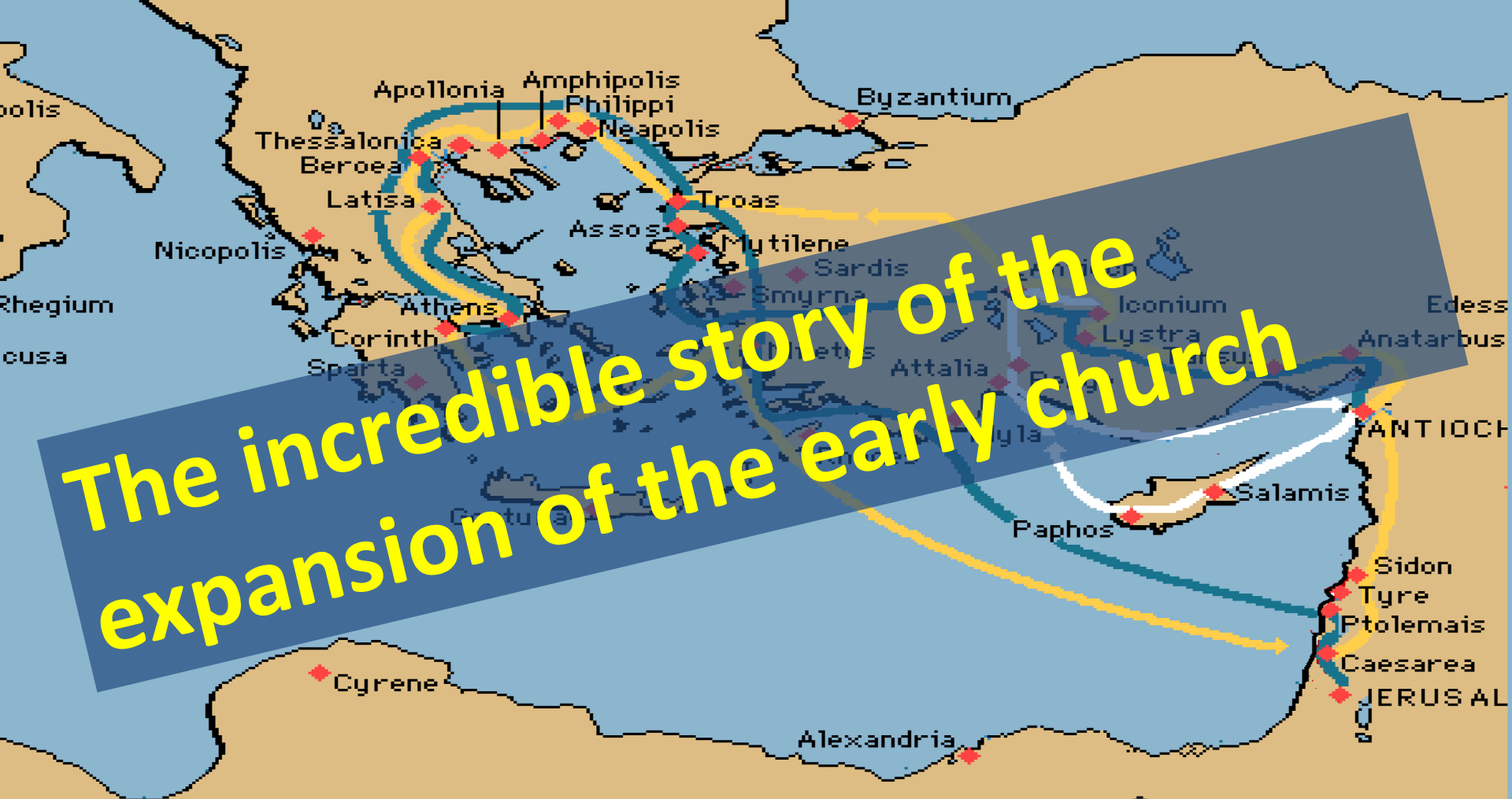


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How was it funded?



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1. Tithing



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The practice of giving the first 10% of your income to the church

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Two camps:

a) Tithing is the command of God

b) Tithing is Old Covenant and so not relevant

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Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices – mint, dill and cumin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law – justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practised the latter, without neglecting the former.

(Matthew 23:23)

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Relevant

Requirement

YES

NO – a grace

1. Tithing



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Sermon on the Mount:

“You have heard that it was said
. . . . But I tell you”

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JESUS RAISING THE BAR



1. Tithing



2. Freewill offering



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a) need

b) worship

c) thanksgiving



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