



## Holiday spending forecast

**\$800**  
projected average  
gift budget for 2017

**\$909**  
compared to a  
peak in 2007

Source:  
Gallup

## Daily commute done right

The average commute time in the U.S. is about 25 minutes. Make that daily drive a little easier with these time-, money- and sanity-saving apps:

**Waze:** Get real-time information about road hazards and traffic jams so that you can plan the best route.



**My Mechanic:** Catch small issues before they become big problems with this app from Mechanic Advisor, which provides service reminders and diagnostic info for your vehicle.

**GasBuddy:** Keep your wallet happy with GasBuddy, which finds the cheapest gas near you.

**Audible:** Stay entertained during your drive with thousands of audio-books and podcasts to choose from.

— Haley Shapley