

Everything we have is a blessing from God.

We are each made in the image of God. Stewardship is an invitation to develop our relationship with Him, and with each other, through a deepening of our prayer lives, joyfully participating more directly in the life of the Church and generously sharing all of our gifts. Today, we humbly open our hearts and begin to build the life we were made for.

PRAYER

An intentional steward is rooted in prayer.

We must recognize the gifts given to us each new day, and thank God daily for even the smallest blessings. Start each day by thanking God for all He has given you. You will soon find you are building a lifestyle of endless prayer.

PARTICIPATION

An intentional steward is committed to joyful participation.

You have a charism, a spiritual gift, given to you by the Holy Spirit. It must be nurtured to fulfill Christ's mission, and becomes an essential part of life of the Church.

GENEROSITY

An intentional steward is called to be generous.

God never asks anything of us that he has not already given. Jesus was God's first fruits, the best of humanity, which He gave up for us. We are asked to sacrifice the best we have for Him in trust that He will provide for us. Our generosity shows that we put God first in our lives, even before ourselves. Generosity means sharing all of your gifts, especially the ones that mean the most to you, including your money.

See reverse for a personalized Giving Guide.

Renew your covenant with the Lord to begin anew today.

- Begin each day with a prayer of gratitude.
- Engage more joyfully in the life of the Church.
- Use this giving guide on the right to help reveal how God is calling you to share your treasure.





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Personalized Giving Guide: WEEKLY GIVING TO YOUR PARISH

Yearly Income	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%
\$ 20,000	\$4	\$8	\$12	\$15	\$19
\$ 30,000	\$6	\$12	\$17	\$23	\$ 29
\$ 40,000	\$8	\$15	\$ 23	\$31	\$38
\$ 50,000	\$10	\$19	\$ 29	\$38	\$ 48
\$ 60,000	\$12	\$23	\$35	\$ 46	\$ 58
\$70,000	\$13	\$ 27	\$ 40	\$ 54	\$ 67
\$ 80,000	\$15	\$31	\$ 46	\$62	\$77
\$ 90,000	\$17	\$35	\$ 52	\$ 69	\$87
\$ 100,000	\$19	\$38	\$ 58	\$77	\$ 96



"Behold, I make all things new...I am the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give a gift from the spring of life-giving water." Revelation 21:5-6