

Stewardship of Treasure

I/we commit to God our treasure through the offertory during 2012.

Please prayerfully consider the previous "Stewardship Offertory Guidelines." When you have made a decision about your gift to the parish offertory, list it in the space below. Your commitment may be increased or decreased due to changing circumstances. It is up to you to follow through with your weekly commitment – you will not be billed for it!

\$ _____ will be my/our weekly gift to God through Saint Patrick Parish during 2012, via:

- ParishPay (electronic giving - if you are not already registered for ParishPay, the parish staff will contact you)
- Envelopes (if you are not already registered for envelopes, the parish staff will contact you)
- Other (please specify): _____

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SAINT PATRICK PARISH

2012 STEWARDSHIP

COMMITMENT BROCHURE

Sharing God's Gifts

At Saint Patrick Parish, we live the biblical spirituality of stewardship. We believe that all of our gifts come from God. We are stewards of God's gifts, called to use them in the service of God and others. As we live as Christian stewards, we grow in holiness and happiness. We also witness much new life in our families and in our parish.

Saint Patrick's parishioners make concrete plans each year for how we live out Christian stewardship. As individuals and families, we reflect on God's gifts of time, talent, and treasure, and then decide how to commit our gifts to the Lord. This Stewardship Commitment Brochure guides your stewardship reflections.

Please take time to read the brochure, and to pray about your 2012 stewardship commitment. When you are ready to make your commitment, fill out the Stewardship Commitment Form, and return it to the parish office, via mail or the collection basket. By also noting your 2012 commitments on this brochure, you will have a copy to keep at home.

Thank you for living as a Christian steward at Saint Patrick Parish!

In gratitude for God's superabundant gifts, I/we offer God the following commitment of time, talent and treasure through Saint Patrick Parish during 2012.

Stewardship of Time

I/we commit to God our time through prayer during 2012.

Please check your commitment(s). For households with multiple members, feel free to note individuals' names next to commitments.

- Spend fifteen minutes per day in personal prayer, reflecting on the day's Scripture readings (listed in the bulletin)
- Discuss the Sunday readings as a family for fifteen minutes once per week
- Pray the Rosary once per day for the intention of an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life
- Spend half an hour once per week reading and reflecting on the Gospel of Mark

- Visit Saint Patrick Church once per week to pray and reflect on the Stations of the Cross
- Participate in Eucharistic Adoration (Fridays, 12:00 to 7:00 pm) half an hour once per month
- Pray aloud as a family before every meal eaten together
- Read each day the story of the Saint of the Day (accessible through our parish's website) and reflect on the saint's life

Other:
