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CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM

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* indicates new stewards for 2009, please welcome them to our parish!

WHAT IS STEWARDSHIP?

Stewardship is our returning to God a portion of our **time, talents and treasures**. Stewardship places the responsibility to support the Church exactly where it belongs, on us. Stewardship allows our parish to maintain and grow its vital ministries. Stewardship is a spiritual offering that appeals to our generosity.

By completing and submitting a commitment card, you will be recognized as a committed steward of our parish for the current Stewardship year. Committed Stewardship is a foundational requirement to participate in the ministries of the parish.

HOW MUCH SHOULD I PLEDGE?

We ask that you prayerfully consider your 2009 Orthodox Christian Stewardship Commitment, commensurate with your resources and your gratitude for the bounties and blessings our Lord has bestowed on you.

Our parish is committed to an open stewardship program, without minimums or dues. Our goal is for stewardship to fulfill all the financial needs of our parish and its ministries. This translates to an average of approximately \$1200 per steward family.

As described in the 2009 Stewardship Program tri-fold brochure, the following chart is provided to assist you when considering the 2% level of the suggested **Proportionate Giving Plan**:

Annual income	Weekly	Monthly	Annually
\$ 25,000	\$ 9	\$ 42.....	\$500
\$ 50,000	\$ 19	\$ 84.....	\$1000
\$ 75,000	\$ 29	\$ 126.....	\$1,500
\$ 100,000	\$ 39	\$ 168.....	\$2,000
\$ 125,000	\$ 48	\$ 210.....	\$2,500
\$ 150,000	\$ 58	\$ 250.....	\$3,000

Also described in our brochure, is the **\$100 per Month Giving Plan**, whereby automatic payments are made to the church from your bank. Please consider an increase in your 2009 pledge to help accommodate our ever-increasing expenses and expected budget deficit for 2009.

STEWARDSHIP MESSAGE (UPDATED 4/12/2009)

Our 2009 Stewardship program is off to a great start. Many families have responded to the needs of the church by increasing their stewardship commitment for this year. If you have not submitted your 2009 commitment, please do so as soon as possible. You are not required to submit an offering towards your stewardship along with the card, so please do not delay!

Note that in order to partake in parish ministries such as Sunday School, Greek Dance, GOYA, Hope/Joy, etc., you must be a committed steward and in good standing. If you are unsure about your status or have any questions about our stewardship program, please feel free to contact Father Anastasios or the Stewardship Committee.

2009 STEWARDSHIP TREASURE PLEDGE SUMMARY (THROUGH 04/05/2009)

A Stewardship Pledge refers to a completed and received Stewardship Commitment Card. An annual monetary commitment must be included.

	2009 YTD Actual	2008 FINAL
Number of Pledges	104	182
Total Amount Pledged	\$ 83,048	\$ 110,360
Average Pledge Amount	\$ 799	\$ 606
Pledged as % of Budget^	69%	92%

^ stewardship treasure budget = \$120,000

2009 STEWARDSHIP TREASURE OFFERINGS SUMMARY (THROUGH 03/29/2009)

A Stewardship Offering is a contribution received and applied towards a Stewardship Pledge.

	2009 YTD Actual	2008 FINAL
Total Amount Received	\$ 40,942	\$ 115,296
Received as % of Budget	34%	96%

^ stewardship treasure budget = \$120,000

STEWARDSHIP TIME & TALENT NEEDS (UPDATED 04/12/2009)

Our parish always has needs for the service of stewards. Please review the list of needs below and contact the appropriate person to offer of your time and/or talent.

Description / Ministry	Timeline / Contact
Folding and Stuffing Mailers General Office Assistance	1-2 hours, approximately once a month Father Anastasios
Festival Helpers Parish Greek Festival	May, 14 - 17, especially on Thursday and Friday lunch service Kevin O'Neill, ksscr_oneill@verizon.net , (240)994-4397(cell) or (301) 528-7724 (home)
Ministry Chairperson Stewardship	For 2010 Program year (start October 2009), 1 year commitment Demetre Kavadias, stewardship@stspeterpaul.net