

St. Peter Catholic Parish

Stewardship Renewal 2015—2016

Time, Talent & Treasure Form

Name (First & Last) _____

Address _____

Email _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

We give thanks to God for all He has given us by supporting His church on earth.

All past stewardship information will be deleted, so please take the time to fill out this form.

Time

Our model for prayer is Jesus, who prayed with His disciples and often went aside to pray by Himself. Listed on this form are some suggestions for spending time with God in prayer. If we truly love the Lord, we will make time to be with Him in prayer. If we love our neighbor, we will find ways to help in the community. If we love our parish, we will seek out opportunities to spend time with other parishioners.

Fill in the bubble next to your time commitments below.

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| <input type="radio"/> Attend Mass every Sunday and on Holy Days | <input type="radio"/> Read the Bible for one hour each week |
| <input type="radio"/> Attend weekday Mass at least once a week | <input type="radio"/> Pray the Rosary at least weekly |
| <input type="radio"/> Spend 15 minutes daily in personal prayer | <input type="radio"/> Go to confession every month |
| <input type="radio"/> Pray together with my loved ones | <input type="radio"/> Schedule time for a spiritual retreat |

Talent

Refer to the Stewardship Renewal Catalog for specific ministry information.

Please bubble in those activities in which you would like to remain ACTIVE or are INTERESTED in joining.

Liturgical Worship

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| <input type="radio"/> Altar Server (for those who have received First Communion) | |
| <input type="radio"/> Lector (High School or older) | <input type="radio"/> Usher (Middle School or older) |
| <input type="radio"/> Sacristan | <input type="radio"/> Greeter (Middle School or older) |

Music

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| <input type="radio"/> Sunday Choir | <input type="radio"/> Seasonal Choir | <input type="radio"/> Cantor | <input type="radio"/> Instrumentalist |
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Faith Formation

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| <input type="radio"/> Adult Faith Study | <input type="radio"/> Catechist | <input type="radio"/> Catechist Aide | <input type="radio"/> Catechist Substitute |
| <input type="radio"/> Children's Liturgy of the Word | <input type="radio"/> Adult Core Team for Middle School | <input type="radio"/> Adult Core Team for High School | |
| <input type="radio"/> RCIA Team | <input type="radio"/> Small Group—Women, Men, Couples | <input type="radio"/> Women's Study Group | |
| <input type="radio"/> Vacation Bible School Volunteer | <input type="radio"/> Support for Faith Formation | | |

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Talent (continued)

Prayer

- Scheduled Adoration
- Elijah Cup
- Prayer Chain

Parish and Family Life

- Bulletin Assembly
- Church Cleaner
- Friends in Need
- Lazarus Ministry
- Grounds Beautification
- Knights of Columbus
- Legion of Mary
- New Member Welcome
- Nursery
- Parish Dinners
- Seasonal Decorating
- Sunday Coffee and Donuts
- Young Adults
- Around Town - Community Outreach

If you bubble an item listed below, you will be contacted by the Coordinator of Stewardship:

- I am not sure how I fit into the categories above, but I would like to get involved in some way.
- I have other talents, skills and interests that I could share with others.

Treasure

Each of you must bring a gift in proportion to the way the Lord God has blessed you.
Deuteronomy 16:17

Sacrificial giving is a gift of love; freely returning to God the first portion of what He has given you. Your financial contribution to your parish is vital to support all operations of the parish, including liturgies, catechesis and outreach services. Though everyone's contribution will be different, the Church uses the tithe (10%) as a scriptural benchmark. Parishioners are asked to give 5% to your parish, 1% to the diocese, and 4% to other charities. Each household is asked to budget a generous gift in proportion to your income. In thanksgiving for God's gifts, please prayerfully consider what your financial contributions to your parish will be.

With each contribution show a cheerful countenance, and pay your tithes in a spirit of joy.
Give to the Most High as he has given to you, generously, according to your means.
Sirach 35: 8-9

In prayerful thanksgiving for the many blessings bestowed and as a good steward of these gifts,

I/we commit my/our intent to return these portions of our income to the Lord,

assuming my/our health and personal affairs permit:

(please complete a weekly or monthly gift per household)

Weekly gift of x 52 = annually

Or

Monthly gift of x 12 = annually

I assume that my health and the health of my family and my personal affairs will permit me to carry out this intention and it is understood that I am the sole judge of these conditions.

*If we are to share our lives with others and generously give of ourselves,
we also have to realize that every person is worthy of our giving.
Not for their physical appearance, their abilities, their language, their way of thinking,
or for any satisfaction that we might receive,
but rather because they are God's handiwork, his creation.*

Evangelii Gaudium