

Our Mission...

The mission of the Stewardship Committee is to encourage our community to embrace a life of stewardship by fostering a joyful spirit, grateful heart, and a deeper appreciation of God's gifts. We strive to fulfill our baptismal calling by supporting the faith journey of our brothers and sisters by education and by praying for conversion as together we build the kingdom of God.

"In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak, remembering the words the Lord Jesus himself said: 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'"

- Acts 20:35

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Additional information about the Stewardship Ministry and the many ministries of St. Mary's can be found on St. Mary's web site at stmarysparish.org

***We are Stewards
of our Time & Talent***

Typical Activities

The Stewardship Ministry works throughout the year educate parishioners on the many services and ministries available at St. Mary through the Ministry of the Month program and by maintaining parish service and ministry opportunities on the parish web site. Annually, we host the Ministry Fair to celebrate, build awareness and encourage participation. The committee also hosts various activities throughout the year such as "The Parable of the Talents" and stewardship learning sessions. We also coordinate the opportunity for parishioners to recognize other parishioners for living the life of stewardship through the Shining Stars program.

When We Meet

As a committee, we meet monthly from September through June, to assess and respond to stewardship needs. We respond by organizing groups and activities that meet these needs and provide leadership to set the direction for future stewardship activities.

We participate by serving on other committees, Parish Ministries and sub-committees, We invite others to join us in this work and are always open to ideas, if you are interested in joining this committee please contact Msgr. Michael Rose or Kelly Paulina.



Front Row: Kelly Paulina, Joyce Bellerose, Joan Finnerty, Susan Zybert
Back Row: Len Bellerose, Ron & Kathy Thompson, Msgr. Michael Rose

Why We Exist?

Stewardship is a complete lifestyle, a life of total accountability and responsibility acknowledging God as Creator and Owner of all. Stewardship is responsible management of our God-given resources of time, talent, and treasure. It enhances our relationships with God and one another. Stewardship is living out a commitment to be Christ-centered rather than self-centered and involves a conversion of the heart. Stewardship is a lifelong journey with each person at a different place on the path. The Stewardship Committee exists to educate parishioners on the understanding of stewardship and to facilitate their efforts to live a life of stewardship.

Who We Are

We are stewards of our time & talent. This ministry is responsible for the ongoing stewardship educational efforts of the parish. Members of the ministry are faith-filled individuals committed to building a community of prayer and hospitality which welcomes and affirms all gifts. This ministry works closely with other standing ministries of the parish to ensure stewardship efforts are consistent and fulfill the parish mission.