## $\square$ Please add me to the parish email list. information time & talent $\square$ To help keep expenses down I no longer wish Individual stewards should indicate areas of interest with a to receive a paper copy of the monthly bulletin in check (✓). NAME the mail Families should mark "H" for husband, "W" for wife or "C" for Is Assumption your primary place of worship? children. $\square$ ves $\square$ no **EDUCATION** DATE OF BIRTH LITURGICAL Bible Study If no, where is your primary place of worship? Sanctuary & Altar Care Adult Religious Education Altar boys / Acolytes OCCUPATION Intro to Orthodoxy Preparing Prosfora/Koliva **Publications** treasure Choir/Chanter Speakers NAME OF SPOUSE (IF MARRIED) Reader In gratitude for God's blessings, I/we commit to Bookstore Greeter/Usher Christ and His church the following amount: Library DATE OF BIRTH per $\square$ week $\square$ month $\square$ year. MINISTRIES & PROGRAMS YOUTH Campus Ministry Church School Teacher Expected total for the year 2018: \$ Welcome Team OCCUPATION Church School Administration New Member Events I/we will make stewardship payments by: Youth Leader Outreach STREET ADDRESS □ check Vacation Church School Stewardship Camp Counselor $\Box$ one-time credit card charge for the full Sunday Fellowship / Coffee CITY / STATE / ZIP CODE Drive Aged/Shut-Ins **BUILDING & GROUNDS** $\Box$ credit card charged on the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month Garden & Landscape Visitation – Shut-ins $\square$ other: Plumbing Cooking for Homeless HOME PHONE Electrical Festival Baking The bank requires us to re-authorize credit cards Clean-up Philoptochos each year. Please provide the following info: MOBILE PHONE Interior Repairs Dance Ministry Exterior Repairs Sunday School Student Type of Card: $\Box$ Visa | $\Box$ MC | $\Box$ AmEx Roofing Short Term Mission Trips EMAIL ADDRESS Card # Hall Rentals Int'l Orth Christian Charities Exp Date: Billing Zip Code: OCMC Mission Center **Building Security** EMAIL ADDRESS OF SPOUSE (IF MARRIED) Parking Lot Monitoring Seniors Ministry Cardholder's Name as shown on card: Dependent Children's names and birthdates: Men's Ministry ADMINISTRATION All Saints Camp Accounting/Audit Team Meals for New Moms Signature required for authorization: By-Laws Development / Fundraising COMMUNICATIONS Web site & E-mail Office help **Dollar-A-Day Program (\$30 per Month)** Computer / Technical Bulletin & Newsletter Data Entry Public Relations All parishioners are asked to participate in this program to help pay for the planned church renovation. Any other talents or information on items listed above: ☐ Begin my participation in the dollar-a-day May we include your contact information program (if not already enrolled), using the in the parish directory? payment method selected above (you will be planned giving $\square$ ves $\square$ no If ves, please indicate any automatically re-enrolled in following years). ☐ Please send me information on making a planned gift information you would like excluded: ☐ Please increase my participation by an additional to the Church a $\square$ day $\square$ month $\square$ vear.

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

*How do I become a member of the parish?* 

Membership in the Orthodox Church begins at baptism (Chrismation for some) and continues throughout our life. We are united with Christ through the sacraments, or mysteries, of the Church and through our faithful offering of our entire selves to Jesus Christ. Our Archdiocese requires each parish to distinguish between voting members and non-voting members. A voting member is over 18 years of age and turns in a signed stewardship commitment card, committing a portion of time, talent and treasure to the Church. The Archdiocese also requires the voting member to remain current through the year on their commitments. Keep in mind that true membership in the Body of Christ involves living according to His word and within His Church.

Why must I commit to give a specific amount?

Please keep in mind that your stewardship of money is kept in the strictest of confidence. However, we do compile the amounts anticipated to better plan our budget.

What if I cannot fulfill my stewardship commitment?

During the course of a year, people's circumstances change. Your stewardship is valued because it is made out of your love for God and His Church. Please do not be concerned if you are unable to meet your stewardship commitment – we are glad you are a part of this parish.

## Christian Stewardship Is...

...learning how to be a responsible and concerned caretaker of Christ's Church; it is learning how to enjoy Church life and be happy in Church work., for in Her dwells the fullness of the Spirit of God.

...our active commitment to use all our time, talent and treasure for the benefit of humankind in grateful acknowledgment of Christ's redeeming love.

...caring for the needs of others.

...offering one's self to God as He offered Himself to us.

...what a person does after saying "I believe...", as proof of that belief.

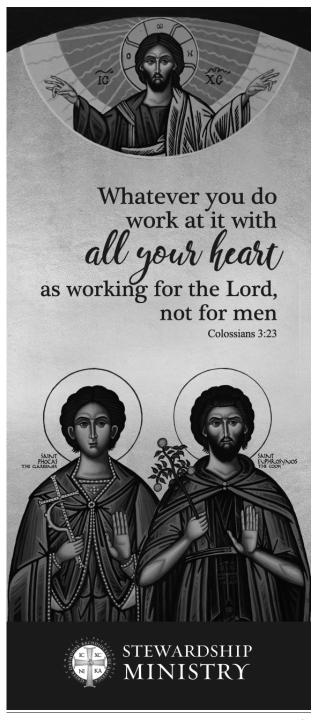
...devotion and service to God and His Church as persons, as families, as diocese/metropolis, as national Church and as Church universal.

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