

# information

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF SPOUSE (IF MARRIED) \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY / STATE / ZIP CODE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

MOBILE PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS OF SPOUSE (IF MARRIED) \_\_\_\_\_

Dependent Children's names and birthdates:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

May we include your contact information in the parish directory?

yes  no *If yes, please indicate any information you would like excluded:*

\_\_\_\_\_

Please add me to the parish email list.  
 To help keep expenses down I no longer wish to receive a paper copy of the monthly bulletin in the mail.

Is Assumption your primary place of worship?

yes  no

If no, where is your primary place of worship?

\_\_\_\_\_

## treasure

In gratitude for God's blessings, I/we commit to Christ and His church the following amount:

\$\_\_\_\_\_ per  week  month  year.

**Expected total for the year 2018: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

I/we will make stewardship payments by:

- check
- one-time credit card charge for the full amount
- credit card charged on the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month
- other: \_\_\_\_\_

The bank requires us to re-authorize credit cards each year. Please provide the following info:

Type of Card:  Visa |  MC |  AmEx

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder's Name as shown on card:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature required for authorization:

\_\_\_\_\_

### Dollar-A-Day Program (\$30 per Month)

*All parishioners are asked to participate in this program to help pay for the planned church renovation.*

- Begin my participation in the dollar-a-day program (if not already enrolled), using the payment method selected above (you will be automatically re-enrolled in following years).
- Please increase my participation by an additional \$\_\_\_\_\_ a  day  month  year.

# time & talent

Individual stewards should indicate areas of interest with a check (✓).

Families should mark "H" for husband, "W" for wife or "C" for children.

## EDUCATION

- Bible Study
- Adult Religious Education
- Intro to Orthodoxy
- Publications
- Speakers
- Bookstore
- Library

## LITURGICAL

- Sanctuary & Altar Care
- Altar boys / Acolytes
- Preparing Prosfora/Koliva
- Choir/Chanter
- Reader
- Greeter/Usher

## YOUTH

- Church School Teacher
- Church School Administration
- Youth Leader
- Vacation Church School
- Camp Counselor

## MINISTRIES & PROGRAMS

- Campus Ministry
- Welcome Team
- New Member Events
- Outreach
- Stewardship
- Sunday Fellowship / Coffee

## BUILDING & GROUNDS

- Garden & Landscape
- Plumbing
- Electrical
- Clean-up
- Interior Repairs
- Exterior Repairs
- Roofing
- Hall Rentals
- Building Security
- Parking Lot Monitoring

- Drive Aged/Shut-Ins
- Visitation – Shut-ins
- Cooking for Homeless
- Festival Baking
- Philoptochos
- Dance Ministry
- Sunday School Student
- Short Term Mission Trips
- Int'l Orth Christian Charities
- OCMC Mission Center
- Seniors Ministry
- Men's Ministry

## ADMINISTRATION

- Accounting/Audit Team
- By-Laws
- Development / Fundraising
- Office help
- Computer / Technical
- Data Entry

## COMMUNICATIONS

- Web site & E-mail
- Bulletin & Newsletter
- Public Relations

Any other talents or information on items listed above:

\_\_\_\_\_

## planned giving

Please send me information on making a planned gift to the Church

## 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.

*Williams & McKibben in Oriented Leadership*



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Whatever you do  
work at it with  
*all your heart*  
as working for the Lord,  
not for men

Colossians 3:23



STEWARDSHIP  
MINISTRY

2018 Commitment Card