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STEWARDSHIP AS OUR WAY OF LIFE
HOSPITALITY · PRAYER · FORMATION · SERVICE

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"Such as My Love has been for you ... so must your love be for each other."

Through Stewardship we thank God for all His blessings by returning to Him a portion of the time, talent and treasure He has given to us.

Included in this brochure is a commitment card for time, talent and treasure. After prayerful consideration please complete each card. Complete and place the commitment card in the envelope provided and bring to church on Commitment Sunday.

BE THE HEART & HANDS OF CHRIST IN 3 SIMPLE STEPS



Commit your Time to God



Commit your Talents in Service to Others



Commit your Treasure to Support our Parish and its Mission

Please enter in the spaces below the name of each family member and then write the corresponding number next to those activities in which that member is interested in sharing their talents.

Family Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Address: _____ City / State / Zip: _____

1. Individual _____ Age _____ Cell _____ Email: _____

2. Individual _____ Age _____ Cell _____ Email: _____

3. Individual _____ Age _____ Cell _____ Email: _____

4. Individual _____ Age _____ Cell _____ Email: _____



STEWARDSHIP OF TIME

What would it look like to give God 10% of our time? In a 24-hour day, that adds up to almost two and a half hours (2 hours, 24 minutes) of time given directly to God.

PRIMARY COMMITMENT TO GOD

- I will love the Lord my God with all my heart, with all my soul, with all my mind.
- I will love my neighbor as myself.
- I will attend Mass on all Sundays and Holy Days.
- I will attend Reconciliation at least once a year.
- I will spend time each day in personal prayer.

ADDITIONAL WAYS TO SPEND TIME WITH GOD

- I will attend weekday Mass.
- I will attend Stations of the Cross and Holy Week Services.
- I will spend time in Eucharistic Adoration.
- I will read the Bible or Sunday Scriptures each week.
- I will pray before meals and bedtime.

Additional brochures are available at the parish office and on the parish website at www.epiphanycathedral.org.



STEWARDSHIP OF TALENT

I = Interested in Joining A = Actively Involved

ADVISORY COUNCIL

- I A
- Endowment Council
- Home and School Association
- Finance Council
- Liturgy Committee
- Pastoral Council
- School Advisory Board
- Stewardship Council

COMMUNICATIONS

- I A
- Epiphany Parish Library
- Epiphany Star Newsletter

FAITH FORMATION

- I A
- Adult Faith Formation Committee
- Catechist
- Religious Education for Special Needs
- Living Your Strengths
- R.C.I.A.
- Vacation Bible School

HOSPITALITY

- I A
- Epiphany CCW
- Greeters
- Knights of Columbus #7052
- Knights of Columbus #7052, Ladies Auxiliary
- Meet & Greet Ministry
- Ministry Fair
- Senior Adult Activities
 - Light Exercise & Stretching
 - Knitting & Crocheting
 - Quilting
 - Mahjong
- Social Events
- Ushers

INTERCULTURAL CHURCH COMMUNITIES

- I A
- Polish Community
- Hispanic Community

INTERDENOMINATIONAL OUTREACH

- I A
- Al-Anon Family Groups
- Alcoholics Anonymous

LIFE ISSUES

- I A
- Arimatheans
- Bereavement Support Group
- Blood Drives
- Education for Life Committee
- Funeral Planners
- Respect Life Ministry
- Respite
- Samaritans

LITURGY

- I A
- Altar Circle
- Altar Servers
 - Adult
 - Children
 - Funerals
- Church Art and Environment
- Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers
 - Daily & Weekend
 - Homebound
 - Hospital
- Readers
- Sacristans

MUSIC

- I A
- Adult + High School Choir
- Adult + High School Ringers
- Adult Cantors
- Children's Choir
 - Little Ringers
 - Cherubs
 - Choristers
 - Junior Cantors
- Diocesan Choir
- Resurrection Choir

OUTREACH

- I A
- Family Promise
- Garage Sale
- GEM
- GEMINI
- Justice & Peace Apostolate
- Mercy House

PERSONAL SPIRITUAL GROWTH

- (Adoration, Bible Studies, Prayer Groups and Rosary)
- I A
 - Adorers of the Blessed Sacrament
 - Bible Study - Tuesday, A.M.
 - Bible Study - Tuesday, P.M.
 - Bible Study - Serendipity
 - Catholic Man Night
 - Centering Prayer
 - Cursillo
 - Divine Mercy Prayer Group
 - Emmaus Women
 - Epiphany Mom's in Faith and Fellowship
 - Epiphany Prayer Requests
 - Legion of Mary
 - Marian Movement of Priests' Cenacle
 - Parish Vocation Ministry
 - Prayer Companions
 - Prayer Partners
 - Respect Life Prayer Vigil Group
 - Rosary for Life Prayer Group
 - Rosary Prayer Groups
 - Spirit of Love Prayer Group (Charismatic)
 - Secular Franciscan Order, OFS

SERVICE

- I A
- Epiphany Memorial Garden Upkeep
- Epiphany Planters
- Epiphany Gift Shop
- Our Lady's Rosary Makers
- Parish Office Volunteers

YOUTH MINISTRY

- I A
- American Heritage Girls
- EDGE Youth Group (Grades 7 & 8)
- LIFE TEEN CORE Team Members/Teen Mentors
- LIFE TEEN Mass Cantors and Musicians
- LIFE TEEN Praise and Worship Band
- LIFE TEEN Readers
- LIFE TEEN Ushers/Greeters
- LIFE TEEN Youth Group (Grades 9-12)
- Young Adults (Ages 18-39)
- Youth Ministry Stewards (Hospitality and Office)