



Your Stewardship Guide for October

In prayer:

Abundant God, you made us in your image and breathed in us a spirit of generosity that is both gift and response. Move us, we pray, to give as we have received--abundantly, generously, and joyfully that our common ministry may ever bear witness to your unfailing grace. In the name of the Three in whom we are One.

Amen.

Through Worship:

This month will remind us through sermons and the singing of hymns of our 2021 Campaign: Cultivating our culture of generosity.

During Personal Discernment

Your stewardship, how you give of your time, talent and treasure, is a personal decision. As you consider your stewardship of God's creation:

Pray ~ Ask God to give you a clear vision of the prudent management of the resources you control.

Listen ~ Communication with God in prayer goes both ways, if we let it.

Observe ~ Evaluate what you have compared to the majority of people in the world.

Decide ~ Determine what portion of your resources should be returned to God for the benefit of others, in Christ's name.

Remember ~ Your commitment is based on your situation now. If your situation changes, it is appropriate that your pledge changes also.

Offer ~ Present your commitment of money to God at the Altar and offer your pledge of time and talent through participating all year long.

Fr. Ron Pollock, St. John's church shared his wise words.