

# ST. FRANCIS<sup>OF</sup> ASSISI

CATHOLIC CHURCH

## 2023 Parish Registration Form



### STEWARDSHIP

is the grateful response of a Christian Disciple  
who recognizes and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts  
in love of God and Neighbor.



*I HAVE BEEN* **Rescued** *HOW WILL I RESPOND?*

"This saying is trustworthy and deserves full acceptance:  
Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. Of these I am the foremost." — 1 Timothy 1:15

## Dear St. Francis of Assisi parishioners,

As you know, for ninety days I traveled the Western Hemisphere from Medjugorje to Jerusalem, from Jerusalem to Athens, from Athens to Fatima, from Fatima to Lourdes, and from Lourdes to Meinrad Archabbey, and from Meinrad to home. It was a phenomenal experience in many ways. But one of the most important “take-aways” I got out of my sabbatical was simply this: there really is no place like home!

In all my travels, never once did I see the amount of stewardship involvement like we have at St. Francis. In my time I saw two youth servers, one youth choir, a few lay lectors, and some ushers. But nothing like our parish here at home. The absence of active, visible stewards at liturgies made me yearn for home. Most Masses and parishes were run by religious men and women. Now, to be fair, I traveled mostly to pilgrimage sites, which operate differently than most parishes. At the same time, the absence of lay involvement made me realize how blessed we are as a parish family.

So many people are committed to the mission of the Gospel in so many ways: adult education, bible studies, ACTS retreats, funeral dinners, liturgical ministries, PSR students and volunteers, lawn mowers, ladies’ guilds, SFA Grade school, BCCHS high school and so many more! These are all a part of the mission of our parish, all of which is a result of our shared stewardship. Take a moment to consider how many benefits you have received through St. Francis parish: Mass, Adoration, faithful preaching, shared teaching, homebound visits, grief support, updated facilities, and beautiful grounds. Such blessings rise and fall with your faithful stewardship.

It is important, every year, to discern your part to play in the mission of your parish through stewardship. Each one of us must strive desperately to strengthen, or regain, stewardship habits, such as, attending Sunday Mass, giving time in service and prayer, and faithfully tithing! This cannot be an option for us. Please take a moment and ask yourself three questions:

**Are you - and your children - going to Mass on Sunday?**

**Are you finding ways to share your time in service and prayer?**

**Are you generously fulfilling your pledge to the parish to support its mission?**

Please support your parish as your parish supports you. Give of your time, talent, and treasure. This is the only way we can remain faithful to the mission of our parish:

***To be united in the Eucharist and formed as instruments of peace through the practice of stewardship in imitation of God’s Triune love.***

Sincerely in Christ,



Rev. C. Jarrod Lies, pastor

# HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION

Accurate household information is necessary for efficient communication and pastoral contact. Please correct any inaccuracies **DIRECTLY** on this document. The office will update the changes in the parish database.

Household			
<i>"Primary Phone" and "Primary Email" are the first methods used by the parish office for general contact and for parish-wide communications.</i>			
Family Name (Last Name Only):			
Parish & Town Where Married:		Anniversary Date:	
Primary Phone:			
Primary Email:			
Street Address:			
City, State, Zip:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Check here if you do NOT want your name(s) published in The Vernacular (our monthly newsletter).			

Adult Male/Father		
Name:		
Religion:		
Phone 1:		<b>If not indicated, please circle:</b> Home - Cell - Business
Phone 2:		<b>If not indicated, please circle:</b> Home - Cell - Business
Email:		
Birthdate:		
Marital Status:		
Occupation:		
Employer:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if you wish to enroll in <b>Flocknote</b> to receive parish-wide text messages and emails.		

## Adult Female/Mother

Name:		
Maiden Name (if applicable):		
Religion:		
Phone 1:		<b>If not indicated, please circle:</b> Home - Cell - Business
Phone 2:		<b>If not indicated, please circle:</b> Home - Cell - Business
Email:		
Birthdate:		
Marital Status:		
Occupation:		
Employer:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if you wish to enroll in <b>Flocknote</b> to receive parish-wide text messages and emails.		

## Dependent Children

Please list the name (including last name, if different) and birthdate of each dependent child.

If a child is no longer dependent, but still a member of St. Francis, we ask that he/she fill out his/her own registration form. Blank forms can be found in the church office.

Name	M/F	Birthdate MM/DD/YYYY	Baptism Y-N	Communion Y-N	Confirmation Y-N	School Grade	School Attending

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# TREASURE

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Envelope # \_\_\_\_\_

As stewards of our treasure, we reflect upon our financial resources and prayerfully decide to give a **generous, proportionate, and sacrificial** gift.

Parishioners in the Diocese of Wichita strive to commit **8 percent** of their gross annual income to the parish and **2 percent** to other charities. If this goal cannot be realized now, we encourage you to begin at some percentage and to prayerfully reexamine it each year.

## How to Calculate Your Tithe

If you earn \$4,000 a month, multiply \$4,000 by your desired percent of giving. For example: \$4,000 x 0.08 = \$320 a month to my parish.

### Your household's calculation:

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \$ & \underline{\hspace{2cm}} & \times & \underline{\hspace{2cm}} & = & \underline{\hspace{2cm}} & \\ & \text{(monthly income)} & & \text{(\% desired – eg. .08)} & & \text{(monthly gift)} & \end{array}$$

## Where Your Gift of Treasure Is Used

90% of every dollar you contribute remains in your parish serving our mission and needs. 10% of every dollar you contribute is tithed to the wider universal Church. Just as families make a generous, sacrificial, and proportionate gift, so does our parish.

### How is this 10% used by the Diocese of Wichita?

- To support all of the ministries of the diocese
- To educate our seminarians
- To supplement the retirement needs of our priests

### Just as our parish tithes to the diocese, the diocese tithes to the universal Church:

- No second collections because the diocese tithes 10% of her income to the wider universal Church

# Your 2023 Pledge

I/WE PLEDGE TO GIVE: \_\_\_\_\_

*Pledges take effect January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023*



- Weekly
- Monthly
- Annually

- Every 2 Weeks
- Quarterly

## Method of Payment

*Check all that apply*

- Envelopes at Mass
- Automatic Bank Draft (ACH)
- Online Giving (see QR code →)
- Bill Pay (through your bank)
- Give+ App
- Text-to-Give
- IRAs, Stocks, or Other



## Additional Giving Options

Scan the provided QR codes for quick access or visit the Stewardship menu tab [www.stfranciswichita.com](http://www.stfranciswichita.com)

### Rebuild My Church

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in supporting the **Rebuild My Church** campaign.

Contact Pat Burns for additional details at [pburns@stfranciswichita.com](mailto:pburns@stfranciswichita.com).

Visit [www.stfranciswichita.com/index.php/stewardship/rebuild-my-church-campaign](http://www.stfranciswichita.com/index.php/stewardship/rebuild-my-church-campaign) for more information.



### Matching Gifts

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in my Company's Matching Gift Program.

\_\_\_\_\_ My employer is noted in the previous Household section.

Visit [www.stfranciswichita.com/stewardship/online-giving](http://www.stfranciswichita.com/stewardship/online-giving) for more information.

### Legacy Giving

\_\_\_\_\_ I/We have remembered our parish or other diocesan ministries in my/our will.

\_\_\_\_\_ Please contact me about naming our parish or other diocesan ministries in my/our will.

Visit [www.stfranciswichita.com/stewardship/legacy-giving](http://www.stfranciswichita.com/stewardship/legacy-giving) for more information.



# TIME AND TALENT

## How to Fill Out This Section

- WRITE** the name of the appropriate person in the relevant box below:  
**A** = Adult; **Y** = High School Youth; **G** = 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Youth
- REVIEW** the major sections, first, and then consider the opportunities in the sections most interesting to you.
- VISIT** the “Ministries” tab on our parish website to find the comprehensive list for detailed descriptions.
- SHADE IN** the appropriate box next to the opportunities each member of the household wishes to choose.

**Feeling overwhelmed?** Feel free contact the front office for questions or suggestions.

### Sample Fill-in

A1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	O02	Parish Workday
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*Center column is for office use only*

## Names

Adult Male/Father:	<b>A1</b>	
Adult Female/Mother:	<b>A2</b>	
High School Youth (Fall 2023) 1:	<b>Y1</b>	
High School Youth (Fall 2023) 2:	<b>Y2</b>	
High School Youth (Fall 2023) 3:	<b>Y3</b>	
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Youth (Fall 2023) 1:	<b>G1</b>	
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Youth (Fall 2023) 2:	<b>G2</b>	
6 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Youth (Fall 2023) 3:	<b>G3</b>	



**YOUR ACTIVE STEWARDSHIP  
 FULLFILLS THE MISSION  
 OF OUR PARISH.  
 THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

### Communications Opportunities - Communications Council

A1	A2								C01	Creative Resources (Includes Graphic Design)
A1	A2								C02	Internet Committee
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3					C03	Parish Library
A1	A2								C04	Vernacular - Copy Editor
A1	A2								C05	Vernacular - Electronic Proofreader
A1	A2								C06	Vernacular - Layout Editor
A1	A2								C07	Vernacular - News Editor
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3		C08	Vernacular - Reporter/Writer
A1	A2								C09	Help with Mailings (a.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3		C10	Photographers Guild
A1	A2								C11	Theologians Guild
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3					C12	Video Production Guild

### Facilities and Finances Opportunities - Operations Council

A1	A2								O01	Finance Committee ( <input type="checkbox"/> Check if 10 Key proficient)	Licensed?	
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3		O02	Parish Workday		
A1	A2								O03	Architecture Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O04	Carpentry Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O05	Computer/Networking Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O06	Electrician Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O07	General Maintenance Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O08	HVAC Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O09	Interior Design Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O10	Landscaping Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O11	Mowing Guild		
A1	A2								O12	Plants and Greenery Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O13	Security Systems Guild	Yes	No
A1	A2								O14	Woodworking and Metal Fab Guild	Yes	No
		Y1	Y2	Y3					O15	Summer Weekly Workdays / Maintenance Help		

### Adult Education and Formation Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2								AE01	ACTS Men's Retreat
A1	A2								AE02	ACTS Women's Retreat
A1	A2								AE03	Tuesday Morning Bible Study
A1	A2								AE04	Tuesday Evening Bible Study
A1	A2								AE05	Wednesday Evening Bible Study
A1	A2								AE06	Sunday Morning Bible Study
A1	A2								AE07	Friday Morning Bible Study
A1	A2								AE08	Called and Gifted
A1	A2								AE09	God Squad
A1	A2								AE10	Harvest House
A1	A2								AE11	Kapaun's Men
A1	A2								AE12	Men's Prayer (Wed. a.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3		AE13	OCIA Adults and Children - Winter
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3		AE14	OCIA Adults and Children - Summer
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3					AE15	OCIA Adults and Children - Sponsor / Godparent
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3					AE16	OCIA Adults and Children - Hospitality
A1	A2								AE17	OCIA Adults and Children - Provide Snacks



A1	A2		AE18	OCIA Adults and Children - Program Assistance / Retreats
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### Affiliated Groups Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2		AG01	A Better Choice Volunteer (Pregnancy Services)
A1	A2		AG02	Birthline Volunteer (Pregnancy Services)
A1	A2		AG03	Catholic Charities
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	AG04	Center of Hope (Preventing Homelessness)
A1	A2		AG05	Courage / Encourage (Same-sex Attraction Support)
A1	A2		AG06	Gerard House
A1	A2		AG07	Guadalupe Clinic (Healthcare for the Uninsured)
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	AG08	Habitat for Humanity
A1	A2		AG09	Knights of Columbus
A1	A2		AG10	Legion of Mary
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	AG11	Midwest Catholic Family Conference
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	AG12	Padre Pio Prayer Group
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	AG13	Regnum Christi
A1	A2		AG14	Retrouvaille Marriage Ministry
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	AG15	Serra Club (Support vocations)
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	AG16	Seven Sisters Apostolate (Pray for Pastor and Associate Priests)
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	AG17	Spiritual Life Center
A1	A2		AG18	St. Dismas Prison Ministry
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	AG19	St. Theresa Lay Carmelites

### Evangelization Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2		E01	Home Visits
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	E02	Wildfire - Evangelization Formation (3 <sup>rd</sup> Tues. p.m.)

### Liturgical Life Opportunities - Pastoral Council

		Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L01	Altar Server	
		Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L02	Altar Server - Master (Grades 8-12)	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L03	Elijah Cup	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L04	Lector / Commentator - Weekend	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L05	Lector / Commentator - Weekday	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L06	Liturgical Vestments and Fabric	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L07	Liturgy of the Hours	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L08	Offertory Gifts	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L09	Sacristan	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L10	Mass Greeter (Mass time: _____) (middle school w/ parent only)	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L11	Music - 10:00 a.m. Choir	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L12	Music - Cantor	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L13	Music - Men's Choir	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L14	Music - Sacred Ensemble	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L15	Contemporary Music Cantor	Sat. 5 or 7 p.m.
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L16	Contemporary Music Musician	Sat. 5 or 7 p.m.
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L17	Organist	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L18	Shekinah <i>Circle: Cantor, Musician, Prayer Team</i>	
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3	L19	Pre-Mass Rosary Leader	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L20	Ushers (middle school w/ parent only)	Mass time:
A1	A2	Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L21	Welcoming Committee	Mass time:
		Y1 Y2 Y3 G1 G2 G3	L22	Youth Choir Member	

### Marriage and Family Life Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2				M01	Financial Peace University
A1	A2				M02	Mom's Day Out
A1	A2				M03	Natural Family Planning Instructor
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	M04	Nursery Babysitting - RCIA (Wed. Evenings)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	M05	Nursery Babysitting - Parish Events

### Parish Life Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	PL01	Church Cleaning - <i>Circle</i> : Mon. a.m. or Fri. a.m.
A1	A2				PL02	Meals for Priests

### Pastoral Care and Special Needs Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2				PC01	Bereavement Committee
A1	A2				PC02	Caring Hands Ministry (prepare food for those in need)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	PC03	Charities Committee
A1	A2				PC04	Funeral Dinners <i>Circle</i> : Prepare Food - Serve Food
A1	A2				PC05	Homebound Correspondence Ministry
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	PC06	Ministry with Persons with Disabilities
A1	A2				PC07	Mourning Light Ministry
A1	A2				PC08	Parish Nurse Ministry
A1	A2				PC09	Parish Nurse - Respite Care
A1	A2				PC10	Tobit's Ministry (Attend Wakes/Funerals)

### Prayer Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	P01	31 Club - Attend Mass for Vocations
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P02	Flame of Love Rosary Group (Thurs. p.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P03	Immaculate Heart of Mary Rosary Group (Tues. p.m.)
A1	A2							P04	Marian Mantel Rosary Group (Mon. a.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P05	Novena for the Deceased
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P06	Medjugorje Prayer Group (4 <sup>th</sup> Mon. p.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P07	Parish Prayer Committee
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P08	Perpetual Adoration - <i>Circle</i> : current - new
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P09	Perpetual Adoration - Substitute Only
A1	A2							P10	Prayer Chain - Morning
A1	A2							P11	Prayer Chain - Evening
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P12	Prayer Chain - Email
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				P13	Religious Vocations Committee
A1	A2							P14	Rosary Group (Thurs. a.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	P15	Vietnamese Prayer Group (3rd Sun. p.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	P16	Write to a Seminarian or Person Studying for Religious Life

### Respect Life and Social Justice Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2				R01	Compassion Without Borders (India)			
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	R02	Lord's Diner - 1st Tues. - <i>Circle</i> : current - new			
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	R03	Lord's Diner - 3rd Mon. - <i>Circle</i> : current - new			
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	R04	Respect Life Committee
A1	A2				R05	Society of St. Vincent de Paul			
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	R06	St. Anthony Family Shelter Meals - <i>Circle</i> : current - new			
A1	A2				R07	Voter Registration			

### Social Activities Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2							SA01	Adult Basketball
A1	A2							SA02	Adult Volleyball
A1	A2							SA03	Adult Pickle Ball
A1	A2							SA04	Family Fun Night - Planning Committee
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	SA05	Family Fun Night Volunteer
A1	A2							SA06	Mardi Gras Dance
A1	A2							SA07	Mary and Martha Guild
A1	A2							SA08	Mary and Martha Guild - Baking - <i>Circle</i> : current - new
A1	A2							SA09	Mary and Martha Guild - Wedding Reception Volunteer
A1	A2							SA10	Men's Club
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	SA11	Parish Dinner Volunteer
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	SA12	Parish Picnic Volunteer
A1	A2							SA13	Women's Bowling
A1	A2							SA14	Young Adult Gathering

### Youth Formation Opportunities - Pastoral Council

A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				Y01	Boy Scout Troop 762
A1	A2				G1	G2	G3	Y02	Cub Scout Pack 762
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				Y03	High School Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM) (Wed. 8–9:30 p.m.)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	Y04	Home School Formation
A1	A2				G1	G2	G3	Y05	Junior Catholic Youth Ministry (JCYM)
A1	A2				G1	G2	G3	Y06	Knights of St. Hubert
A1	A2							Y07	Little Flowers Leader (K–4 <sup>th</sup> Grade)
A1	A2							Y08	Parish School of Religion - Teacher/Catechist
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				Y09	Parish School of Religion - Co-teacher/Aide
A1	A2							Y10	Parish School of Religion - Office Assistant
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	Y11	St. Therese Girls Club (5th–8th Grade)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	Y12	Totus Tuus Volunteer

### Stewardship Opportunities – Stewardship Council

A1	A2							ST01	Baptismal Preparation Catechist
A1	A2							ST02	Marriage Preparation Catechist
A1	A2							ST03	New Parishioner Hospitality

### School Opportunities – School Council

A1	A2							S01	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (Trained Catechist Level: _____)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S02	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Catechist Assistant
A1	A2							S03	Catechesis of the Good Shepherd - Office Assistant
A1	A2							S04	Catholic School Council Member
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	G1	G2	G3	S05	Chess Club
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S06	Coach - Football (youth can only assist)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S07	Coach - Basketball (youth can only assist)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S08	Coach - Cheerleading (youth can only assist)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S09	Coach - Volleyball (youth can only assist)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S10	Coach - Track (youth can only assist)
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3				S11	Coach - Cross Country (youth can only assist)
A1	A2							S12	E.L.F. (Environmental Learning Facility) Garden Activities
A1	A2							S13	Home & School Parent Teacher Organization
A1	A2							S14	Lunch Room

A1	A2				S15	Resource Room
A1	A2				S16	Stewards in the Classroom
A1	A2				S17	Substitute Classroom Teacher
A1	A2	Y1	Y2	Y3	S18	Used Uniform Sale
A1	A2				S19	Work Concession Stand
A1	A2				S20	Work Tournament Gate

### Was an opportunity not listed?

If any of your desired opportunities, talents, or skills were not represented above, please suggest them here.

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### How can your parish serve you better?

We welcome your questions, comments, and suggestions.

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# LIVING A STEWARDSHIP WAY OF LIFE

## FREELY GIVE OF YOUR TIME, TALENT, & TREASURE



**TIME** IS A VERY PRECIOUS GIFT FROM A STEWARD.  
 THE KEY QUESTION IS: HOW CAN WE SHARE OUR TIME FOR THE LOVE OF GOD AND NEIGHBOR?  
 "AS LONG AS IT IS DAY, WE MUST DO THE WORKS OF HIM WHO SENT ME." JOHN 9:4



JESUS WARNS ALL OF US TO NOT TO BURY OUR **TALENTS**.  
 YOUR SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE BUILD UP OUR PARISH COMMUNITY.  
 "USE YOUR GIFTS TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER AS FAITHFUL STEWARDS." 1 PETER 4:10



CHRISTIAN STEWARDS ARE CALLED TO SUPPORT THE PARISH WITH THEIR **TREASURE**.  
 FINANCIAL SACRIFICE THROUGH TITHING REMINDS US TO RELY ON GOD TO MEET OUR NEEDS.  
 "FOR WHERE YOUR TREASURE IS, THERE YOUR HEART WILL BE ALSO." MATTHEW 6:21

# St. Francis of Assisi Grade School Student(s)

## Parish Stewardship Commitment Form

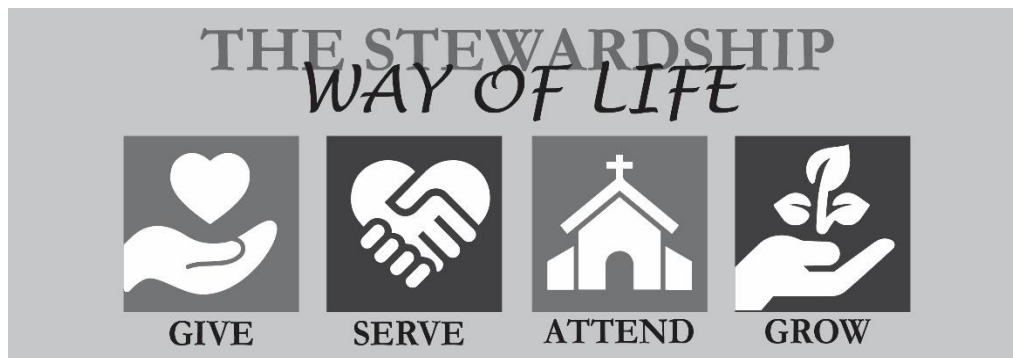
### 2023-24 School Year - St. Francis of Assisi Parish

*Stewardship is the grateful response of a Christian Disciple who recognize and receives God's gifts and shares these gifts in love of God and Neighbor.*

### The Parish

The Catholic Church offers to every member the benefits of Mass and the Sacraments, numerous opportunities for private devotion, prayer groups, and public liturgy, and a variety of parish ministries such as sacramental preparation, faith formation, and service to those in need.

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Date:

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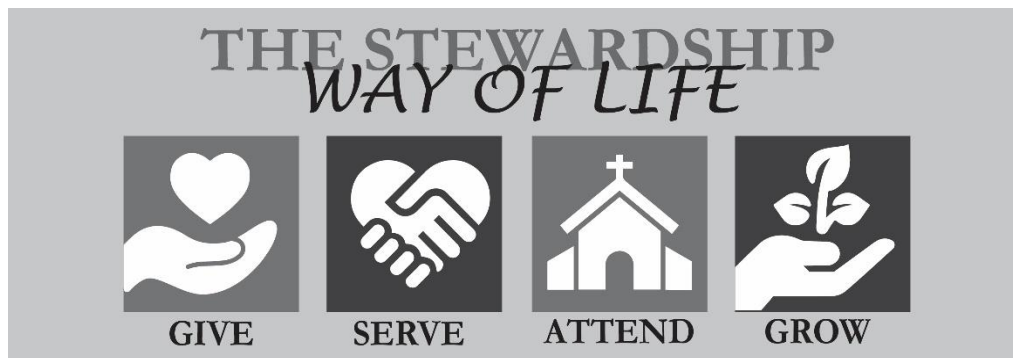
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<b>High School Student Name (Print):</b>		BCCHS KMC	
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