

YOUR GRATEFUL DISCIPLES PLAN

LITURGICAL SEASON	SEASONAL FOCUS POINTS	FORMATION/ COMMUNICATION <i>What will we do?</i>	HOW WILL IT BE DONE AND WHO WILL DO IT?	WELCOME/ HOSPITALITY/ ENGAGEMENT <i>What will we do?</i>	HOW WILL IT BE DONE AND WHO WILL DO IT?	COMMITMENT/ RENEWAL/ GRATITUDE <i>What will we do?</i>	HOW WILL IT BE DONE AND WHO WILL DO IT?	NOTES
ADVENT/ CHRISTMAS	<p>Advent: preparing to welcome the Christ-child and those who come to be with us</p> <p>Christmas: Incarnation making Christ's presence known</p>							
WINTER ORDINARY TIME	<p>New year: resolutions and making a new commitment to Christ, to growing as good stewards</p> <p>Epiphany: bring your gifts, Discipleship is never "ordinary"</p>							
LENT	<p>Pray, fast, give</p> <p>Walk with Jesus, let Jesus walk with you</p> <p>Following Jesus involves sacrifice and commitment</p>							
EASTER	<p>Joy of giving, evangelization, mission</p>							
PENTECOST	<p>The Holy Spirit strengthens us to embrace stewardship, each is given gifts</p>							
SUMMER ORDINARY TIME	<p>We still live in faith during the summer, finding meaning as disciples in special moments</p>							
AUTUMN ORDINARY TIME	<p>Stewardship of creation, family</p> <p>Discipleship and stewardship</p> <p>Meaning and Purpose, our need to give</p> <p>Thanksgiving, gratitude, stewardship as outpouring of God's love.</p>							