

General Responsibilities of a Stewardship Core Team/Commission

*Developed from resources published by dioceses across the country*

* Commit to personal study and reflection on stewardship.
* Collaborate with the Pastor and Pastoral Council to develop a comprehensive parish stewardship plan.
* Develop and implement the parish stewardship plan.
* Collaborate with committees and ministry leaders to incorporate stewardship messaging and practices through all areas of ministry.
* Design a plan for on-going stewardship education and formation.
* Develop and implement annual renewals of time, talent, and financial resources.
* Create communications that highlight activities and individuals modeling stewardship as a way of life.
* Assist with the development of an annual “stewardship report” or “parish life report” that shares ministry highlights, sacramental statistics, and other good news items within the Family of Parishes.
* Lead hospitality and welcoming efforts with the Family of Parishes, with a special focus on welcoming and engaging new parishioners.
* Create ways to ensure that all parishioners feel they are valued members of the community.
* Manage efforts to acknowledge and thank ministry leaders and volunteers.