



Saint Maria Goretti
Catholic Church

Stewardship

of TREASURE

*“As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another.”
As good stewards of God’s varied grace.” (1 Peter 4:10)*

Stewardship of treasure involves reflecting on one’s financial resources and prayerfully deciding to give a generous, proportionate, and sacrificial gift for the ministry of the Gospel accomplished by our parish. This gift is from the “first fruits of our labor” rather than from what is left over after all our other uses. Such a gift is an act of faith, an act of worship, an act of stewardship.

Parishioners at Saint Maria Goretti Church strive to give 6% of one’s income to the parish and 4% to other charities. Some parishioners are giving even more! If this goal cannot be realized now, it is encouraged to begin at some percentage and to prayerfully work towards it year after year. Here is how it works:

Earning \$500 a week, would look like:

\$500 x .06 (6%) = \$30 a week to my parish
\$500 x .04 (4%) = \$20 a week to
other Catholic charities and needs

Earning \$5,000 a month, would look like:

\$5,000 x .06 (6%) = \$300 a month to my parish
\$5,000 x .04 (4%) = \$200 a month to
other Catholic charities and needs

\$ _____ (weekly or monthly income) x _____ % (eg. 6% is .06, 5% is .05, etc.)
= \$ _____ (amount to be given)

I/WE PLEDGE TO GIVE:

\$ _____ Weekly \$ _____ Every 2 Weeks \$ _____ Monthly \$ _____ Other

THIS GIFT REPRESENTS AN:

Increase No Change First Year to Tithe First Year to Contribute

SIGNATURE _____ DATE ____ / ____ / ____

NAME (Please Print) _____ PARISH ENVELOPE # _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY / STATE / ZIP _____

EMAIL _____ PHONE _____

Please send me/us information regarding:

- On-Line Giving
- Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)
- My/Our parish or school in my/our will
- Transferring stocks or funds from a retirement fund or IRA.
- Saint Maria Goretti Church is in my/our will.
- Saint Maria Goretti School is in my/our will.