

Stewardship – It's Our Turn!

For the past 90 years, St. George Terre Haute has been a beacon of hospitality and ministry within the Greater Terre Haute community. We have a rich history that has involved much labor, dedication, and determination from our founders. Our forefathers and mothers are shining examples of good stewards, desiring to continue living out their Faith in America for their children and grandchildren, as well as those seeking the Truth of the Gospel. We, as they were, are stewards – realizing that anything and everything good we have or do is from the LORD.



*“Stewardship is offering
one’s self to God as He
offered Himself to us.
Stewardship is what a person
does after saying ‘I believe...’
as proof of that belief.”*

A steward is someone who handles affairs for someone else. In ancient kingdoms, stewards ran the country in the absence of the king. Upon the king’s return, the steward gave a full account for his or her actions. However, a steward did not own the kingdom and joyfully acknowledged that the king has full dominion. As Orthodox Christians, we boldly proclaim that the King is present, “CHRIST is in our midst!” And at the same time, He is coming just around the corner to hear our accounts. When He comes, how will we answer when He asks, “What have you done with My talents?” You are the steward, and CHRIST expects us to do something with the gifts He has entrusted to our care.

Stewardship returns to Him, our King, what is already His so that we as His body may do the ministry that has been entrusted to us. As we approach this great undertaking, we must realize that maintaining the Church and her growth is not the duty of only a few, but the joyful responsibility of ALL her children. May the Holy Spirit guide your heart as you make your financial commitment to your home of St. George Terre Haute!

Offering service to our LORD,

Rev. Fr. Paul Fuller, Pastor

Mr. Kal Ellis, Parish Council President

Guide to Proportionate Giving

Annual Income	10%	8%	6%	4%
\$25,000	\$2,500	\$2,000	\$1,500	\$1,000
\$35,000	\$3,000	\$2,800	\$2,100	\$1,400
\$40,000	\$4,000	\$3,200	\$2,400	\$1,600
\$60,000	\$6,000	\$4,800	\$3,600	\$2,400
\$80,000	\$8,000	\$6,400	\$4,800	\$3,200
\$100,000	\$10,000	\$8,000	\$6,000	\$4,000
\$120,000	\$12,000	\$9,600	\$7,200	\$4,800
\$150,000	\$15,000	\$12,000	\$9,000	\$6,000

Membership & Pledge History & Analysis

Fiscal Year	Total Pledging Units	\$1	\$500	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$5,000	Over
		- \$499	- \$999	- \$1,999	- \$2,999	- \$4,999	- \$9,999	\$10,000
2013	72	15	21	20	6	7	1	2
2014	77	23	21	14	10	4	2	3
2015	76	24	20	15	7	5	5	0
2016	77	20	17	20	10	5	2	3

About Membership & Pledge Commitment Form

- To let us know that you call St. George Terre Haute your home and that we have updated contact information for you and your family.
- Pledge commitments will allow us to meet the needs of our 2017 Operating Budget and make financial decisions.
- Every dollar allows us to further grow our ministry programs, beautify our Sanctuary, and expand or update our parish facilities.
- Submit your Membership and Pledge Commitment Form by December 31, 2016.
- We request that all members submit a new Membership and Pledge Commitment Form at the beginning of every year!