



2015 Stewardship Appeal Time & Treasure Intention Sheet

Please complete both sides of this sheet:

- ✦ We ask that you consider AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWAL for your stewardship contributions. Sign up using the Faith Direct form enclosed, or by going online to: www.faithdirect.net
- ✦ Return this sheet along with the Faith Direct form (if you are choosing automatic withdrawal) by dropping into the collection basket or mailing directly to the Parish office.

**We encourage you to prayerfully consider a goal of donating 5% of your income to the Parish.
In thanksgiving for God's many blessings, I/we intend to make the following financial commitment to
St. Patrick's Parish during the coming year (2015)**

<p>I/we plan to contribute toward Sunday giving per month:</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">\$ _____</p> <p>I/we plan to give the following with:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Envelopes</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Automatic Withdrawal (see Faith Direct form)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">What is a proper tithe?</p> <p>Most importantly, you or your family's tithe must come from your heart. There are many different formulas out there to tithe 10% but the most common one is as follows:</p> <p>5% tithe to your local Parish 1% tithe to your local Archdiocese 4% tithe to charities of your choice 10%</p> <p>Again, what do you feel God is calling you to do with the gifts He has bestowed upon you?</p>
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___ I already participate in the automatic withdrawal program but would like to INCREASE my current withdrawal by 3% (please log into your account and make the increase, or feel free to call the Parish business office for assistance)

___ I do not currently participate in automatic withdrawal from my checking account, credit or debit card, but I would like to start. Please fill out the enclosed Faith Direct enrollment form.

Spending Time with God in Prayer

Prayer is the beginning of stewardship. Only when we spend time with God in prayer are we spiritually prepared to offer ourselves in service to others.

Here are some suggestions regarding spending time with God in prayer, **I/We plan to:**
***Please Check all you Plan to Do**

- _____ ✦ Attend Mass and participate fully
- _____ ✦ Attend an hour of Adoration weekly for our Parish family (you will be contacted to choose an hour)
- _____ ✦ Spend 15 minutes a day in personal prayer
- _____ ✦ Pray together as a family
- _____ ✦ Pray the Rosary each week with my family for our Parish family
- _____ ✦ Read the Bible, books about our faith and the saints
- _____ ✦ Schedule time for a spiritual retreat
- _____ ✦ Attend special events at St. Patrick's, especially during Advent and Lent

I have reviewed the ministry catalog and the personal information on the opposite side of this document, and have indicated any further ministries of interest within my family

Signed: _____

**Please contact the Parish office if you have any questions at 402-721-6611 or
email rkortan@stpatSFremont.org**