

St. Thomas More
Community

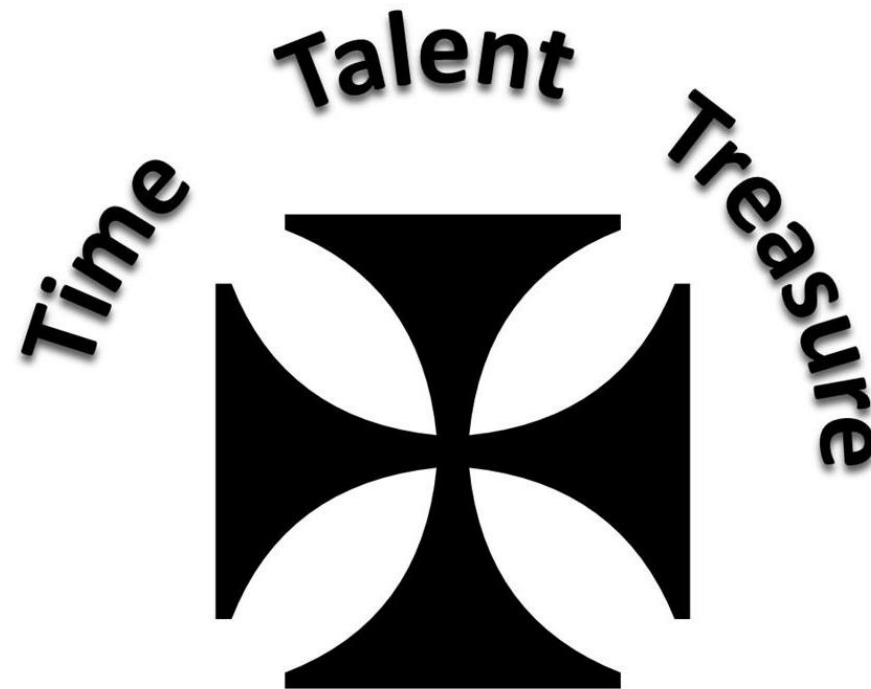
**A Parish
Committed
to
Stewardship**

Stewardship
Commitment Card
2011-2012

Putting God at the Center of Our Lives

Jesus' message to us in the Gospels is simple and clear: nothing is more important than loving God and loving our neighbor as ourselves.

Stewardship is about recognizing *all* of God's gifts to us (not just money). It's about receiving them gratefully and sharing them with others. The gifts of stewardship are our time, our talents, and our possessions. These are the three things that make up our lives. All of them can be used selfishly or for God's glory as Jesus taught us.



NURTURING YOUR FAITH & SHARING YOUR GIFTS THROUGH THE MINISTRIES AT ST. THOMAS MORE

LITURGY & MUSIC

- Altar Server (minimal age is 10 or 3rd grade)# 1
- Art & Environment.....# 2
- Audio Ministry# 64
- Bereavement Committee# 3
- Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion # 4
- Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion to the Sick# 5
- Lector# 7
- Linen Care# 8
- Ministers of Hospitality# 9
- Ministry to the Hearing Impaired# 57
- Music Ministry (Vocal)# 10
- Music Ministry (Instrumental).....# 11

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

- Adult Confirmation# 95
- Baptism Preparation for Parents# 23
- Confirmation Catechist.....# 26
- Engaged Sponsor Couple (Marriage Preparation) # 27
- Older Student Sacrament Catechist# 29
- R.C.I.A. Sponsor# 31

PASTORAL CARE

- Gabriel Project (Crisis pregnancy assistance).....# 51
- Good Samaritan Meal Ministry# 52
- Grief Support Group.....# 88
- Job Seekers# 83
- Landings (Outreach to inactive Catholics)# 56
- New Adventures Respite Program.....# 79
- Respect Life Ministry# 59
- Sewing Help# 73
- Transitions Ministry# 82

SOCIAL OUTREACH

- Advent Giving Tree Committee# 96
- Angel Food Ministry# 84
- Blood Drive Volunteer# 49
- Habitat for Humanity.....# 53
- STM Hospitality Network# 55
- St. Vincent de Paul Society# 60
- Social Justice Committee.....# 61

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

- Sunday School Catechist# 17
- Elementary Catechist# 13
- Middle School Catechist.....# 15
- Life Teen Core Team.....# 14
- Nursery Volunteer (During R.E. times).....# 16
- Preschool Volunteer.....# 72
- Vacation Bible School# 18

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

- Adult Faith Formation – Catechist/Facilitator ..# 19
- Adult Faith Formation - Participant.....# 20
- Adult Faith Formation - Volunteer# 89
- Financial Peace University# 77
- Library Volunteer# 68
- “Our Lady of Grace” Bible Studies# 87

MARRIAGE & FAMILY LIFE

- Catholic Single Parents.....# 50
- Couples of Faith.....# 35
- Families of Faith.....# 37
- Mothers of Young Children (MOYC)# 43
- Mothers of School-Age Children (MOSAiC)# 90
- Natural Family Planning.....# 91
- Nursery Volunteer (During liturgies, parish activities, etc.)# 70
- Worldwide Marriage Encounter# 63
- Young Married Couples# 80

PRAYER

- Contemplative Prayer# 24
- Holistic Touch# 28
- Prayer Blanket Ministry.....# 85
- Prayer Line# 30
- Theresians# 32

RETREATS

- Christ Renews His Parish (CRHP)# 25
- Eagle’s Wings Retreat Center.....# 12

** Please use this form to sign up for any ministries in which you want to serve during the next 12 months.*

** Please complete the gifts of treasure section even if you are not filling out the Time & Talent section.*

** Return the tear-off portion to the parish and keep the remainder of the card for your records.*

COMMUNITY

- 2535 Catholic Crossings # 92
- Boy Scouts - Adult Volunteer..... # 33
- Cub Scouts - Adult Volunteer..... # 36
- Girl Scouts - Adult Volunteer # 39
- Coffee & Donuts Volunteer # 34
- Communitas – Small Faith Communities # 93
- Fun Fest Planning Volunteer # 38
- Knights of Columbus # 40
- Men’s Club # 42
- Round Robin Dinner Groups # 46
- STM Ones (Singles group for adults 45+).... # 44
- “That Man is You” Men’s Group # 86
- Welcome & Registration Event Volunteer ... # 47
- Young at Heart..... # 48

PARISH SUPPORT

- Bulletin Stuffer Volunteer..... # 94
- Christian Gift Store Volunteer # 66
- Cooking & Baking # 67
- Maintenance Ministry # 69
- Office Assistance Volunteer # 71
- Technical Support Committee # 76
- Telephone Volunteer..... # 75

Family Information

Family Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Phone: _____

E-mail addresses: _____

If you are not a registered parishioner at St. Thomas More, then please call the parish office at 512-258-1161.

Stewardship of Time & Talent

List the <u>first name</u> of each family member that is signing up for a ministry	List the ministry number(s) that he or she wishes to serve in during the next 12 months.
<i>Example – Cathy</i>	4, 15, 49
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

Stewardship of Treasure

In prayerful thanksgiving for the many blessings from God, this is my/our tax-deductible, financial offering as a sign of gratitude. *Please indicate one of the gift frequencies below.*

\$ _____ Weekly \$ _____ Monthly \$ _____ Yearly

----- *e-steward program* (electronic contributions) -----

If you are a current user of our e-steward program where your gift is taken directly from your checking account or want to become a new user, please fill out the section below:

- I want to become a new e-steward. Please contact me.
- Please keep my *e-steward* withdrawal amount and day the same.
- I want to make changes to my *e-steward*. Please change my withdrawal amount to:
 - 5th of the month \$ _____
 - 20th of the month \$ _____
 Effective date of change (MM/YYYY): _____

Signature: _____