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### AT-A-GLANCE... October's Stewardship Resources for your Parish

#### October 1<sup>st</sup> – Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Bulletin Reflection:** In today's Gospel, Jesus talks about the importance of doing God's will. Walk the walk, don't just talk the talk.

**Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Service:** As Catholics, we are called to put our faith in action. Put yourself at the service of others. Perhaps you have an elderly friend or family member who could use your assistance with something or you know someone who is lonely who could enjoy some company—show your Christian love to all!

**General Intercession:** For our parish, that we can be welcoming to all who visit us and share the Good News to them with courage. We pray to the Lord...

## October 8th - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Bulletin Reflection:** In today's Gospel, Jesus uses a parable to explain how Israel is turning against God and His Son.

**Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer:** Whenever we are down or feeling anxious, we must turn to God in prayer. As we hear in the Second Reading, turning to God in prayer, with thanksgiving, will help us in all of our struggles.

**General Intercession:** For those who are anxious and need to feel God's loving presence. We pray to the Lord...

# October 15th - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Bulletin Reflection:** In today's Gospel, Jesus tells another parable as a warning to Israel, similar to the past weeks, about the importance of following God in word and deed.

**Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Hospitality:** This week, if you are able, perhaps pick up extra groceries to donate to your parish's food pantry.

General Intercession: For all those living in need in our communities. We pray to the Lord...

### October 22<sup>nd</sup> – Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Bulletin Reflection:** As we hear in today's First Reading, there is only one God, our God. **Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Formation:** As Catholics, we should always strive to deepen our faith.

**General Intercession:** For all the families in our parish, that they may grow closer to the Lord as a family. We pray to the Lord...

# October 29th - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Bulletin Reflection:** In today's Gospel, Jesus tells us that the greatest commandment is to love God with all our being and the second is to love our neighbor as ourselves.

**Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Hospitality:** Think about this: how are YOU concretely loving God and neighbor in your life?

**General Intercession:** For all the souls in purgatory. We pray to the Lord...