



Formation



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

### September 5<sup>th</sup> – Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus opens the ears and loosens the tongue of the deaf man.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Formation:* In today's First Reading, we are called to preach the Good News to all we come across. You may be the vessel and witness to God that someone needs; your testimony may change someone's life.

*General Intercession:* For those who do not know the love of Christ. We pray to the Lord...

### September 12<sup>th</sup> – Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In the Second Reading, James is explaining the importance of works in our Faith. He writes, "So also faith of itself, if it does not have works, is dead."

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Hospitality:* When we are hospitable to others, we are not only practicing stewardship but we are also showing our faith in Christ. We are saying, with our actions, that Jesus is the Christ and we follow Him.

*General Intercession:* For the souls of those who died 20 years ago on September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2001. We pray to the Lord...

### September 19<sup>th</sup> – Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus tells His disciples that whoever wishes to be first must become humble and be a servant to all.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Service:* As Christians, we are called to serve others. Find one way this week, you can be of service to someone (perhaps a neighbor, an elderly relative, etc.).

*General Intercession:* For all children, especially the unborn, the orphaned and those with disabilities. We pray to the Lord...

### September 26<sup>th</sup> – Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

*Bulletin Reflection:* In today's Gospel, Jesus stresses the importance of becoming a better person and rooting out the sin in your life.

*Living Stewardship ~ Pillar of Prayer:* If you have not been to confession in a while, make time to go to confession this week. Your action will be so pleasing to God!

*General Intercession:* For those who have been away from the Church, that they may return and experience God's love and mercy. We pray to the Lord...