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Office of Parish Stewardship

We are pleased to present our October issue of **ONE FAMILY IN MISSION** newsletter. We invite you - as part of that **FAMILY** - to share articles, best practices and any other items that you believe would benefit our community of Stewards. Please send them to tzalud@drvc.org.

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Called to Evangelize

As Stewards of the Catholic Faith, we should strive to delve deep into the beautiful traditions and prayers of our Faith. One such traditional prayer is one that is, perhaps, most thought of when one thinks of Catholicism: The Rosary. One could imagine, that most Catholic households have a Rosary (even if that household does not practice the Faith)— you probably have one, too! Do you pray the Rosary? Do you know all of the mysteries of the Rosary? If not, perhaps spend the last few days of October learning about this wonderful prayer weapon. After all, this month is dedicated to the Rosary.

If you do have an understanding of the Rosary, but do not pray it, perhaps this could also be the month you start this practice. Even if you pray just one decade of the Rosary (meditate on the mystery, pray the short prayers, Our Father and 10 Hail Mary's) a day or just one full Rosary per week, that is a great start! Ask the Holy Spirit to give you the patience and energy to make the Rosary a part of your spiritual life. The Blessed Virgin would love to hear you pray the Rosary, and your efforts will be pleasing to Our Lord.

The month of October is also Respect Life month. This month, use the Rosary as your way to pray for Life in our country. Pray especially for pregnant mothers who are contemplating abortion, that the Lord may guide them, comfort them and give them the courage to choose life over death. Dedicate each Rosary you pray (or a Decade of the Rosary) for those women, the end of abortion in our country and an end to the death penalty and euthanasia.

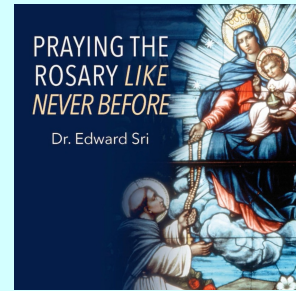
When you pray the Rosary, you will notice your prayer life grow stronger. Give it a try! And remember, when you pray, think of how close you are to the Blessed Mother and Her Son, Our Lord, Jesus Christ. We encourage you to give the Rosary a try, you will be happy you did.

Click [HERE](#) for ways to practice the Pillars of Stewardship in your life today! Praying the Rosary is one way you can practice the Pillars in your prayer life!

Click [HERE](#) to read a guest blog in honor of Respect Life month!

Formed Stewardship Content of the Month

Each month, our office suggests Stewardship content from Formed.org that will help you grow in the faith! If you are not signed up with Formed.org, check with your parish to see if they have a subscription. This month, we recommend "Praying the Rosary Like Never Before".



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