



Inspire - Invite - Thank

Five Stewardship Tips You Can Incorporate Now

1. When you send receipts, add a note of thanks and mention some of the good things that happen because of donations. Receipts should never go out with nothing else in the envelope.
2. When a connection can be made, link themes from the day's readings to your congregational life. Thank those who support the church from the pulpit.
3. Call two people every week to say thank you for their volunteer hours and/or their support or just to connect.
4. Talk to newcomers and welcome them back – ask for their contact info – send them info about the parish, or your narrative budget.
5. Bulletin inserts: add a “grateful statement” – what are you grateful for? Volunteers, the children, the flowers, the donations, the attendance? Or, add a line to remind people to leave a legacy gift in their will or to encourage pre authorized payments.