

Dear Parishioner,

St. Nicholas is our spiritual home. It is a place of prayer, comfort, spiritual healing, and celebration. You may have been brought here on your 40th day, or it may have been the destination of your spiritual journey. For both, St. Nicholas is a spiritual home to which we may always return. We are brothers and sisters in Christ – a family.

Stewardship is an opportunity to examine our priorities and values, express our thankfulness, give of ourselves, and grow in grace. It allows us to participate in the work of God. Stewardship also provides the foundation for our Parish Ministries and our efforts in meeting the challenge of spreading Christ's Work and our Orthodox Faith.

We ask you to support the many ministries of the church through Stewardship. Giving to His Church is a way to thank God for His grace and generosity. The question is not, "What are the dues?" but "How can I thank God for my many blessings?". We are the stewards of our parish. We see our church not as it is, but as it could be.

Before completing the enclosed Stewardship card, please give prayerful consideration to the commitment you are making. A check mailed to the church is most meaningful when accompanied by your presence, your willingness to serve, your prayers, and your commitment. Giving is not a substitute for commitment – it is an expression of your commitment and an expression of thanks for the many blessings in yourself.

We have enclosed a Stewardship card and a return envelope. If you'd like, you can complete stewardship online at our website – www.stnickaa.org.

We thank you for your commitment to our church and may God continue to bless you and your family.

Respectfully,
St. Nicholas Parish Council