

Stewardship Committee
March 27, 2019

Michael & Jennifer Schwalm – Co-Chairs

Charlotte Lazarchik
Dan Drury
Kathy Smeal
Scott Lux
Pastor Jack
Pastor Liz

Meeting opened with a prayer.

Leadership: Dan Drury has put together an outline around creating a leadership program to identify, train and celebrate leaders in the church. Trying to create examples of how people became involved in leadership without seeming overwhelming.

- There are positions that require various levels of commitment - once a month, one time, or multiple times.
- Needs to include training on “how to ask” for recruits

Spiritual gifts: Kathy Smeal has worked with the office to get the program loaded.

- Identifying volunteer opportunities - include a link for electronically signing up for events
 - Discussed the Spiritual Gifts forms that Charlotte Lazarchik used years ago for new members to identify gifts (not specific committees) where people may be able to share
- Once the information is collected, there needs to be a call for action to engage people
- Any resource to capture all the options available, including an “org chart” for Trinity so someone can see the whole picture at once then be able to drill down.

2019 Appeal

- Jack shared a draft timeline — need to have timeline resolved by May
 - 9/1 - Letter sent out re: stewardship appeal
 - 9/15 - Hand out EOGS at 1st Sunday and explaining purpose - along with the Power of One topic
 - 9/22 - volunteer fair...opportunity to engage with special event- volunteer appreciation — invite Rick Sten for ideas
 - 9/29 - introduce leadership initiative and appreciation
 - 10/6 - special prayer and handout (e.g., bookmark)
 - 10/13 - EOGs received; “Thank the One” ...bless the ones received at this date
- EOGs still take 8-10 weeks to trail in; consider starting earlier
- Getting less response to letters
- Should we be leveraging “GO FUND ME” since home phones are no being used again?
- Is Giving Kiosk generating the return? Blog that most will connect via app vs kiosk.
- Stewardship video - should be focused on Give-Serve-Lead
- Spotlight of ministry in Trinity Today - “Ministry Spotlight”; start dribbling June - August



- Appeal week - still interested in Mission Moment re: giving
- Volunteer Appreciation
- Include a bulletin board to highlight volunteers
- Incorporate electronic bulletin boards

TO DO:

Identify volunteer opportunities - needs and how does it fit in with the season and topic

Mike - list of ministry needs based on budget line items

We closed the meeting with The Lord's Prayer