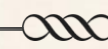


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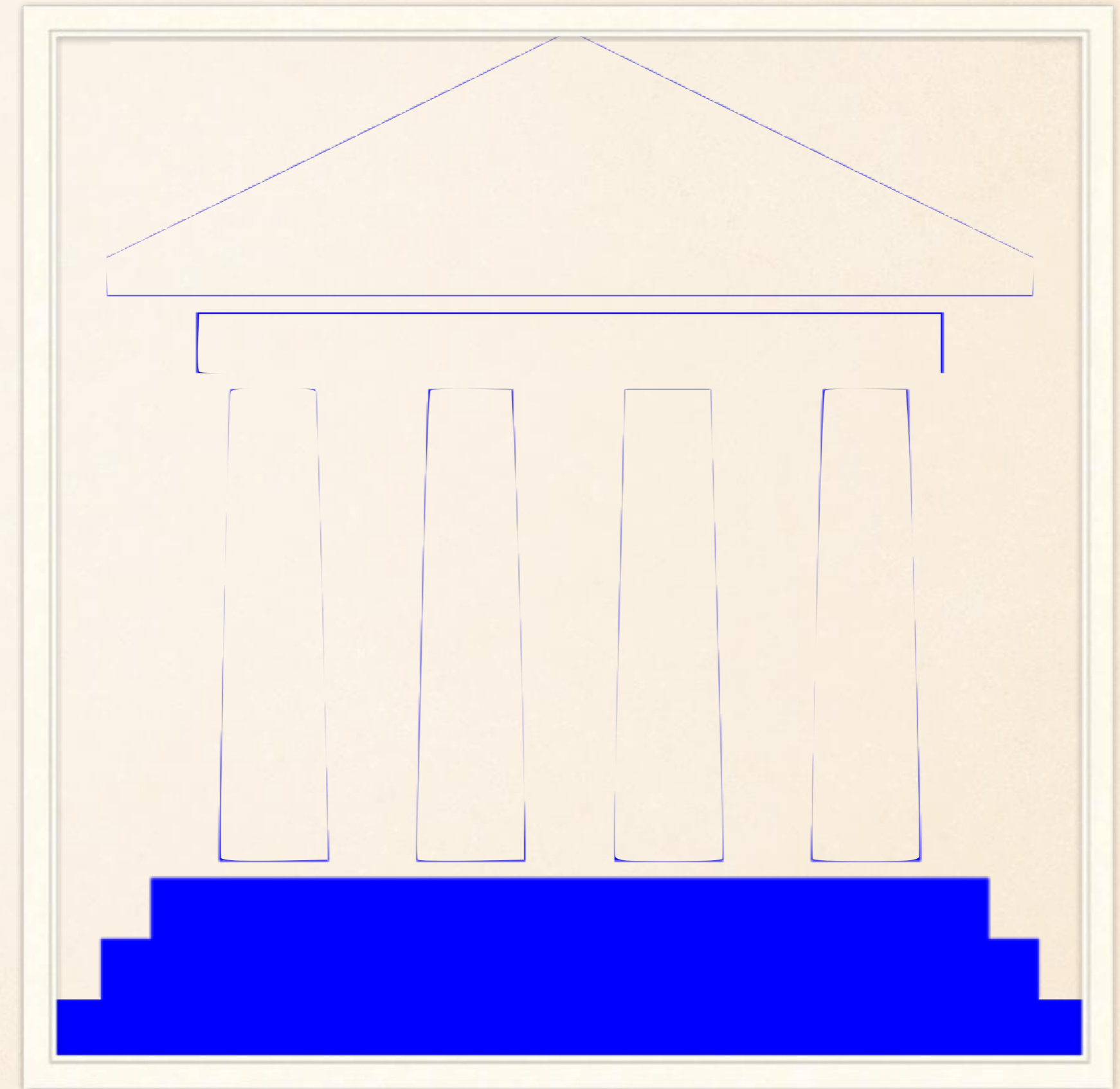


THE FOUR PILLARS IN YOUR COMMUNITY

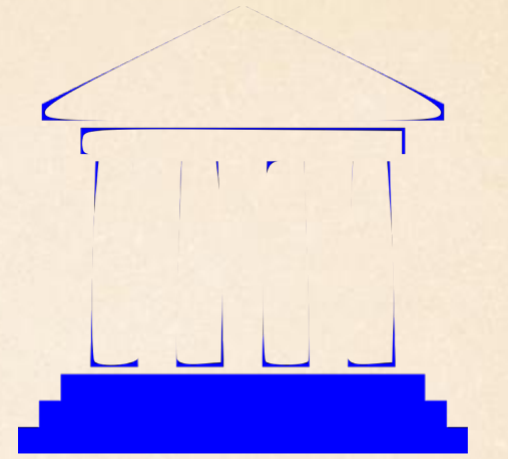


FOUNDATION

- ❖ A Steward
- ❖ Stewardship

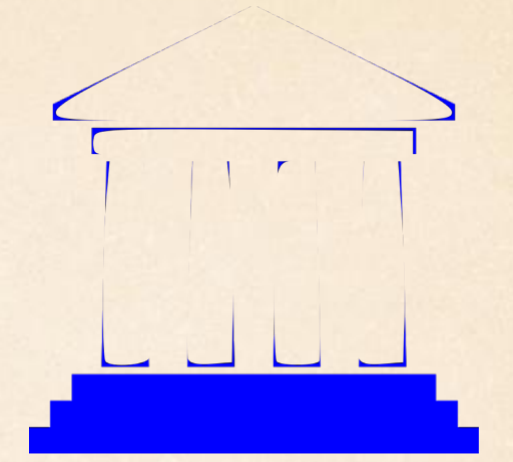


A STEWARD



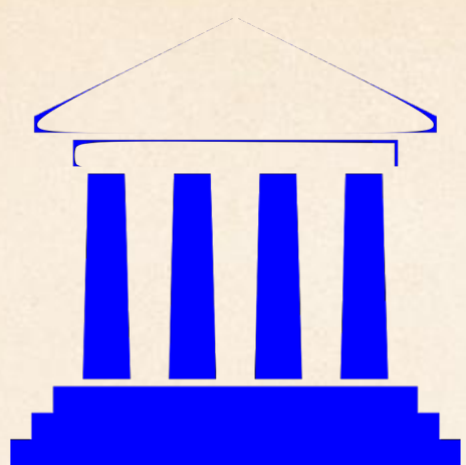
Someone who takes care of
someone else's stuff

STEWARDSHIP DEFINED



To recognize and receive God's gifts gratefully, to tend to them faithfully, to share them generously, and to return them to the Lord with increase.

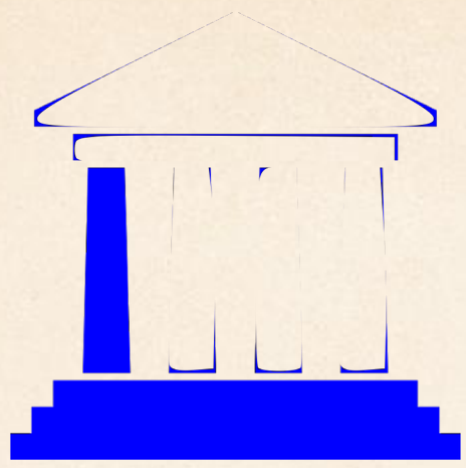
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FOUR PILLARS

- ❖ Hospitality
- ❖ Prayer
- ❖ Formation
- ❖ Service





HOSPITALITY

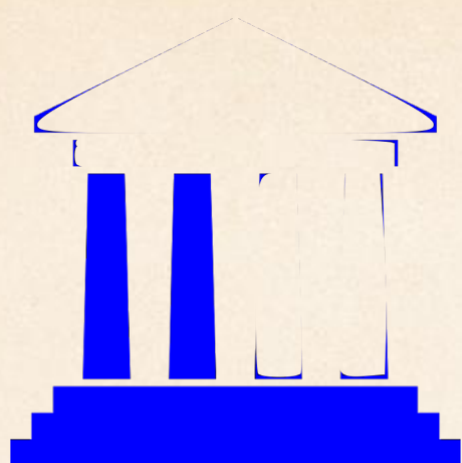
DRAWS PEOPLE INTO THE CHURCH

“Rejoice in hope, endure in affliction, persevere in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the holy ones, exercise hospitality.”
~ Romans 12:12-13 ~

- ❖ Environment - think five senses
- ❖ Relational - greetings, gestures, giving directions
- ❖ Time - start and end on time, manage time well
- ❖ Message - tone, content, announcements



The CHURCH is the SCHOOL of STEWARDSHIP



PRAYER

LEADS PEOPLE UP TO GOD

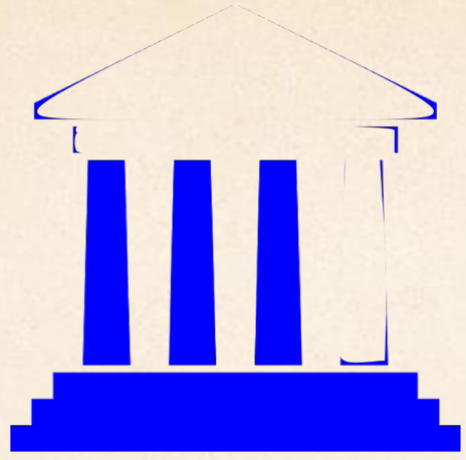
“Prayer and converse with God is a supreme good: it is a partnership and union with God.”

~ St. John Chrysostom ~

- ❖ Personal - daily appointment, devotions
- ❖ Familial - family, specific groups
- ❖ Communal - MASS, sacraments, events



The MASS is the CLASSROOM for STEWARDSHIP



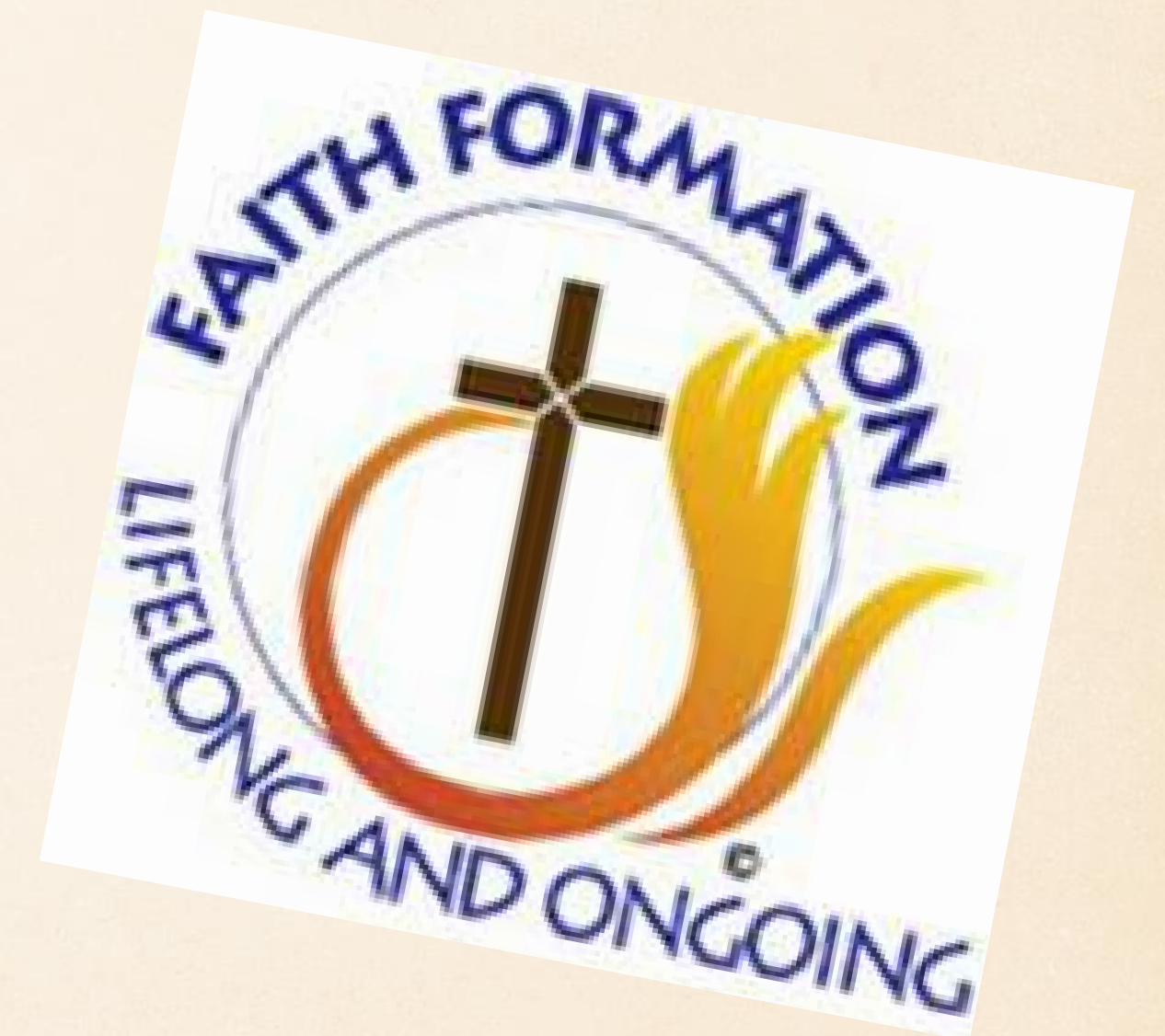
FORMATION

GROUNDS PEOPLE IN THE FAITH

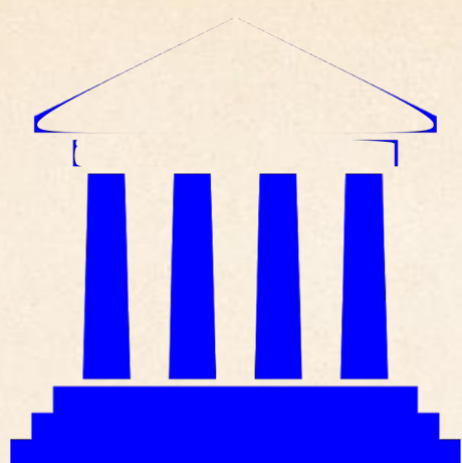
“You, remain faithful to what you have learned and believed, because you know from whom you learned it, . . . capable of giving you wisdom for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.”

~ 2 Timothy 3:14-17 ~

- ❖ In Person - meetings, homilies, retreats, studies, speakers, trainings, conferences, workshops, seminars
- ❖ Printed Materials - BIBLE, renewals, newsletters, bulletins, books, magazines, handouts
- ❖ Digital - social media, teachings, presentations, movies, tv stations,



The BIBLE is the TEXTBOOK for STEWARDSHIP



SERVICE

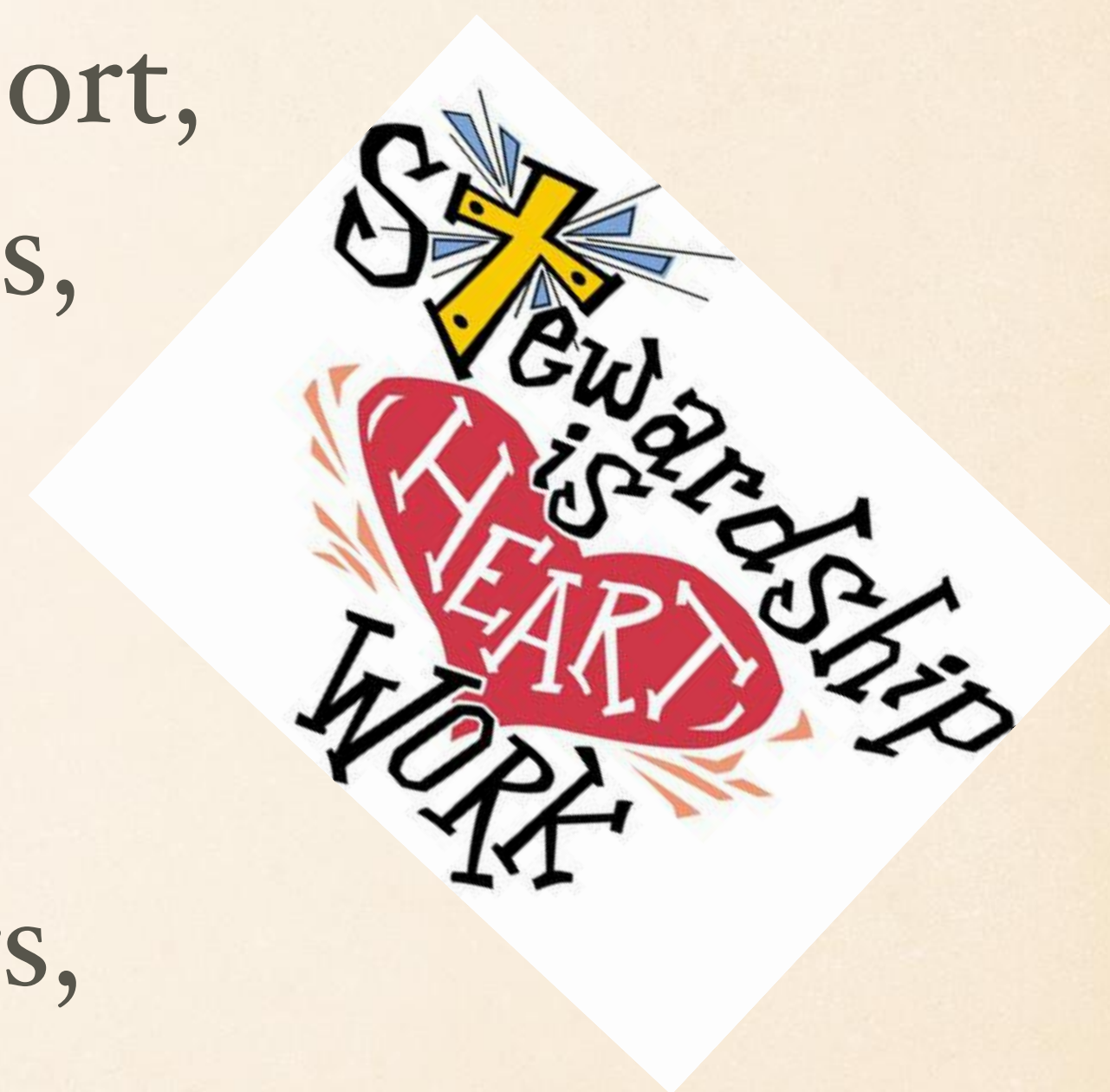
SENDS PEOPLE OUT FROM THE CHURCH

“For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

~ Mark 10:45 ~

- ❖ Outreaches - church groups, bookstore, grief support, evangelism, soup kitchen, homebound, institutions, civil groups, catholic education,
- ❖ Ministries - employees, sacristans, servers, lectors, extraordinary ministers, musicians, greeters, ushers, decorators, cleaners,

YOU become the TEACHER of STEWARDSHIP



- ❖ Consult Stewardship Office / Use Stewardship Consultants
- ❖ Pastor is on board and engaged
- ❖ Form a Stewardship Committee (HPFS characteristics / 6-12)
- ❖ Preach Stewardship every weekend
- ❖ Implement in planned increments
- ❖ Live the Stewardship Way of Life

