June 27, 2018

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

You are invited to our second *Indiana-Kentucky Synod StewardFest* at Christ Lutheran Church, 3401 South Dixon Road, Kokomo, IN. It will be held on Saturday, August 25<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am – 3:30pm, with registration at 8:30am. This action-packed event will give you and your congregation numerous tools for deepening and expanding your congregation's stewardship. Our time together will include two plenary sessions, one with Bishop Bill and one with Phil & Susan Schmidt, coordinators for the IK Synod Mission Ambassador Program. Additionally, we will have numerous workshops including:

- Supporting the Mission: Building a Dynamic Congregational Stewardship Campaign With Pastor Jerry O'Neal, IK Synod Director of Stewardship
- Developing a Ministry Funding Plan with Chris Burnette, IK Synod Gift Planner
- > Engaging Your Spiritual Gifts

with Pastor Roberta Meyer, member of IK Synod Stewardship/Mission Support Table

- Congregational Treasurer Training
  - with Chris Walda and Paul Trickel, members of IK Synod Finance Committee
- The Ten Words: Managing Your Personal Finances Simply and Faithfully with Pastor Jerry O'Neal, IK Synod Director of Stewardship
- Care of Creation

with Chuck Dailey, St. Peter's Episcopal Church, a small rural congregation in Lebanon, IN

- Stewardship of Self, Family, and Relationships
  - with Pastor Andrea Hickey, Chair of IK Synod Stewardship/Mission Support Table
- Capital Campaigns

with Pastor Chuck Miller, member of IK Synod Stewardship/Mission Support Table

Cost for the event is \$5 per person (lunch included), with a maximum cost of \$20 per congregation. Please bring payment to the event with you. Checks should be payable to "IK Synod" with StewardFest in the memo line.

Please register at https://conta.cc/2HHhquY by August 17<sup>th</sup>.

If you have questions, please contact Carol Webb (cwebb@iksynod.org). We look forward to seeing you at **StewardFest!** 

Blessings,

Pastor Jerry O'Neal IK Stewardship Director

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