Stewardship Networking Group Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

JOIN US AT OUR MAY MEETING!

"Create a Fruitful Ministry Fair" Thursday, May 12th, at 10 a.m.

Host Parish: St Luke the Evangelist 11011 Hall Rd Houston Tx 77089 (Parish Social Hall)

Join us, share your parish ideas, ask questions, spread the word, bring your Ministry Fair Leaders. Lets network and learn from each other! Please RSVP to: coniperez@sbcglobal.net or starons@stbchurch.org

"For we are God's co-workers; you are God's field, God's building." 1 Cor 3:9

Happy 60th Anniversary, Second Vatican Council!

We are grateful for all those who gathered at the Vatican in 1962 to engage in spirited conversations about our Church's future, with emphasis on the call of the laity. From the Pastoral Letter on Stewardship, "Stewardship A Disciple's Response" we learn from the section: "Stewards of the Church"

Stewards of God's gifts are not passive beneficiaries. We cooperate with God in our own redemption and in the redemption of others. We are obliged to be stewards of the church collaborators and cooperators in continuing the redemptive work of Jesus Christ, which is the Church's essential mission. This mission—proclaiming and teaching, serv-

ing and sanctifying— is our task. It is the personal responsibility of each one of us as stewards of the Church.

All members of the Church have their own roles to play in carrying out the mission.

- Parents, who nurture their children in the light of faith;
- Parishioners, who work in concrete ways to make their parishes true communities of faith and vibrant sources of service to the larger community;
- All Catholics, who give generous support—time, money, prayers, and personal service according to their circumstances to parish and diocesan programs and to the universal Church.

ICSC Conference, in Anaheim, Ca, Oct 2nd to the 5th. Still time to take advantage of early registration. See: https://catholicstewardship.com/ (more information contact Tony Oltamarie, St Laurence)

2022 Calendar Meeting Topics & Locations

7/14/22 - (1st Part) Historical Presentation – 175 years in the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston presented by Historian Lisa May. (2nd Part) Organize a Productive Parish Leadership Meeting, Hosted by Rhonda Bean at the Downtown Chancery

9/08/22 - Establish & Sustain an Effective Stewardship Committee (St Bernadette Houston Tx)

11/10/22 - Best of ICSC and Plan 2023 Calendar (St Laurence Sugarland Tx)

Meetings 2nd Thursday of every other month 10:00 am to 12 Noon. To ask questions get resources on stewardship and to get on our email list,

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