

# ***Stewardship Networking Group*** ***Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston***

**JOIN US: JULY 10: “Conversations in the Spirit”**

**Fr. Clint Ressler, @ St. Bernadette, Clear Lake\***

Join us to hear Fr. Clint Ressler, from St Mary of the Miraculous Medal in Texas City, Tx as our presenter. *“Listening to one another in order to hear what God is saying to us, a process for discernment through dialogue”*

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***Abbiamos Papa!*** And so, Pope Leo XIV was introduced as our new Pope!

At his homily, Mass for the Beginning of his Pontificate, part of what he said:

*“The promotion of apostolic zeal among the People of God remains an essential aspect of the Church’s renewal as envisioned by the [Second Vatican Council](#), and is all the more urgent in our own day. Our world, wounded by war, violence and injustice, needs to hear the Gospel message of God’s love and to experience the reconciling power of Christ’s grace. In this sense, the Church herself, in all her members, is increasingly called to be “a missionary Church that opens its arms to the world, proclaims the word ... and becomes a leaven of harmony for humanity” ... Let us keep Pope Leo in our prayers! And, may we, who are called, gifted and recognize Jesus as our teacher, respond as His disciples by doing his will.*

### ***Stewardship in July: Mid-Year Renewal of Our Catholic Commitment***

As we enter the heart of summer, July offers a perfect opportunity to pause and reflect on our call to Catholic stewardship. The year’s midpoint reminds us that stewardship is not seasonal—it’s a daily way of life rooted in gratitude and responsibility.

July, often a time of vacation and rest, also invites us to renew our commitment to using our time, talents, and treasure in service to God and others. Whether it’s helping a neighbor, sharing our gifts in ministry, or simply being present to someone in need, these acts of stewardship reflect our faith in action.

Let this month be a moment to refresh your spiritual life, reconnect with your parish community, and recommit to serving joyfully. Stewardship isn’t about doing more—it’s about recognizing that everything we have is a gift and responding with a generous heart.

DATE	TOPIC	SPEAKER	LOCATION
SEPT 11	Come to Me, All Who Labor	Kathleen Messina	Emmaus Spirituality Center
NOV 13	Best of ICSC/Plan 2026	Roundtable	St. Mary Magdelene, Humble Tx

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