

## Question 9

What is your practice of stewardship and how does it shape the life of your worshipping community?

10:00 – 11:00 am

- Stewardship campaign in fall; pledge drive
- Use of all resources including property and pledges
- Special appeals:
  - Buen Pastor; backpacks, sandwich making, Fuller Center, Refugee Housing
- Yearly fundraisers
  - Part of budget and possibly Oktoberfest
- Endowment income to support outreach
  - Not used for operating budget
- Time, talent, treasure
  - Depend on volunteers for a lot of labor
  - We are a small parish so it depends on volunteers (necessary for small parish)
- An area could that we could grow is people providing more time for cleaning, grounds keeping, building upkeep

Noon – 1:00 pm

- Volunteering time to church guilds
- Donating money to church and to outreach
- Donating items such as food and plants for garden
- Discretionary “walk-in” funds
- People wear many hats and shoes
- Small tight-knit group openness to newcomers
- Careful with resources and church is in sound financial shape
- Creative use of property to generate revenue