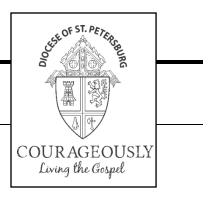
ONLINE STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES

Office of Stewardship and Development



Many of our trusted vendors and fellow Stewardship ministers are offering regular webinars, discussion groups, blogs and more. Having access to these resources can be a fantastic place to find new ideas or rethink how we can continue formation efforts at this time. The list below will be updated as new sources are identified.

Updated: 5/26/2020 – NEW! Give Central, Rebuilt Parish

Amazing Parish

Surviving or Thriving Webinar recording and resources from Amazing Parish can be accessed at <u>amazingparish.org/thrive/</u>

Blackbaud

- <u>The Church Engagement Podcast</u> Technology trends. Check out <u>this</u> episode (*How to Engage Your Church During COVID-19*)
- <u>Live Streaming tips (video)</u> on enhancing your video quality, providing clear calls to action and continuing social engagement

Catholic Mutual Group

From cleaning and disinfecting, to drive thru blessings/confessions, CMG has compiled a list of <u>COVID-19 Resources</u>.

Cathedral Corporation

Always back up your livestream videos. Click <u>here</u> to find out why.

Catholic Extension

- <u>Songs of Solidarity concert series</u> (Facebook page actively updating)
- Online resources
 - o <u>Online Catholic Mass</u>
 - <u>Digital Stations of the Cross</u>
 - o <u>Online Catholic Religious Education Resources</u>

CCS Fundraising

Key resource strategies during COVID-19

- <u>Download March 18, 2020 Webinar</u> (discussed key lessons from critical moments in the past, unique implications of the current situation and suggested strategies during a crisis)
- <u>How to maintain donor engagement</u> (communication guidance, priorities, considerations and strategies)
- <u>How to run effective virtual meetings</u> (talking points and donor engagement)

Crown

- Using the Crisis Budget Templates (<u>how to video</u>)
 - Adjust your finances with a budget calculator (<u>Google Sheet/PDF</u>)
- Saving During a Crisis (video)
- <u>Quarantine activities</u> for your marriage, kids, family, education, encouragement and finding a job
- <u>Ways to Give During Social Distancing</u>
- <u>Facebook</u> (financial questions asked and answered)
- <u>Ask Chuck</u> is an interactive blog with the CFO, Chuck. He has been answering questions in response to COVID-19, such as:
 - Will the Coronavirus Impact my Finances?
 - o <u>Do I Have Enough Life Insurance?</u>
 - <u>Is There Hope for this Economic Crisis?</u>
 - Practical Advice During the COVID-19 Crisis

Church Development

<u>Blog</u> with timely information and insights, sample materials.

Community Funded

<u>Leadership pieces</u> from the leading service providers in the United States. The site is rich with white papers, webinars and PowerPoint presentations on a wide array of topics.

Diocesan

<u>Resources and support</u> you need to optimize your communication. The site also includes important <u>bulletin tips and strategies</u>.

Faith Direct

Free <u>eBook</u>, explaining the reasons to go beyond email, the importance of updating website and social accounts regularly, and more.

- Preparing Your Parish For Coronavirus Webinar (published March 18, 2020)
 - <u>Webinar</u>, <u>PDF</u> and <u>Q&A</u>

Give Central

- <u>Texting tools</u>
- Helpful blog articles:
 - **NEW!** How Parishes are Leading the Charge Against COVID-19
 - <u>Mobile Giving: Why and how to fundraise through mobile?</u>
 - Mobile Giving The easiest way to introduce digital giving

International Catholic Stewardship Council

- Continue <u>praying</u> through this difficult time.
- ICSC has gathered a special edition of "<u>Wisdom from ICSC strategic partners</u>"

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Ideas to keep everyone connected

- <u>Parishesonline.com</u> <u>Instructions</u> on how to subscribe to your parish bulletin
- <u>Church bulletin</u> (free cover for bulletin and social media graphics)
- <u>Social Media Reminders</u> (free sample subscription reminders for parishioners)
- <u>Print/Digital Materials</u> (free downloadable sample)

Prenger Solutions Group

<u>Webinars</u> for parish centered on communication, social media. Additional parish resources.

Lynch Development Associates (LDA)

Preparing for Mass at Home - English | Spanish

Ministry Brands

• Access webinars, free guides, and <u>additional free resources</u>

OSV Coronavirus Response – for Diocese and Parishes

- For faithful content, products and services, click <u>here</u>.
- Faith and Common Sense (free downloadable pamphlet for parishes)
- <u>Prayer during an epidemic</u>, written by Michael Heinlein (has reached more than 1 million people on social media)
- 35+ pieces of content on <u>osvnews.com</u>; more added every day. Most popular includes:
 - Prepare to Lose by Lenny DeLorenzo
 - <u>A comprehensive list of changes to Mass schedules</u>
 - o The Why and How of Making a Spiritual Communion

- <u>From the Chapel</u>, daily reflections on life and faith in a time of uncertainty by Scott Richert
- <u>Simply Catholic</u> Michael Heinlein and Gretchen Crowe (editor OSV newsweekly) daily live Night Prayer at 9:30 p.m.
- <u>News COVID-19 archive</u>
- <u>Teaching Catholic Kids</u>
 - Making downloads available on website (previously only offered in newsletter)
 - \circ $\;$ Working on guide to Holy Week/Easter at home with your family
- <u>The Priest/The Deacon</u>
 - Father David Bonnar <u>writing a regular blog</u> on <u>ThePriest.com</u> from the perspective of a pastor
- <u>Radiant Magazine</u>
 - Editor Ava Lalor doing more "live" events

Rebuilt Parish

If you are looking for ideas on how to <u>navigate communication</u> during these times, visit the following links:

- NEW! Communicating Your Reopening Plans webinar May 27, 2020, 1pm EST
- **NEW!** Sign up for the COVID-19 Support Pack Join their community and stay up to date and gain access to additional sample resources
- Father Michael White is writing <u>blogs</u> on what his parish is doing, what is working and what is not
- Private Facebook Group
- <u>Monthly Podcast</u> (typically released the first of the month)
- <u>Subscribe for email updates</u> (stay up to date)

Vianney Vocations Catholic at Home Newsletter

If you are unable to design a newsletter in house, this might be an option to consider – <u>click here</u>. 8.5"x11", 4-page newsletter to bolster parishioner's faith during the Coronavirus pandemic. Emphasizes home liturgy, online giving, praying to end the pandemic, and staying connected to your parish. 30 cents per copy ordered.