

GIVING IN GRACE— 2019 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN



What does it mean to “Give in Grace”? **Giving in Grace** is an act of faith, discipleship and stewardship. In 2nd Corinthians 8:5, the Apostle Paul in describing the generosity of the Macedonian Christians says, “...they first gave themselves to the Lord.” Our giving, in whatever form we chose, is done as a joyful response to God’s grace in Jesus

Christ. **Giving in Grace** shifts our way of thinking from one of scarcity and budgeting, to abundance and gifting.

On **September 9th**, our **Fall Stewardship campaign will begin** . . . and for this campaign, things will be different! How you may ask? In addition to our main focus of raising funds for the 2019 church year, we will examine how we can expand our **Giving in Grace** and grow in our understanding of stewardship including our time and talents.

Our 2019 Stewardship campaign goals are to:

- **raise \$260,000 for the 2019 budget year**
- **achieve 80 pledging units**
- **map out our time and talent contributions**

During the campaign we will focus on three key themes:

Bringing the Spirit of Christ to Our Community

Serving God’s People in Our Community

Learning and Working Together in Grace

Over the next few weeks, you will be hearing about ways you can expand your knowledge of **Giving in Grace**, both spiritually and in practice.

God’s Grace Be With You,

Your Stewardship Committee
Sheila Klansky, Rod Krueger, Dave Ward
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