Every generous act of giving, with every perfect gift, is from above, James, 1:17 NRSV

Dear Friends,

Jesus said, "In my Father's house there are many dwelling places," John 14:2, NRSV. This promise of abundance and welcome lies at the heart of this year's stewardship theme: ***Plenty Good Room.***

At St. Peter's, we experience God's abundance in many ways: in the friendships that sustain us, in the gifts we share, in worship that connects us, and in the care we extend to our neighbors. Stewardship is our response to that abundance and our way of expressing our gratitude to God through the sharing of our time, talent and treasure. It is gratitude put into action.

A Shared Calling

Church stewardship invites our entire parish to participate together in nurturing the mission and ministry of St. Peter's: *A community of people rooted in God's love, growing through God's grace, reaching out to all.* Our shared calling is the story of ways we share our gifts from the inspiration and blessings given to us.

Enclosed are stewardship materials for your use in discernment for how you will share the story of your transformation and abundance with St. Peter's and our neighbors. Each of us has something to offer. Each hour spent volunteering, each good idea that you have, each dollar that you donate, is transformed through prayer and grace into ministry and mission. We could not be an example of love in our community without your many and various gifts.

Use the physical pledge card or submit your pledge electronically using the QR code below!

If you submit your pledge electronically, please also complete the physical card to indicate that you've pledged online. Bring the card to worship on **Ingathering Sunday, November 15**, so it can be included in our Ingathering ritual and blessing.

This is not only an appeal for funds - it is an invitation to claim your place in God's household, to make room for others, and to live into God's abundance. When we respond together, we become the church God is calling us to be: a community with *plenty good room* for all.

Thank you for your faithful and generous response to this call.

The Stewardship Team,

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