

July 5, 2008

Dear Steward,

Greetings in the Lord. We pray your summer has been a welcome respite thus far.

Enclosed is your Stewardship Pledge Statement as of June 30, 2008. We thank those parishioners that signed and returned a 2008 Orthodox Christian Stewardship Pledge Card to support the Ministries of St. George. We also thank those parishioners that chose to complete their Stewardship commitment for 2008 by paying their dues during this transition year as we progress from dues to full Stewardship. Your support provides the foundation for our service in the Lord and has a direct effect on encountering the challenges of the future.

We have also enclosed a Personal Information sheet and are asking all of our members to update this sheet for the records of St. George. We will use this information to communicate with you, and have established a goal of electronic communication for 2009. By using electronic communication, i.e., e-mail, we will save significant dollars associated with mailings and be able to provide more timely information to all of you. If you do not have e-mail access we will continue to use the regular mail. Please help us make the transition to electronic communication by returning this Information sheet to the church office. Your information WILL NOT BE SHARED outside of the church.

We have enclosed contribution envelopes for those who are making Stewardship payments. We ask all parishioners that chose dues for 2008 to again consider upgrading to Stewardship for the remainder of 2008 and for the year 2009.

Your Stewardship pledge and dues payment are a testimony of your dedication to enhancing your personal spiritual life and spreading our beloved Orthodox Faith. The Stewardship Committee thanks you on behalf of the Saint George Greek Orthodox Church.

Yours in Christ,

+Rev. Fr. Basil C. Gikas

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