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Stewardship Focus Scripture

Seek first the
kingdom of God and
his righteousness and
all these things will
be given to you.

Matthew 6:33

October 20, 2022

Dear Friend in Ministry:

Your participation in the life of Peace Lutheran Church is very important and special. By joining together with other partners in the Body of Christ, our congregation continues to share the Gospel here and across the country and world.

During the pandemic of the last couple years our congregation played a critical role in bringing hope and love to our community as we sheltered in place. We realized in all of that the importance of community worship, care for one another, and the impact that this ministry has on our local community. We also recognized the importance of our partnership with the synod and national church as they walked with us to navigate such uncertain times.

As we consider our stewardship response this year, we do so in a different world from previous years. Some of us are in different places economically than we were. However, all of us are in a place of more gratitude for God's love in our lives and excitement for sharing the gospel with others.

As you consider your gift for the coming year, you are encouraged to consider how it is you can grow in your generosity. Perhaps an additional \$1 per day would work for you, or perhaps you could consider making one additional gift this year to your normal weekly or monthly contributions. As we begin this generosity journey together, please pray about how you can grow in generosity this year. Generosity is a radical act of faith that pours out our gifts and invests them in God's coming kingdom each day.

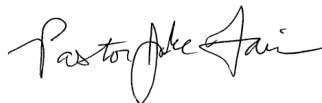
The enclosed Statement of Intent card will be received in worship on Sunday, October 30. If you won't be in worship with us that day, please use the enclosed envelope to mail in your intent so that we can include your generosity as we share our progress.

You may also respond to our online stewardship form which includes both a commitment portion much like the intent card, but in addition areas of ministry you'd like to commit to as a disciple of Jesus.

That form can be found on our website @ www.peacenb.org/pages/stewardship and in our weekly email news.

Thank you for all you do to bless this congregation. And, thank you for considering how you can grow in generosity in the coming year.

Peace be with you,



Pastor



Council President



**You may mail this intent card back or bring it with you to worship on Oct. 30th.
We will take those commitments and offer them before the Lord.**