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Dear Christian Steward;

As we consider God's blessings, we are in awe of His immense goodness toward us. The greatest gifts to us are His Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior and the constant presence of His Holy Spirit working in the Church and in our lives.

This is the second mailing for the Stewardship Appeal for 2016. Several members have already paid their commitment for 2016, **however we are over 40% that have not paid yet.** The church depends on these funds to pay the daily bills.

Orthodox Christian Stewardship reminds us that these gifts are not our own; that we have a trusteeship over them and not an ownership. Stewardship means to give a portion back to God, as a direct way of expressing our thanksgiving to Him for these gifts.

Before completing and mailing the enclosed Pledge Card to the Church Office, please give the matter of your Orthodox Christian Stewardship Pledge for next year your most serious and prayerful consideration. The financial level at which you arrive should be a spiritual expression of gratitude and love to God for all you have received.

In addition to the stewardship pledge card, we are asking for an email address to send out the monthly bulletin. The bulletin will only be sent to those who indicate they want to receive it. The optional for a bulletin to be mailed to you will also exist. Please indicate your desire.

Yours in Christ,

Rev. Fr. Nacopoulos

[Enclose a Stewardship Card and Information Form]

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