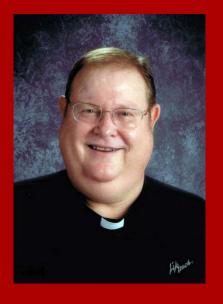
Eight Easy Ways to Increase the Collection

Making Stewardship A Way of Life

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- 4,600 families at St. Thomas More, Centennial, Colorado
- 2007 Archbishop Thomas Murphy Memorial Award
- Co-authored Making Stewardship A Way of Life – A Complete Guide for Catholic Parishes

1. Stress the need to give before giving to a need.



Promote tithing and sacrificial giving.

- Equal sacrifice, not equal gifts



3. Pastor must ask for money.



4. Do not apologize.

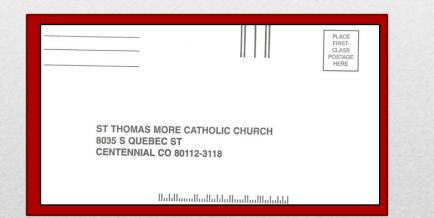
5. Ask parishioners to make a commitment.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE	34	In thanksgiving for God's blessings and in support of my parish I will pledge		
		Please choose one:		
		l will give \$ weekly		
		l will give \$ monthly		
		l will give \$ annually		
		I would like to use electronic contribution for my donation.		
Phone Number		Please take me off your mailing list for envelopes.		
Email Address		Please remove me from your parish roster.		
Parishioner's Signature		ST. THOMAS MORE (ATHOLIC (HURCH		

Five Audiences

- **1**. Those who will give nothing
- 2. Those who will make a commitment for the first time
- **3.** Those who will make a percentage of a tithe for the first time
- 4. Those who will tithe for the first time
- 5. Fellow tithers

6. Send weekly or monthly courtesy reply envelopes and a monthly statement.



Envelope No. 00000 Mr. & Mrs. John Doe 123 Shepherd's Path Centennial, CO 80112			Shai floodg pour bi wit	Says the Lord of I Shall I not open floodgates of hear pour blessings upo without measu - Malachi 3:1	
May Statement		Total Gif	ts in 2009:	0001708	
Huy Statement	Pledged Amount	Prior Years Gifts	Gifts YTD 2009	Pledge Balance	
General Fund 2009	\$2,400.00	N/A	\$1,025.00	\$1,375.00	
	Detail for May: 05/03/2009 Total for May:		\$200.00		
Jubilae Vision Building Fund \$1,375.00	\$3,600.00	\$2,700.00	\$500.00	\$400.00	
	Detail for May: 05/04/2009		\$100.00		
	Total	for May:	\$100.00		
Phase II Jubilee Building Fund	\$3,600.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,600.00	
Ehanksgiving for God's many bless evand, I welcome the privilege of Please c	honoring the	n fulfillment e commitmes 155 with que	nt made to St.	sibilities as a Ch Thomas More I	

Pass collection baskets without poles.



8. Start children giving early.

- Create a Children's Charity

account



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