

Parish Stewardship Reflection Information Analysis (October 2-3, 2021)

	Number	Percent
Responses Received		
Total	334	100%
Via QR Code	84	25.1%
Via Paper Form	250	74.9%
Bulletin Preference		
Printed Bulletin	138	41.3%
Electronic Version emailed	123	36.8%
Electronic Version Downloadable	33	9.9%
No Preference	34	10.2%
Blank	6	1.8%
Preferred Mass*		
4:30 p.m.	72	21.6%
8:00 a.m.	56	16.8%
9:30 a.m.	100	29.9%
11:30 a.m.	85	25.4%
Livestream	8	2.4%
Blank	13	3.9%
Reflection Statements**		
Welcoming	96	24.5%
Outreach	7	1.8%
Spirituality	39	9.9%
Faith Formation	39	9.9%
Communication	1	0.3%
Social Activities	9	2.3%
Social Justice	27	6.9%
Campus Development	0	0.0%
Other	112	28.6%
Blanks	62	15.8%
Total for all categories	392	100.0%
Social Media Usage		
None	66	19.8%
Use 1 form of social media	135	40.4%
Use 2 forms of social media	73	21.9%
Use 3 forms of social media	41	12.3%
Use 4 forms of social media	17	5.1%
Use 5 forms of social media	2	0.6%
Use Parish Website	213	63.8%
Use myParish App	68	20.4%
Use Facebook	140	41.9%
Use Instagram	48	14.4%
Use Twitter	13	3.9%

*Preferred Mass – some people marked more than one Mass time. The first mark was recorded as the response.

****Reflection statement categories are taken from the Parish strategic plan. The statements were categorized into one or more of the categories based on a judgement call of how closely the statement reflected the purpose of the category. This approach is just one way of looking at the narrative responses to the two reflection questions and provides a suggestion of how closely our stated Parish objectives match up with parishioners' priorities. A percentage calculation is provided using the total category counts which is greater than the total returns because some statements were assigned to more than one category.**

Divine Savior community is important to me because....

It is home away from home and it connects me with God in a way that I need.

Church resets me and gives me the reminders that God is with me always.

I meet God there. I can count on a "spiritual encounter" any time I am present. Attending Mass lifts me up and strengthens me.

It allows me to serve others, reflect on my faith, and strive to be more like Jesus.

Divine Savior works 24/7 for us! Keeping us connected even in lockdown, when sick, away, lonely, Divine Savior reaches out.

I am in a safe place to know I am surrounded by loving, caring people of my lifelong Catholic faith. My life has been filled w so many worldly and spiritual challenges and I hope through my experiences and stage of life I can bless others by providing guidance, prayer, hope and encouragement spreading love and His kindness. To be part of a family.

It has become my family. My grandchildren are growing their faith here also. I love how everyone is welcome here.

When it comes to a parish community, I am looking for...

Openness, non-judgmental community. Inclusivity. Opportunities to help out community. Spiritual growth. Stronger faith formation for self. Down to earthiness.

A community that offers many ministries that help people in need and ways to connect with God on a personal level.

A place to be inspired and for my faith to grow. A place that is welcoming and has opportunities for my family's faith to grow. Looking for my faith family.

People who can love each other and everyone of us regardless of station in life.

One that reflects the community and beyond and reaches out to provide for others whether within our church or not. Share our blessings with all.

More outreach for young adults. Where are our young Catholics?

Small groups, prayer and music outside of Mass, opportunities to serve using my gifts.

Acceptance. Forgiveness.