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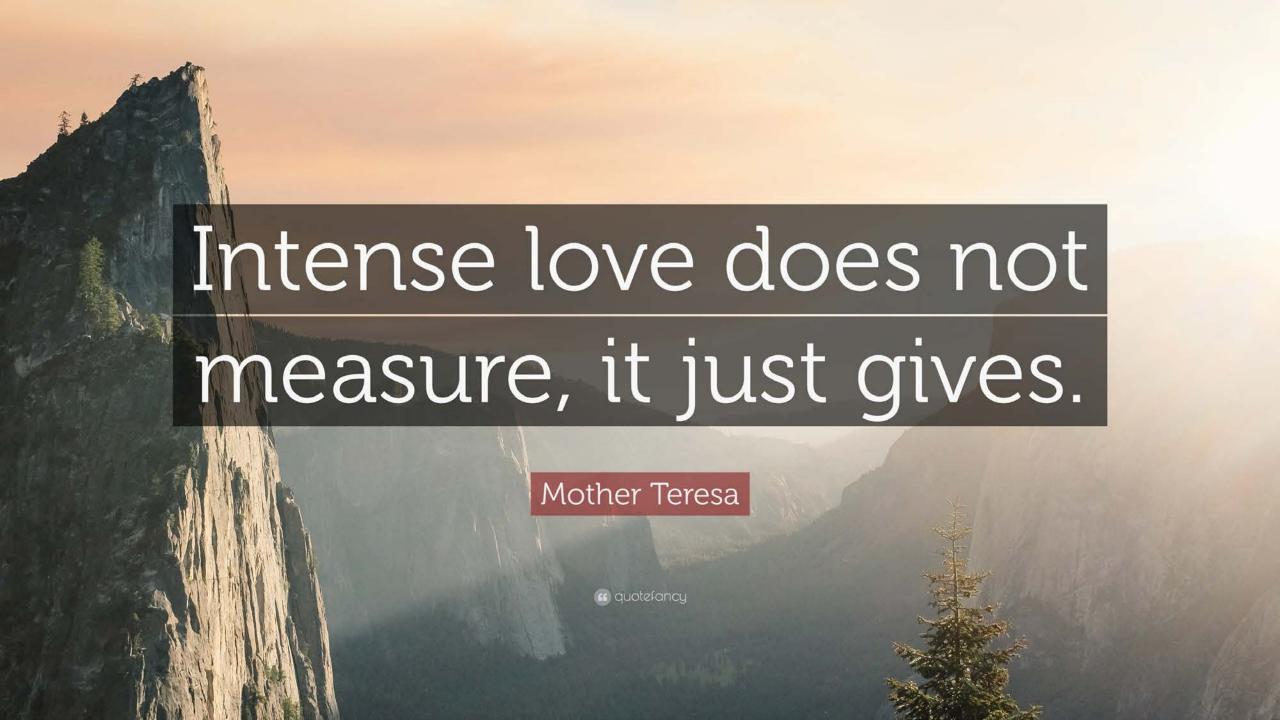
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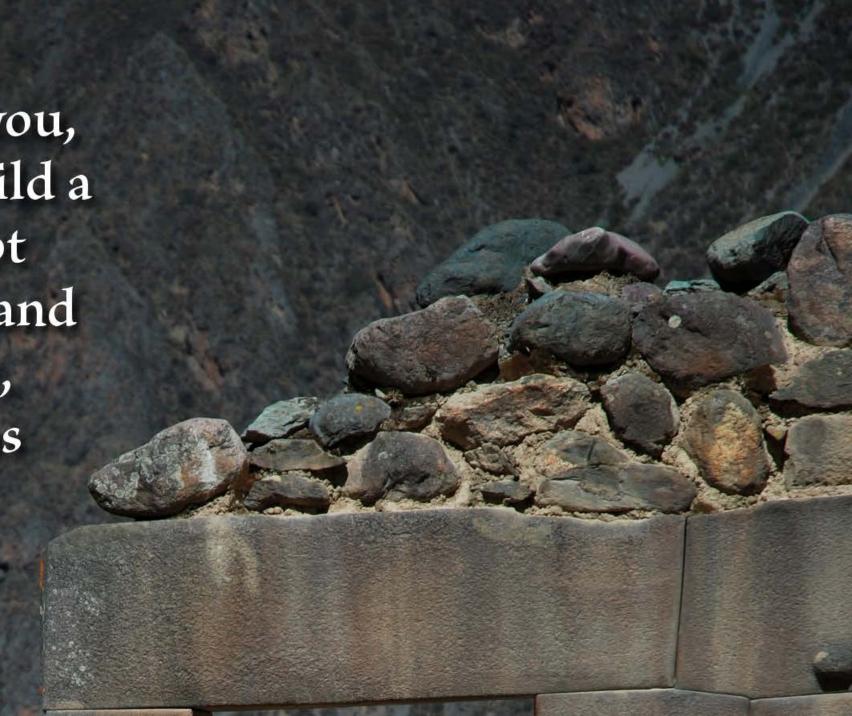




"Master, you handed over to me five talents; See, I have made five more talents." His master said to him, "Well done, good and faithful servant; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master." Matthew 25:20-21

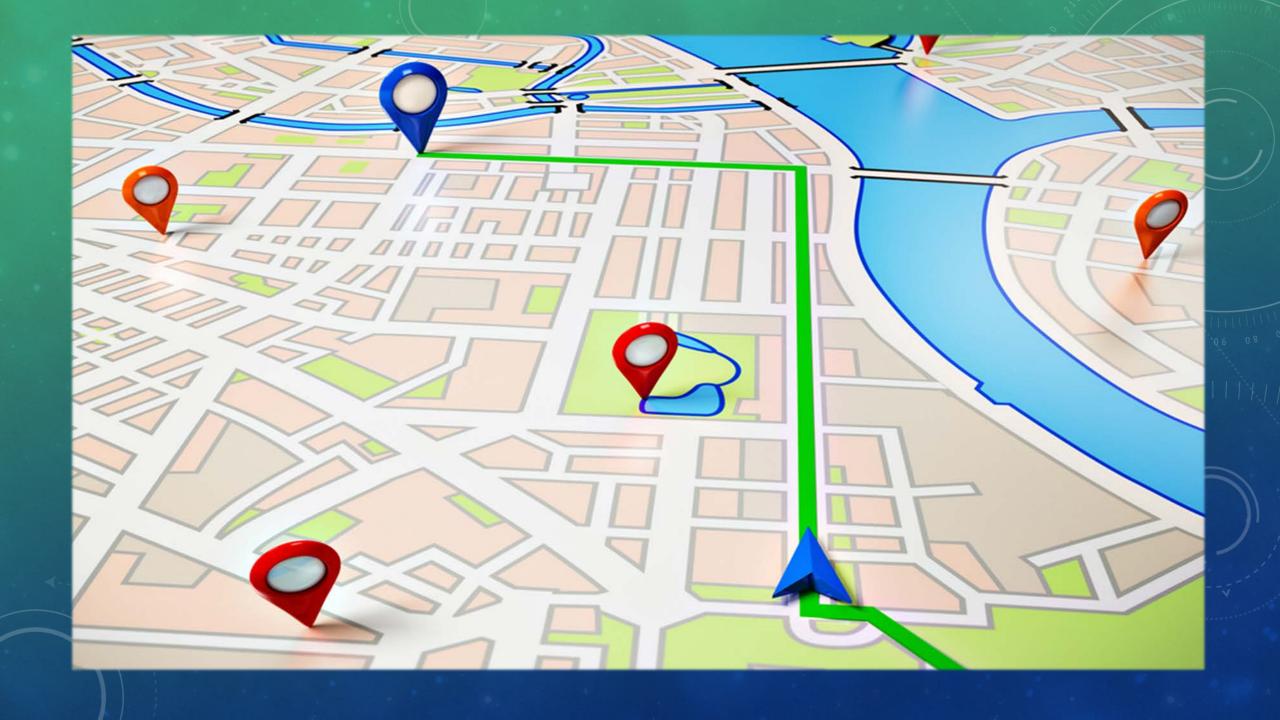
For which of you, desiring to build a tower, does not first sit down and count the cost, whether he has enough to complete it?

Luke 14:28









Why "Data Driven?"

Focus

Accountability

Wisdom

Celebration/Recalibration

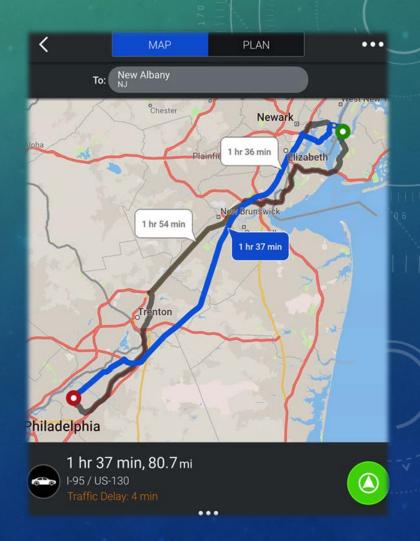
Future Orientation

(i.e. Maintenance to Mission)



What Might We Measure?

- Benchmarking Best Practices in Stewardship
- Congregational Engagement
- Personal attitudes towards generosity
- Taking Action (i.e. Attending Mass, Serving in a Ministry, Joining a Small Group, etc.)
- Effectiveness of a Renewal Program
- Who are we serving? Who might we serve?
- Organizational Effectiveness & Best Practices



OUR STORY

- A Fresh Start
- Setting A Baseline
- Articulating A Plan:
 - A Clear Goal
 - Measurable Indicators
- Pre-Test & Post-Test





Mission:

Lead people to growth as mature Christian disciples by deepening engagement in prayer, service and sacrificial giving.



Vision:

All parishioners live intentional lives of holiness and generosity.





<u>Plan Goal</u>: Drive an overall increase of engagement in parish life;

Measurable Outcomes:

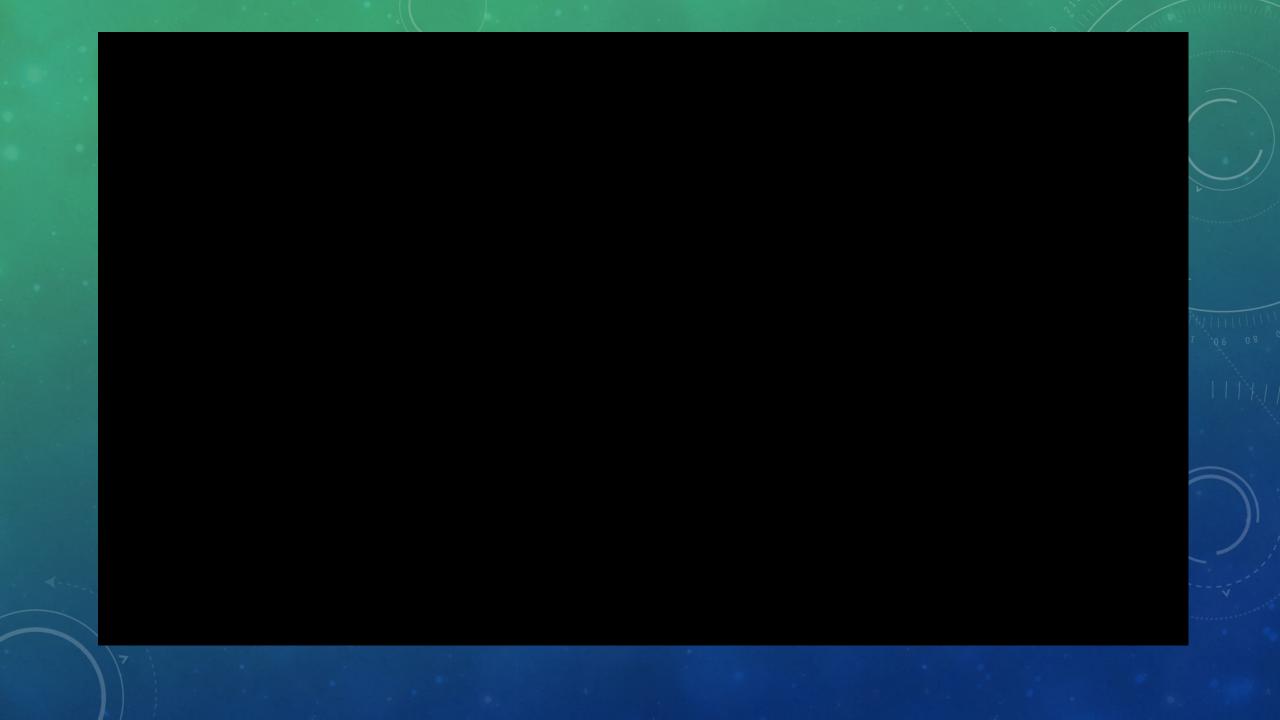
- Increase in Mass Attendance
- Increase in Ministry Involvement
- Increase in Financial Commitment

EARLY FRUITS

- Clarity on our History;
- Influence on Parish Planning;
- Cross-Departmental conversations;
- Increase in Ministry Involvement;
- Demonstrable, stable growth in financial support;







Best Practices

- Archdiocesan Office of Stewardship
- Leadership Network
- Book: Making Stewardship a Way of Life

Engagement

- Book: Growing an Engaged Church
- Gallup ME25 Survey



Personal Generosity Formation

- Book: Connected for Good
- Book: Living Your Strengths



Demography & Trend Research

- CARA: Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate
- MissionInsite



