

Example - Generosity Team Calendar

September

- Week 1 Mail out narrative budget and letter from joint finance and generosity team
- Week 2 Testimonial at offering
- Week 3 Sunday school generosity program

October

- Week 1 Solicitation mailing with narrative budget out with no name commitment cards
Electronic solicitation to youth
- Week 2 Follow up message during service - impact the budget will have on people's lives
- Week 3 Offering video mission trip - mission commission members take offering

November

- Week 1 Sunday school presentation at offering
- Weeks 1 & 3 Update on your commitment campaign
- Week 3 Thanksgiving service - preach thankfulness of being blessed to be a blessing
- Week 4 Food drive for Food pantry - bags being brought to service put on alter, carries to Food Bank room after service

December

- Week 1 Planned Giving mailing, 70 ½ older IRA
- Week 2 Honor/memorial gift opportunity for Christmas gift
Alternative Market Christmas
Testimonial offering
- Week 3 Sunday School class presentation of generosity
- Week 4 Your commitment campaign completed

January

- Week 1 Adult Sunday school class on Generosity begins
- Week 2 Mission testimonial presented at Offering
- Week 4 Offering presented and taken by Generosity Team
2011 Giving statements sent with impact story

February

- Week 1 Six month review and celebration Sunday
Volunteer time celebration and recognition
- Week 3 Preaching on generosity/financial management
- Week 4 Offering testimonial and taken by local mission workers, Young Life, Habitat

March

- Week 2 Offering presented and taken by Sunday School class
- Week 4 Offering presented and taken by Mission Commission

April

- Week 1 Preach on God Owns Everything
- Week 3 Offering presented and taken by Finance Team
- Week 4 Special investment opportunity for Catalog of Opportunity

May 2012

- Week 1 Honor/memorial gift opportunity for mothers
Planned Giving Recognition Sunday and luncheon presentation
Testimonial of planned giving donor at offering
- Week 3 Offering presented and taken by children recognizing Mother Day
- Week 4 End of fiscal year giving report

June 2012

- Week 2 Volunteer celebration Sunday
- Week 3 Announcement and distribution of upcoming budget
Offering presented and taken by Session
- Week 4 Produce and distribute new annual report

July 2012

- Week 2 Celebration of Summer Mission trips and commissioning
Offering presented and taken by Mission Trip participants
- Week 3 Produce the year's Narrative budget
- Week 4 Preaching on God asks us to be accountable with our resources
Hold Town meeting for budget

August 2012

- Week 1 Offering presented and taken by a retuning Mission Trip
- Week 3 Offering presented and taken by Vacation Bible School

ONGOING ITEMS

1. Message on all giving statements
2. Update on giving and attendance in each Weekly
3. Narrative budget and Catalog of Opportunity at Welcome Center
4. Generosity Team make presentation at new member classes
5. Planned giving info box on all mailings
6. Generosity Team sends thank you notes to donors
7. Session does thank you notes at each meeting for new volunteers
8. Send out emails to congregation of success stories, successful Great Banquet etc.
9. Thank you done from pulpit by Generosity Team, Finance Team
10. Provide token for donors who make non-weekly contributions