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WHY ARE YOU HERE?

RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

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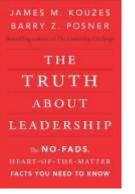
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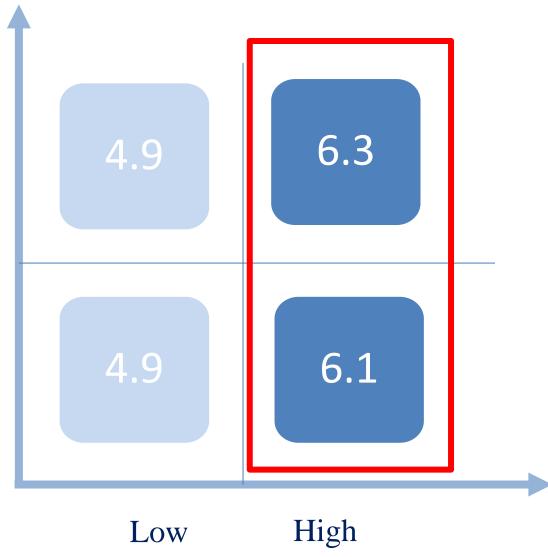
What Was Your Key Takeaway From Part 2?





Impact on Commitment of Values Clarity





Scale: High = 7 Low = 1 Clarity of Personal Values

Bill's 2 Team Premises



None of us is as smart as all of us are.





None of us can do as much as all of us can do together.

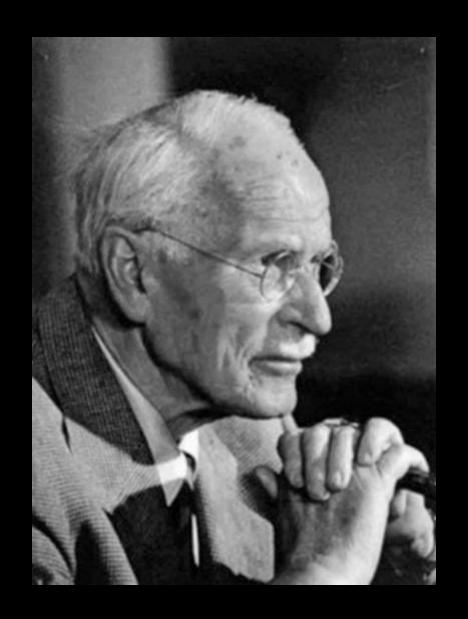




can't all get along?

Carl Jung's Theory

- ~ Jung believed that preferences are innate "inborn predispositions" that stay the same over our lifetime.
- ~ What changes is how we use our preferences and the accuracy of measuring them.
- ~ The confounding variable environment!



"So God created human beings in His own image. In the image of God He created them; male and female He created them."

Genesis 1:27 NIV

Each of us is unique:

"Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues."

1 Corinthians 12:27-28 NIV

Analysts

Intuitive (N) and Thinking (T) personality types, known for their rationality, impartiality, and intellectual excellence.

Architect INTJ Logician INTP Commander ENTJ

Debater ENTP

Diplomats

Intuitive (N) and Feeling (F) personality types, known for their empathy, diplomatic skills, and passionate idealism.

Advocate INFJ Mediator INFP Protagonist ENFJ Campaigner ENFP

Sentinels

Observant (S) and Judging (J) personality types, known for their practicality and focus on order, security, and stability.

Logistician ISTJ Defender ISFJ Executive ESTJ

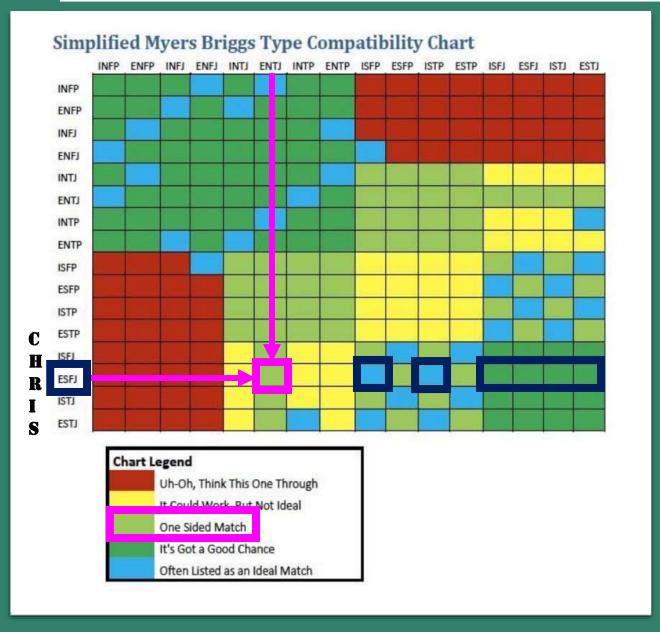
Consul ESFJ

Explorers

Observant (S) and Prospecting (P) personality types, known for their spontaneity, ingenuity, and flexibility.

Virtuoso ISTP Adventurer ISFP Entrepreneur ESTP Entertainer ESFP

Useful & Fun Parish Council & Ministry Activity

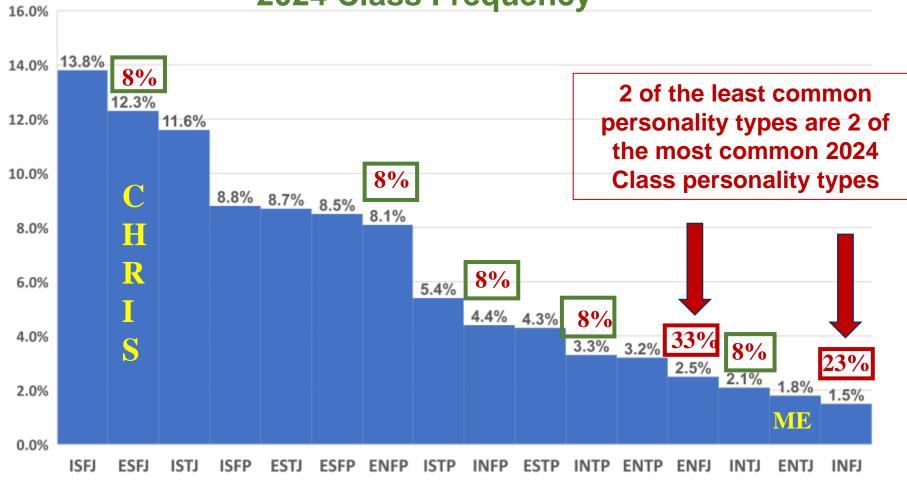


Check
Compatibilities
Among Parish
Council and
Ministries
Teams and
Discuss
Consequences

(and do it with your family)

Myers Briggs Frequency By Personality Type





The estimated frequency table was compiled from a variety of MBTI® results from 1972 through 2002,

including data banks at the Center for Applications of Psychological Type; The Myers-Briggs Company; and Stanford Research Institute (SRI).

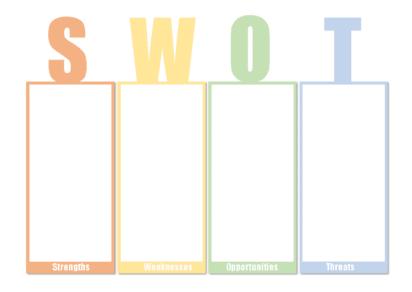
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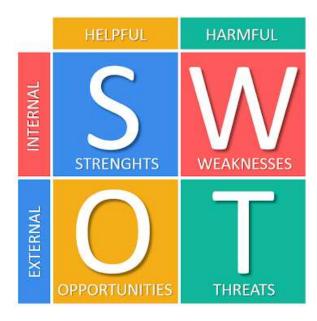


SWOT ANALYSIS

Answers strategic planning question where are we now?

- ~ First focus on <u>INTERNAL</u>
 Parish Strengths and
 Weaknesses
- ~ Second focus on <u>EXTERNAL</u> Opportunities and Threats that our Parish faces





OMS EFFECTIVE PARISH MODEL



THE SOLUTION

Empirical research identified 6
Operational Pillars and 30
Building Blocks that must be optimized to excellence in the most healthy and effective Orthodox Parish.



EPA RESULTS ACROSS ALL 30 PARISHES



4 Green
11 Yellow
15 Red

26 Green 4 Yellow 0 Red 0 Green1 Yellow29 Red

2 Green19 Yellow9 Red

0 Green 7 Yellow 23 Red

14 Green 16 Yellow 0 Red













Vision & Planning

- Strategic Planning
- Operational & Tactical Planning
- Parishioner Involvement
- Goal Achievement & Accountability

Leadership & Teams

- Christian Leadership
- Leading & Coaching
- Conflict Management
- Effective Teams
- Parish Council& Boards

Stewardship & Generosity

- Giving & Tithing
- Stewardship Campaign
- Capital Campaign
- Planned Giving & Endowments
- External Philanthropy
- Transparency & Accountability

Parishioner Engagement

- Spiritual Education & Catechism
- Liturgical & Sacramental Participation
- Outreach
- Evangelism
- Welcoming & Fellowship

Ministries

- Defines
 Needs of
 Parishioners
- Ministry Management
- Ministry Engagement
- Volunteer
 Management
- Youth & Young Adult

Operational Effectiveness

- Communicati on & Digital Strategies
- Facilities & Technology
- Financial Excellence
- Safety & Security
- Staff Management



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mtftHaK9tYY

Here's to the crazy ones.



The misfits.







The rebels. The troublemakers.

The round pegs in the square holes.

The ones who see things *differently*.

They're not fond of rules.





And they have *no respect* for the status quo.

You can *quote* them, disagree with them, glorify or vilify them.



About the only thing you can't do is ignore them.

Because they *change* things. They push the human race *forward*.







And while some may see them as the crazy ones, we see genius.





Because the people who are crazy enough to think they can change the world, are the ones who do.



"Whatever you do in life, surround yourself with smart people who'll argue with you."



John Wooden won 10 NCAA Championships in 12 years



Tom Hagen & Don Vito Corleone

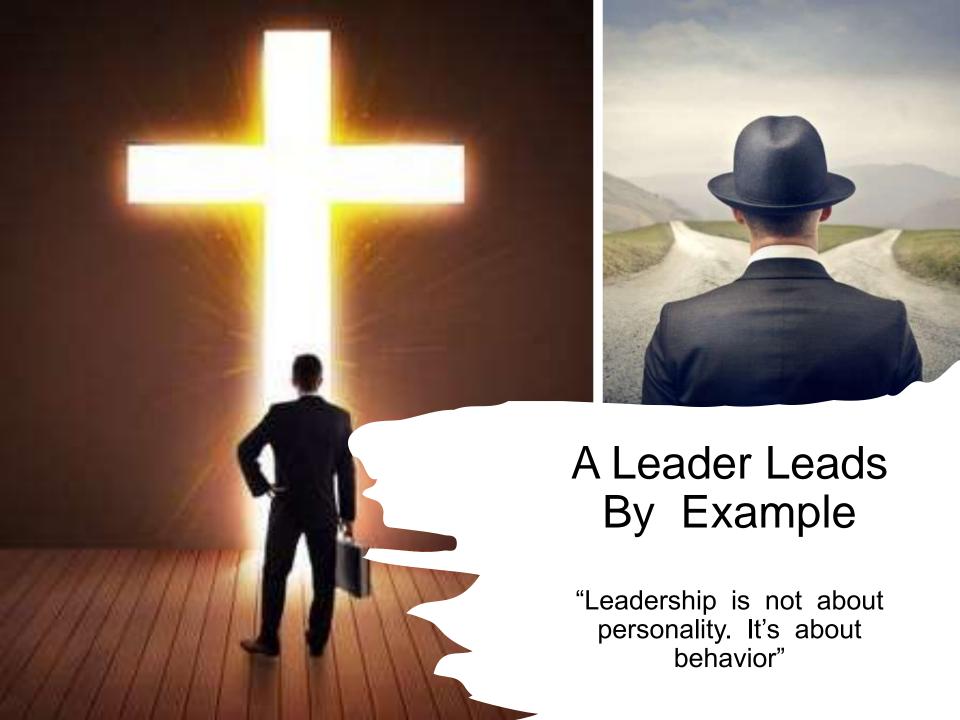
Cultivate a Consigliere!

con·si·glie·re -

- ~ a member of a Mafia family who serves as an adviser to the leader and resolves disputes within the family.
- an adviser to an important or high-ranking person.

Servant Leadership





5 Practices of Exemplary Leadership



1. <u>Model The Way</u> – know and live your core values and WHY



2. Inspire a Shared Vision

articulately share the exciting possibilities of a future destination



3. <u>Challenge the</u>
<u>Process</u> – ask
questions, experiment,
and test the unknown



4. Enable Others To Act

 great dreams are achieved through collaborative and trusting relationships



5. Encourage The

<u>Heart</u> – celebrate the values and victories of your teams



10 Characteristics of Servant Leaders

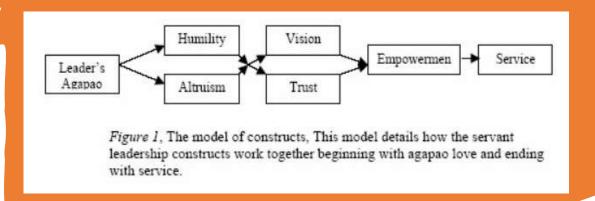




(Greenleaf, 1970; Northouse, 2002; Spears, 2002)

Patterson's Summary of Greenleaf's

Elements of Servant Leaders



- 1. Love
- 2. Humility
- 3. Altruism
- 4. Vision

- 5. Trust
- 6. Empowerment
- 7. Service



Orthodox Servant Leader Model



COURAGE

TEAM

HUMILITY

LOVE

TRUST



<u>Orthodox Servant Leader</u>



I love unconditionally.



I do what I say.



I admit my mistakes.



I persevere regardless of danger, difficulty, or uncertainty.



l support my people.



I lead to a righteous destination.



Orthodox Servant Leader Score

LOVE

I love unconditionally _____

5 = Always

4 = Mostly

3 = Sometimes

2 = Rarely

1 = Never

TRUST

I do what I say ____

HUMILITY

I admit my mistakes ____



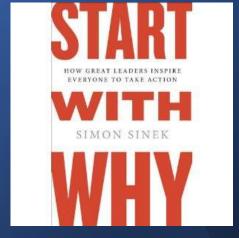
I persevere regardless of danger, difficulty or uncertainty. _____

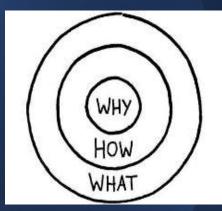
TEAM

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I lead to a righteous destination _____





https://www.ted.com/ta lks/simon_sinek_how_ great_leaders_inspire _action?language=en

Simon Sinek

"There Are Leaders And There Are Those Who Lead"

"Leaders merely hold a title or position of power or influence."

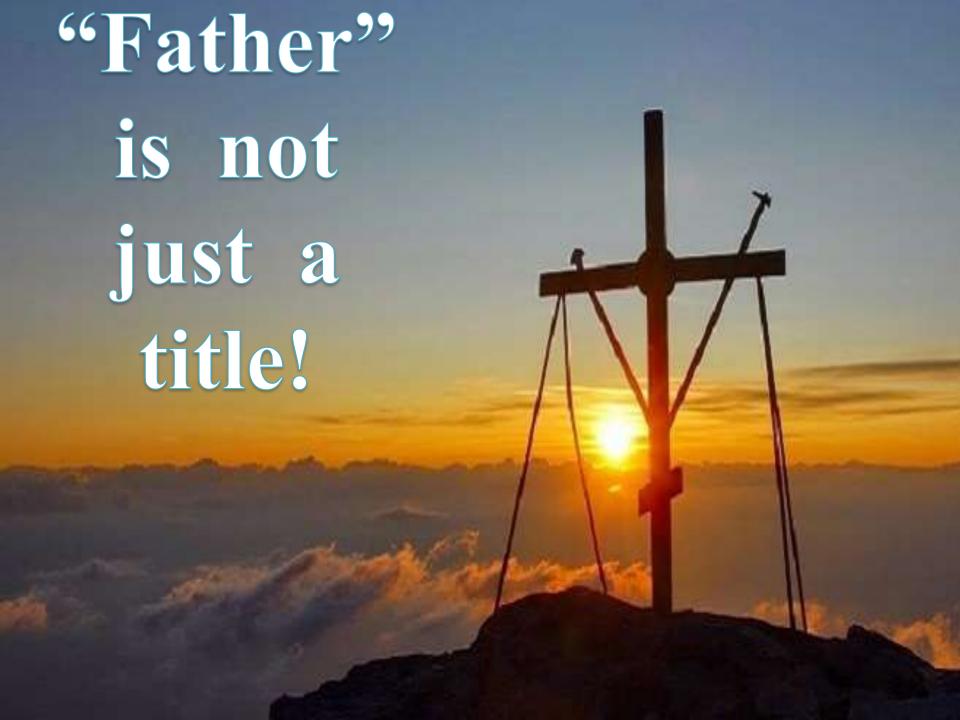
~ "Those who lead, inspire us to follow them."

~ "We follow those who lead, not for them, but for ourselves."

You Don't Need A Title To Lead



"There are 'leaders' and there are those who lead."



Top Qualities People Want In Their Leaders

Honest = 85%
Forward-looking = 70%
Inspiring = 69%
Competent = 64%

JAMES M. KOUZES
BARRY Z. POSNER

THE
TRUTH
ABOUT
LEADERSHIP

BE NO-FADS,
HEART-OF-THE-MATTER
FACTS YOU NEED TO KNOW

Intelligent = 42%
Broad minded = 40%
Dependable = 37%
Supportive = 36%
Fair Minded = 35%
Straight forward = 31%
Determined = 28%
Cooperative = 26%

Ambitious = 26%

Courageous = 21%

Caring = 20%

Loyal = 18%

Imaginative = 18%

Mature = 16%

Self-Controlled = 11%

Independent = 6%

"The domain of the Leader is the

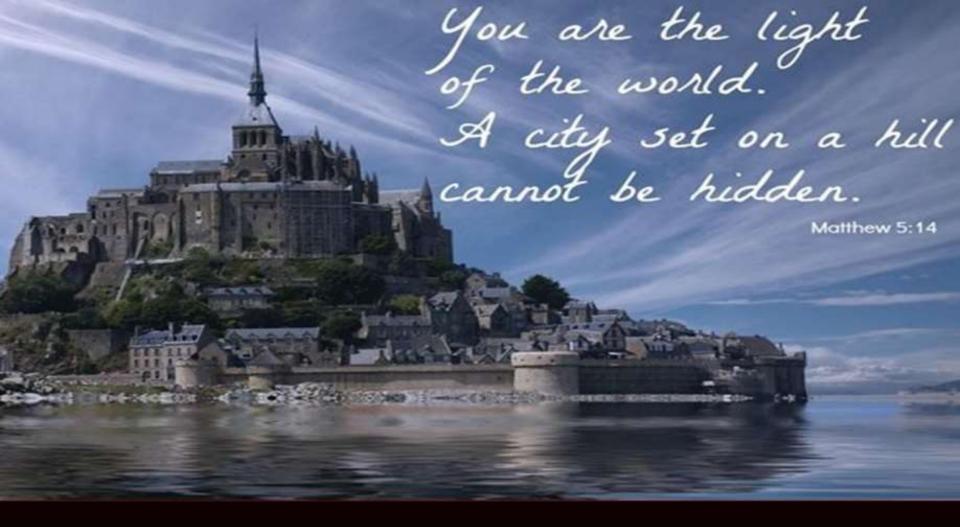


The work of the leader is change."





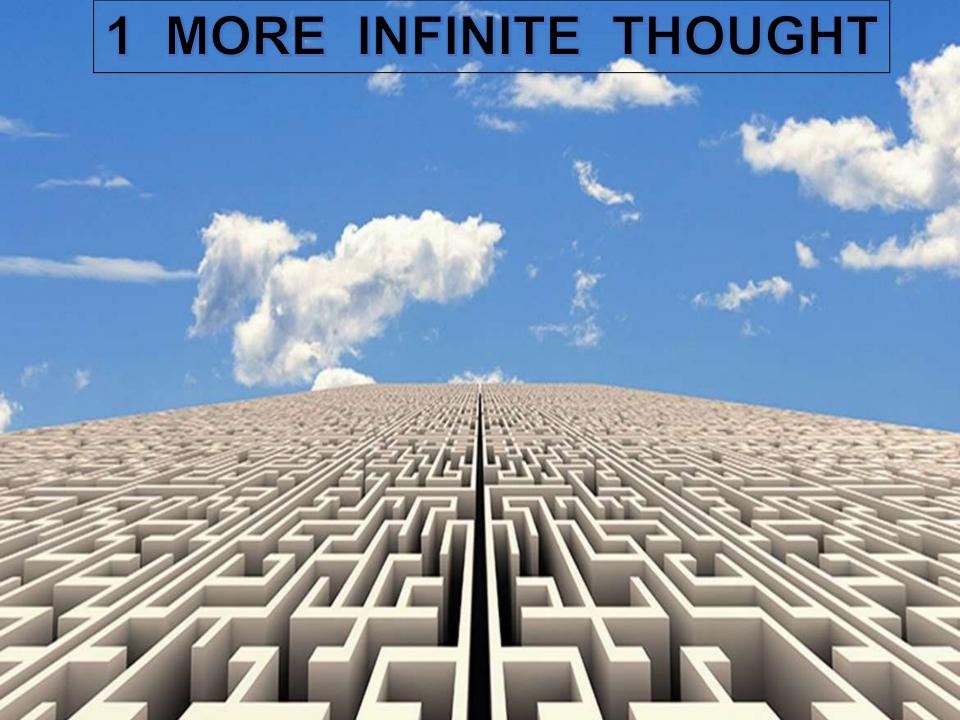
(Kouzes and Posner, 2017)



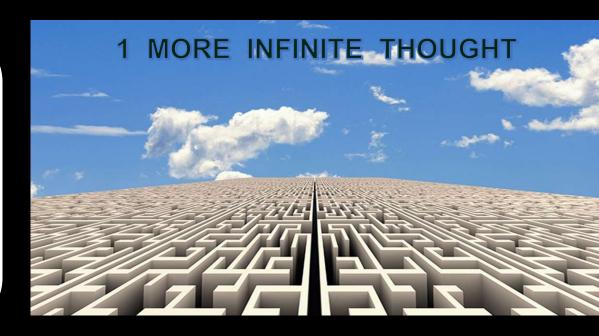
"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven."



Become and create Orthodox human light bulbs



You are playing an ∞ game...





...not a finite game.





- ~ rules are changeable
 - ~ there is no defined endpoint
 - ~ players come and go
 - ~ there are no winners or losers
 - ~ there is only ahead and behind

(like life itself)

YOUR HISTORY

- ~ God has existed since "the beginning"
- ~ Your Orthodox Church has existed for centuries after Christ started it
- Your Archdiocese has existed for 100 years
- Your Orthodox parish has existed for many (many) decades

YOUR LAP

- ~ Prior leaders got you here
- ~ This is merely your lap
- Run it well, and you bless future generations

"..the time of my departure is at hand."
I fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith."



WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU WEREN'T AFRAID?





"The most basic task of the Church leader is to discern the spiritual gifts of all those under his authority, and to encourage those gifts to be used to the full for the benefit of all."

"Only a person who can discern the gifts of others and can humbly rejoice at the flowering of those gifts is fit to lead the Church."

Who Owns The Problem?

"Any time the majority of people behave a particular way the majority of the time, the people are not the problem. The problem is inherent in the system.

As a leader, you own responsibility for the system.

...if you find yourself blaming the people, you should look again."

W. Edwards Deming (father of the Quality Movement)

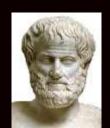


Top 5 Things People Look For In Picking A New Church

- 1. Quality of Sermons 83%
- 2. Feeling welcomed 79%
- 3. Style of services 74%
- 4. Location 70%
- 5. Education for kids 56%

"We are what we repeatedly DO..."

"Excellence, then, is not an act, but a HABIT"



Aristotle 384 B.C. – 332 B.C.



"In the end, leaders don't decide who leads.

Followers do.

If you think you're a leader and you turn around and no one is following you, then you're simply out for a walk."



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Your $Job = E^2 + I$

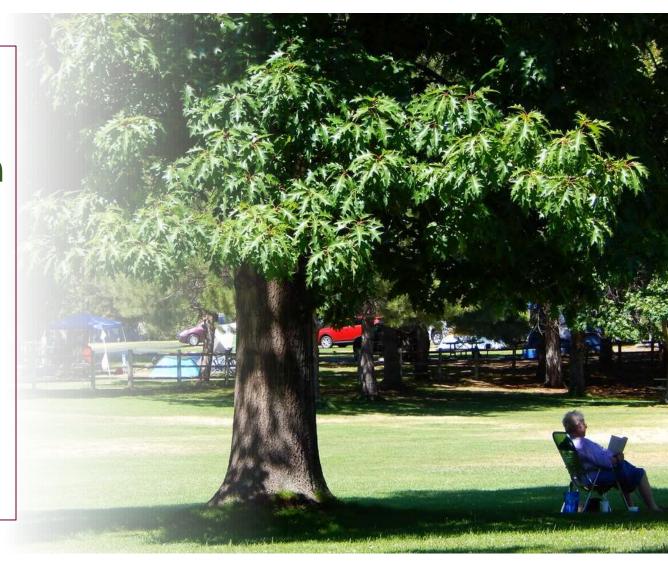
• **Educate** everyone what it means to be an Orthodox Christian

- Engage everyone sacramentally, liturgically, and in ministry
- Inspire everyone to become an intentional Orthodox Christian 24 x 7 x 365



"A society grows great when old men and women plant trees in whose shade they shall never sit."

Greek Proverb





Old Chinese Proverb

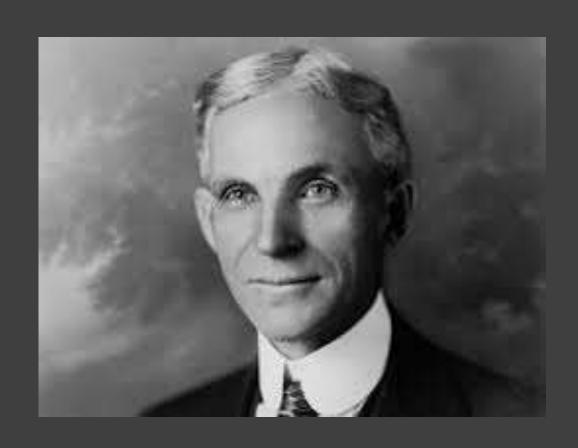
"The best time to plant a tree was 20 years ago.

The second best time is today."



Leaders of a church will either be risk takers, or church caretakers who will eventually become its undertaker.

"If you keep doing what you've always done, you'll keep getting what you've always got."



Henry Ford

"The domain of the Leader is the



The work of the leader is change."





Dr. James Kouzes

Be Courageous

If anyone ever asks you, "What Would Jesus Do?"



Remind them that flipping over tables and chasing people with a whip is within the realm of possibilities.

Matthew 21:12 Mark 11:15 Luke 19:45 John 2:15 Now, Lord, look on their threats, and grant to Your servants that with all boldness they may speak Your word!

Acts 4:29

Fortune Favors The Bold...





TURN & PAGE

There comes a day when you realize turning the page is the best feeling in the world.

Because you realize there's so much more to the book than the page you are stuck on.







You Were
NOT Called to
Lead a Parish
or Ministry

You were called to lead people closer to Christ and each other.

"Either lead, follow or get out of the way."



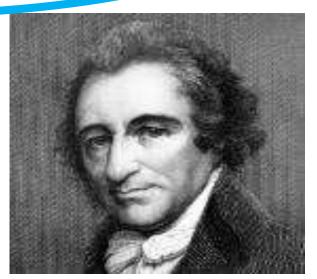
Ted Turner



General George S. Patton



Lee A. lacocca



Thomas Paine



Bill Marianes



You have been called as one of the 70 Disciples



Luke 10:1

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