

DUE IN CLASS NOVEMBER 6 TO FR. MAY

Good and Faithful Servant

Project Plan Sheet

"Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy." Matt 25: 23

These projects are about discovering and using the gifts that God has given all of us. In the Good and Faithful Servant parable, the master gave to the servants according to their abilities. We must not be lazy or afraid to use what God has given us.

The Parable of the Talents teaches us that

- Success is a product of our work
- God has given us all we need
- We should not work for selfish purposes
- We will be held accountable

In the course of your project, you will encounter each of these principles, too.

Think about and pray about the talents that God has given you. What makes you unique? What are you good at? What makes you excited?

If you had unlimited money, what needs would you address? Don't settle for an easy answer here. Consider instead what suffering, what struggles, what group of people truly touch your heart.

You won't have unlimited money, though; you will have \$10. What person or group would you like to help?

What is your plan to help this person or group? State it in one sentence.
How will helping this person or group grow the Kingdom of God?

How will helping this person or group help you to become a closer disciple of Jesus?

The goal is to make the most of the gifts you have been given. Do you plan to “grow” your \$10 to maximize its effect? If so, how?

It’s important to have a workable timeline for your project. The required dates are below. Fill in your plan in the “empty” months to get things done so you’re not waiting until the last minute. We will be asking for updates in the mentor groups as we go.

October	Project Plan Sheet (this!) 15 th – Receive your \$10
November	6 th – completed Project Plan Sheet due to Fr. May. He will review them during class time and you will have the approval before you leave that night. Make your poster 18 th -19 th – Poster Weekend at any of the 3 masses
December	
January	
February	
March	
April	2 nd – Completed project report in mentor group 15 th – Poster Weekend at 10:00 mass