

Stewardship report to Church Council. Sept. 10.  
Submitted by Al Brunsting, Chair

I attended the annual NIC Stewardship Seminar at Barrington UMC on Aug. 23, 9:00 – 2:30. George Groves & Del Hollingsworth also attended.

We plan to conduct our Stewardship campaign in a similar manner to last year, which was successful. We can be grateful for a generous congregation that allowed us to meet our expenses, pay full apportionments, and win the 2013 Philip Otterbein Award at the 2014 Annual Conference.

Our campaign will be synched with our clergy and be in partnership with the building appeal. We plan to have a 2-min. testimonial at most, if not all, the worship services from Sept. through commitment weekend Nov. 15-16. There will also be brief presentations at our adult discussion classes and articles in the Tidings. In addition there will be pledge cards to design, mailings, and follow-ups with the non-responders. At the end of all this the Stewardship team will have a victory celebration at our home.

-- Al Brunsting