Intro for section:

Several GNJ clergy have joined together to write stewardship letters to be used during Thanksgiving and the Advent season. Each one is infused with a different spiritual approach, so please choose the ones that work best for your congregation. Thank you to the holiday letter contributors: Heather Valosin, Chuck Coblentz, Shelley Smith, Enger Muteteke, Brandon & Jennifer Cho!

Intros for each letter:

1. Thanksgiving Letter to Congregations: For those of you who would like to reach your patrons through lyrics, send this brief letter as soon as possible.
2. Thanksgiving Letter with History: This letter invites your congregation to embrace the church’s rich history as a way to encourage them to preserve its future.
3. Thanksgiving Thank You Letter: This letter serves as a conduit to thank everyone in the congregation for the many things they do to serve God. This enthusiastic letter will encourage your congregation to give to preserve the strong ministries.
4. Christmas letter Miracles: Allow them to revel in the birth of Jesus as you ask for a special gift this Christmas and invite your congregation to a Christmas Eve service.
5. Christmas Next Steps: This letter serves as a way to thank your congregation for their support, ask them to take the next step toward giving and join you for a Christmas Eve service.
6. Overall Stewardship Letter (if you choose to use): This letter allows you to ask for a donation through storytelling. You can personalize it, if you’d like.