

How will you serve?

Service Sunday June 27/28th

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Social

Social Events Volunteer

We are looking for those that would be willing to either lead or support the planning and execution of one of our many major events throughout the year. Volunteers would sign up for one event. Events include; Family Movie Night, Easter Vigil Wine and Cheese, Fall supper, Kingdom Party, St. Nick's Potluck and Talent Show, Parish Craft Fair.

Funeral Hospitality (Lunch)

Those who assist with funeral hospitality are involved with setup, service and cleanup at funeral lunches. We are hoping to form 4 teams of 6 volunteers who would serve in a rotation for the year. Each team would serve 1 to 2 times a year only (2hr time commitment)

Liturgical

Lector

Those who take part in this ministry are privilege to proclaim God's word at Holy Mass. Parishioners who sign up will be schedule to read (sat mass; every 4-6 weeks, Sun mass twice a year). We encourage individuals 16 yrs and older to volunteer to be lectors. Training will be provided.

Usher

Those who are ushers help direct parishioners towards open seats to ensure the church is fully occupied. They also help direct the flow of traffic during Holy Communion. Ushers are asked to be at Mass 20 minutes prior. Parishioners who signup will be scheduled every 4 weeks . Training will be provided.

Welcoming

Welcomers are responsible for greeting parishioners as they enter the church, handing out bulletins, and directing people to signup lists. Welcomers are asked to arrived at church 30min early. Welcomers will be scheduled every 4-6 weeks. Training will be provided.

Offertory Collection

Those who take up the collection are responsible for receiving the offerings of parishioners during the offertory by going up and down the aisle with offertory baskets. Parishioners who volunteer will be scheduled every 4-6 weeks. Training will be provided.

Presenting Offertory Gifts

Those, groups of 2 or more, who present the offertory gifts bring forth the bread and wine at Holy Mass. Parishioners who volunteer will be scheduled twice a year

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Coffee Hospitality (Sunday)

Those who volunteer will prepare and setup coffee which is provided for parishioners after every Sunday Mass. Coffee volunteers are asked to arrive 20minutes early and stay 30min after Mass. Parishioners will be scheduled for every 4-6 weeks. Training will be provided.

Maintenance and Cleaning Helpers

Those who volunteer will be on an email/call list to help around the parish/rectory when work-b's or projects need to be completed.

Hampers for Those in Need

We support two hamper programs at Christmas time. St. Mary's Hampers and Our Lady of Lourdes Hampers. Volunteers would be called upon to help with the packaging of hampers, distribution of materials and communication with donors for the St. Mary's Program. This is a once a year task.

Children's Catechism

There are two ways to serve our Catechism program on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month; "Teachers" are asked to organize and facilitate lessons (using support materials). "Helpers" are asked to provide hands on support with children's needs during class time. Assistance with crafts, potty breaks, prep and cleanup of classroom space.

Refugee Committee

The refugee committee is currently looking for new members to help assist in refugee sponsorship. They are looking for members to officially be part of the steering committee, volunteers to help move household items when needed, and for volunteers to help journey with families as they arrive in Saskatoon

Ongoing Membership

Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic Fraternal Organization, founded in 1882 by Father Michael J. McGivney in New Haven, Connecticut. It is an organization of men's Catholic fellowship and service.

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