

Parishioner Information

If you are interested in any of these ministries, please drop your completed form in the collection basket. Thank you.

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone Number

Email

Activities and Ministries

Liturgical Ministries

- Adoration
- Altar Servers
- Art & Environment
- Greeters
- Lectors
- Ministers of Care
- Ministers of The Eucharist
- Music Ministry
- Taize
- Ushers

Leadership Ministries

- Adult Faith Board
- Finance Committee
- Pastoral Council

Affiliated Groups and Organizations

- Knights of Columbus
- Servite Secular Order
- The Chicago Help Initiative (CHI)

Other Ministries

- Alpha
- Ambassadors
- Assumption Shares
- Bible Study
- Childcare
- Communications Committee
- Domestic Violence Committee
- Garden Club
- Hospitality Committee
- Men's Group
- Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)
- Social Justice Committee
- Special Events/Fundraisers
- Young Adults



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Opportunities to SERVE

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Ministry Descriptions

Liturgical Ministries

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Opportunity for contemplative prayer. People needed to keep Jesus company.

ALTAR SERVERS: Assist at the altar during Sunday Mass or special liturgies.

ART & ENVIRONMENT: Helps prepare the church for special seasons and celebrations.

GREETERS/USHERS: Welcome parishioners and visitors, find seats for worshippers when the church is crowded, collect and secure church offerings, and arrange for gift bearers at Mass.

LECTORS: Proclaim the Word of God at weekday and Sunday Masses.

MINISTERS OF CARE: Upon completion of a training program, may bring Communion to the sick, hospitalized and shut ins.

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST: Assist with the distribution of Communion at Masses.

MUSIC MINISTRY: Singers and instrumentalists are needed for our choir and contemporary group.

TAIZE: A monthly participant led prayer service according to the prayer form developed in Taize, France.

Leadership Ministries

ADULT FAITH BOARD: Plans and implements adult faith programming, including Lenten Evenings of Faith, Parish Retreats and Missions, and other catechetical and faith formation activities.

FINANCE COMMITTEE: Assists the pastor in financial planning and oversight and in maintenance and improvement of parish facilities. Membership is by appointment only.

PASTORAL COUNCIL: Assists the Pastor by investigating pastoral matters, considering them thoughtfully, and proposing practical conclusions. Members are discerned to serve a three year term.

Affiliated Groups and Organizations

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: The nation's oldest Catholic fraternal organization seeks to serve the parish, the church, and the larger community through charity, service, and Christian witness.

SERVITE SECULAR ORDER: Community of lay men and women who seek to grow spiritually by following the example of the Seven Holy Founders of the Order of Servants of Mary.

THE CHICAGO HELP INITIATIVE

(CHI): Provides meals and special services every Wednesday evening to the needy and homeless at the facilities of Catholic Charities.

Other Ministries

ALPHA: A series of weekly gatherings that focuses on the fundamentals of Christianity in a welcoming non-judgmental way.

AMBASSADORS: Distribute flyers about Masses and special events to local hotels approximately 6 times a year.

ASSUMPTION SHARES: Help distribute food vouchers to the poor and homeless.

BIBLE STUDY: Programs are offered during the day and in the evenings.

CHILDCARE: Provides parents with safe, reliable child care for children age 18 months through 4 years during the 10:30 Mass.

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE:

Oversees our electronic and print communications and publicizes parish events.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMITTEE:

Promotes the prevention of domestic violence by raising awareness and referring those in the cycle of abuse to counseling, shelter, and legal support services.

GARDEN CLUB: Cares for the green space just west of the church.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE: Plans and implements various social functions throughout the year.

MEN'S GROUP: An opportunity for men of all ages in the parish to meet for inspiration, fellowship, service to the community, and to enhance their spirituality.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (RCIA):

Prepares adults for the sacraments of Baptism, First Communion and Confirmation. Sponsors and leaders needed.

SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE:

Advocates for positive social change in society according to Catholic principles.

SPECIAL EVENTS/FUNDRAISERS:

Plans and executes events that build community and raise money for the church.

YOUNG ADULTS: For anyone in their twenties or thirties, married or single. Participate in various liturgical, social, and service activities.