



The Catholic Communities of

St. Edward, Elmdale, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Francis, St. Mary, Upsala

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## Stewardship: Time and Talent Survey

Please check the areas of parish life you would like to be involved in. We will notify you of upcoming training dates ( example: Eucharistic Minister Training). Thank you for your willingness to serve your parish!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Church Ministry

- Eucharistic Minister
- Homebound Eucharistic Minister
- Eucharistic Adoration
- Sacristan
- Gift Bearer
- Lector
- Greeter
- Usher
- Prayer Line
- Religious Ed Coordinator
- Religious Ed Teacher (Grades 1-11)
- Vacation Bible School/Totus Tuus
- Youth Ministry/Chaparone
- Choir
- Money Counter
- Instrumentalist ( which instrument)

\_\_\_\_\_  Sound Technician (St. Mary's)

### Questions/Comments/ideas

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### Committees & Misc.

- Building/Grounds Maintenance
- Cemetery Upkeep
- Social Justice
- Seasonal Decorating
- Funeral Committee/Lunches
- Seasonal Cleaning
- Special Events: Smelt Fry, Spaghetti Supper, Fall Festival, Turkey Bingo, Journey with Jesus, breakfasts
- Vocation Awareness
- Pro-Life Group
- Quilting, sewing, embroidery, knitting etc.
- Hospitality Weekend
- Christian Women's Group
- Men's Group
- Women's Group
- Lead the Rosary
- Lock St. Mary's Church
- Children's Liturgy of the Word at 10:00 am Mass
- Knights of Columbus

### Children/Youth Ministry Involvement

- Altar Server
- Eucharistic Minister ( Confirmation age)
- Greeter
- Lector
- Usher

## **Stewardship: Time and Talent Descriptions**

### **Church Ministry**

Eucharistic Minister: Distribute Holy Communion at Mass (must be Confirmed).

Homebound Minister: Go to those unable to come to church to bring the Eucharist.

Eucharistic Adoration: Spend quiet time praying, reading and Adoring the Blessed Sacrament (one hour a month).

Sacristan: Prepare the Credence, side and gift tables prior to Mass. May assist the Eucharistic Ministers during Mass.

Assist the priest before and after Mass.

Gift Bearer: Two persons (or family) take the bread, wine and water to the altar during the offertory.

Lector: Participate in Mass by reading the scriptures, prayers of the faithful, announcements, responses, etc.

Greeter: Greet and welcome people as they arrive at Mass.

Usher: Assist with seating people before Mass, collect the offertory envelopes, and help carry the gifts if needed.

Prayer Line: Serve on a phone tree and pray for those in need, along with notifying the next person on the phone tree or list.

Religious Ed Teacher/Helper: Help to form our children in our Faith (must be Confirmed).

Vacation Bible School/Totus Tuus: Assist with a week long program held in the summer.

Hospitality Weekend: Refreshments and snacks after Mass.

Lead Rosary: Weekends or weekday Masses

Lock St. Mary's Church: In the evenings at 7 or 8 pm.

Children's Liturgy of the Word: At the St. Mary's 10 am Mass on Sundays

Money Counters: Counts weekend Contributions on Mondays once a month

### **Music Ministry**

Choir: Practice as needed. Sing and /or play an instruments at the scheduled weekend Mass.

### **Committees & Misc.**

Building/Grounds Maintenance: Assist with the maintenance of the church building and property as needed.

Cemetery Upkeep: Helps mow lawn and general maintenance.

Social Justice: Work to share time and charitable giving to those in need. Ie: food shelves, help for the elderly and the sick with manual tasks.

Seasonal Decorating: Help decorate and take down decorations ( Christmas and Easter etc).

Special Events/Fundraising: Plan and help at special events and fundraising functions in your parish.

Vocation Awareness: Pray for our Seminarians and promote events.

Group Participation: The Central Office will connect you with Men's & Women's Groups, Christian Mothers, and Knights of Columbus if interested.

### **Children/Youth Involvement**

Altar Server: Assist the priest at Mass.

Eucharistic Minister: Distribute Holy Communion at Mass (Confirmation age).

Greeter: Greet and welcome people as they arrive at the Mass.

Lector: Participate in Mass by reading the scriptures, prayers of the faithful, announcements, responses, etc.

Usher: Assist with seating people before Mass, collect the offertory envelopes, and help carry the gifts if needed.