

PARISH MINISTRIES



Altar Servers

This is a ministry for the children of the Parish. The altar server assists the priest at Masses. Children must have received their First Holy Communion and be aged 8 years and upwards.

Altar Society

The Altar Society would have the responsibility of enhancing the whole Church interior through use of flowers, banners & other appropriate decorative material. We would welcome especially anyone with creative talent.

Baptism Preparation Team

Working in teams of two, members meet with families who have a baby for Baptism. This meeting is to welcome the baby into the parish community and explain the baptismal ceremony to families.

Children's Liturgy Group

Following on from pre-covid, we hope to establish a children's liturgy group in the parish.

Church Cleaning Teams

Teams dust, polish, wash, clean and vacuum inside the Church. New members are needed, both men and women. Currently we have six teams responsible for the cleaning of the church for a designated month or two. This requires two to three hours in the month.

Church Collectors & Ushers

This group take up the collection during the Saturday evening & Sunday Masses. Ushers will steward at large events.



Eucharistic Adoration Group

Eucharistic Adoration takes place from 10am until 9.00pm each Wednesday. Members commit to spending an hour in prayer before the Eucharist

Legion of Mary

Helps members to grow in faith as well as reach out to others, to share the faith through hospital visitation and home visitation. Weekly meetings are centred on the Rosary.

Ministers of the Eucharist

The Ministers of the Eucharist distribute Holy Communion during Mass. Reverence for the Eucharist is essential. Training will be provided. Trained Ministers can choose to be available for Sundays or weekdays or both.

Ministers of the Word

Readers proclaim the Word of God at Mass. A good reading voice is essential to ensure the Word of God can be heard. Training will be provided. Ministers can choose to be available for Sundays or weekdays, or both.

Music Ministry

The Saturday Evening Folk Choir provide music and song at Saturday 6.30pm Mass. Both Singers and Musicians are welcome. Practice is on Monday nights.

The Sunday Choir strives to encourage the active participation of the community gathered at Sunday Mass, in singing and enhancing the liturgy by providing music. Being a member of the choir entails coming to a weekly one hour practice on Thursday at 7.30pm and to the 11.30am Sunday Mass.

Pro-Life Group

Prayer and action for the protection of life, from conception to natural death. Eucharistic Adoration & prayer vigil every first Saturday from 7.30pm - 9.30am.



Expression of Interest

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone No.: _____

Mobile No.: _____

Email: _____

Preferred Area of Involvement: _____

Thank you for answering the call to serve in our Parish. Please drop this form into one of the 'Called to Serve' boxes in the porches or to the Post box at Parochial House and we will contact you.

Ministry of Welcome & Hospitality

The Members of this group would provide a welcoming atmosphere as parishioners enter the Church for Mass and on special occasions. Members would also provide refreshments in the community room after special Masses, services & events. We welcome help in one or both areas of this ministry.

St Vincent de Paul

Members of SVP visit people in need in their homes to offer assistance and support. Full training and support will be provided.



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*To act justly, to love tenderly and to walk
humbly with your God."*

Micah 6:8