

Called and Gifted to Serve

This survey is intended to help you find where your gifts, skills and curiosity connect to the ministry needs of our congregation. By completing the survey, you also help our church leadership match volunteers to ministry tasks. In other words, we'll know who to call for what. We do the survey every year, so you can reaffirm your choices or choose something new.

Name: _____ *(please fill out one form per person)*

Cell Phone: _____ **Home Phone:** _____

Email: _____ **Other:** _____

I. Worship

- _____ Reader (reads the scripture)
- _____ Usher / Greeter (welcomes worshippers and receives offering)
- _____ Communion Server (adults and youth over 8 to serve during communion)
- _____ Lay speaker/preacher to provide Sunday message
- _____ Sound/Projection/Live-stream Tech
- _____ Prepare communion and fill candles
- _____ Drama Actor (occasional skits for worship or VBS)
- _____ Altar Design
- _____ Seasonal Decorating

II. Education for Various Ages (Working with Children/Youth requires background check)

- _____ Lead children's faith formation classes/groups (preferred age-level: _____)
- _____ Vacation Bible School Director
- _____ Vacation Bible School Assistant (crafts, stories, dramas, music, activities, etc.)
- _____ Youth activities helper (chaperone for lock-in, mission trip, fundraisers)
- _____ Children activities helper (Halloween Carnival, movie night, other events)
- _____ Facilitator for adult studies or small groups
- _____ Other short-term educational/discipleship/faith formation experiences

III. Music

- _____ Vocal Choir Member (rehearse weekly, sing once a month)
- _____ Bell Choir Member (rehearse weekly, play once a month)
- _____ Band Member (rehearse weekly, play once a month)
- _____ Provide special music for worship (vocal or instrumental)
- _____ Organist/Pianist
- _____ Direct children/youth or other music group

IV. Congregational Care

- _____ Visit homebound or hospitalized members
- _____ Take communion to those who can't get to worship
- _____ Send cards, make phone contact with shut-ins or others as needed
- _____ Prayer Chain Member (pray for those on weekly prayer list)
- _____ Meals for people coming home from hospital, new mothers, death in family
- _____ Make phone calls for special events/projects (funerals, pasty sale, cookie bake)

V. Property Care

- _____ Gardening and Lawn care
- _____ Non-typical cleaning projects
- _____ Custodial work in case of emergencies or when Custodian is away
- _____ Electrical repairs
- _____ Carpentry needs
- _____ Plumbing needs
- _____ Odd jobs
- _____ Bulletin boards
- _____ Indoor plant care

VI. Office Help

- _____ Special mailings
- _____ Office assistant, especially when Administrative Assistant is away
- _____ Social Media (Website/Facebook, Video, Photos)

VII. Meals/Kitchen

- _____ Funerals – set up, serve, or clean up
- _____ Other meals – prepare food
- _____ Other meals – set up, serve, or clean up
- _____ Coordinate receptions or potlucks

VIII. Fellowship

- _____ Coffee after worship (prepare and clean up)
- _____ Provide muffins or some such refreshment for after worship
- _____ Host a specific fellowship event, the event suggested is _____

IX. Committees (generally 3-year terms starting in January)

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| _____ Worship | _____ Membership Care |
| _____ Altar Guild | _____ Missions |
| _____ Education | _____ Trustees |
| _____ Finance | _____ Church Council |
| _____ Nominations & Leadership Development | _____ Staff/Parish |

X. Beyond our congregation / Missions

- _____ Driving people to appointments/for special events
- _____ Community Projects (examples: shoveling, mowing, construction)
- _____ Mission Trip
- _____ Volunteering for: ___ Hope at the Inn ___ Clothes Closet
 ___ Bay College Ministry meal ___ Christmas Dinner

XI. Fundraising

- _____ Coordinate a specific fundraising event such as a scrap metal drive, pasty bake, rummage sale, MARSP Dinner, etc.) Your idea: _____

XII. Other – If you have other talents, expertise or interests to offer, please let us know.

