

I enjoy reading Scripture, learning more about my faith & discussing my faith with others.

God may be calling me to:

___ Parish Evangelization Cell Group

(Participate in one of many Cells that meet two times per month)

___ F.O.C.C.U.S

(Helping engaged couples prepare for marriage)

___ Baptismal Preparation Volunteers

(Assist Facilitators with various responsibilities as needed)

___ Bible Study Facilitators/Attendees

(Offered during Lent & Advent)

___ Christ Renews His Parish (CRHP)

(Open to men or women of the parish to attend a weekend retreat with other parish members)

___ St. Joseph Covenant Keepers—Men

(Meetings held 2nd & 4th Saturday mornings of the month)

I enjoy supporting a cause, working with others to find solutions to problems, and prefer lively activity to quiet & solitude.

God may be calling me to:

___ Outreach/St. Vincent DePaul

(Help distribute food & clothing to the poor & hungry)

___ Rosary Makers

(Meets monthly to pray the rosary, enjoy a luncheon and make rosaries for prisons and mission countries)

___ Soup Kitchen

(Volunteer 3-4 times a year at the North End Soup Kitchen)

___ Respect Life

(Pro-Life Events and education of life issues)

___ St. Rita's Guild –Women

(Meets monthly in prayer and fellowship)

___ Mission Auxiliary

(Open to all. Helps to organize the St. Joseph Closet for Outreach, raise money through calendar sales for various missions)

I rejoice in the liturgical celebration of the Mass.

God may be calling me to:

___ Lector

(Proclaim God's Word at Mass: ___ Saturday 5 pm;
Sunday: __ 8 am; __ 10 am; __ 12 pm; __ 7 pm)

___ Minister of Holy Communion

(Distribute the Eucharist at Mass: ___ Saturday 5 pm;
Sunday: __ 8 am; __ 10 am; __ 12 pm; __ 7 pm)

___ Adult Altar Server for Funeral Liturgies

(Called as needed)

___ Altar Server

(Serve at Mass, 4th grade & above: ___ Saturday 5 pm;
Sunday: __ 8 am; __ 10 am; __ 12 pm; __ 7 pm)

___ Adult Altar Server Coach

(Work with Altar Servers before and after Mass:
___ Saturday 5 pm; Sunday: __ 8 am; __ 10 am;
__ 12 pm; __ 7 pm)

___ Mass Captain

(Assist with set-up of Mass: ___ Saturday 5 pm;
Sunday: __ 8 am; __ 10 am; __ 12 pm; __ 7 pm)

One of my favorite ways to pray is singing or playing a musical instrument and I want to contribute to the joy of liturgical celebrations.

God may be calling me to:

___ Adult Choir—10 am Mass

___ Cantor

(Lead congregation in song at Mass: ___ Saturday 5 pm
Sunday: __ 8 am; __ 10 am; __ 12 pm; __ 7 pm)

___ Band Ensemble Adult & Youth Volunteers

(Musicians experienced in guitar, drum, flute, violin or any other instruments needed: ___ Sat. 5 pm; ___ Sun. 7 pm)

___ School Youth Choir, 3rd—8th Grade

(Sing at weekly school Mass, practice on Wednesdays at 3 pm)

___ Parish Youth Choir, 3rd—8th Grade

(Sing at Sat. 5:00 pm or Sun. 12:00 pm Mass one—two times per month. Practice once a week—TBA)

I enjoy working with my hands, working with others and taking care of details.

God may be calling me to:

___ Parish Life Commission

(Help plan & volunteer at various parish activities throughout the year including Trivia, Homecoming Parade, etc.)

___ Arts & Environment

(Keep our church beautiful by taking care of altar flowers, putting up seasonal decorations/adornments and banners)

___ St. Joseph Guild

(Meets Wednesdays 9:00am-12:00 pm and helps maintain the parish grounds as requested, cleans our church weekly and other tasks as needed.)

___ 55 & Over

(Meet other parishioners on Tuesday for lunch, along with other social events—plan annual garage sale & craft show)

___ Men's Club

(Open to all men of parish to raise funds for the H.F.S. athletic program, plan the parish picnic and serve other charities)

___ Knights of Columbus

(All Catholic men 18 & older welcome to serve our parish and our community. Meetings held monthly)

I love cooking & baking. Food is nourishment for the body, as scripture is nourishment for the soul.

God may be calling me to:

___ Prepare Funeral Lunch Dish

(Prepare & donate food for funeral lunches, called as needed)

___ Adult Faith Formation Events

(Donate a dessert or appetizer for Faith Formation Events)

___ Outreach Meal

(Prepare a meal for a parish "family" due to sickness, hospitalization or death of a loved one. Called as needed)

I believe in the power our young people have to change the world. Acting as a catechist, teacher, or mentor for our youth through school, religious education, and/or leadership programs is meaningful to me.

God may be calling me to:

___ **Religious Ed. Elementary School Catechist**
(K-6th grade Monday 4:45-6:00 pm or 6:15-7:30 pm)

___ **Religious Ed. Middle School Catechist**
(7-8th grade Tuesday 6:30-8:30 pm)

___ **Religious Education Classroom Aides**
(Same times as listed above)

___ **Children's Liturgy of the Word Volunteer**
(Lead or Assist during Sunday 10 am Mass for children 4 yrs.- 2nd grade)

___ **Vacation Bible School Volunteer**
(Lead or assist in a one week program in June. Sixth graders & older are welcome to assist)

___ **Confirmation Preparation Catechist**
(Lead or assist in monthly classes held September-May on Sundays)

___ **High School Youth Service Project**
(Volunteers needed to help plan or lead service projects held monthly on Saturday morning or afternoon)

___ **High School Youth Group Volunteer**
(Weekly meetings held Wednesdays 7:00-9:00 pm)

___ **High School Drop-In Program Volunteer**
(Held Monday 2:30-6:00 pm during the school year)

___ **Middle School Youth Group**
(Leaders/Volunteers needed one Friday per month 6:30-9:00 pm)

___ **Project 2o3 Volunteer**
(Attend monthly regional youth gathering held Sundays)

___ **Holy Family School Advancement Team**
(Advisory group to help promote Holy Family School)

___ **Holy Family School P.T.O.**
(Open to all parents of students attending H.F.S.)

*I believe in simple acts of kindness.
God may be calling me to:*

___ **Greeter**
(Greet Mass attendees: ___ Saturday 5 pm;
Sunday: ___ 8 am; ___ 10 am; ___ 12 pm; ___ 7 pm)

___ **Usher**
(Usher & Greet people at Mass: ___ Saturday 5 pm;
Sunday: ___ 8 am; ___ 10 am; ___ 12 pm; ___ 7 pm)

___ **Funeral Lunch Servers**
(Help set up, serve & clean up at funeral luncheons)

*I pray for others & have compassion
for the sick & elderly.
God may be calling me to:*

___ **Eucharistic Adoration**
(Prayer for self & parish on Tuesday 9 am—7 pm)

___ **Homebound Ministry**
(Call, visit &/or bring Eucharist to the sick, shut-ins, and nursing homes)

*I have an interest in helping to guide, offer
valuable input and be a part of making
things happen in our parish.
God may be calling me to:*

___ **Christian Service Commission**

___ **Education Commission**

___ **Evangelization Commission**

___ **Finance Commission**

___ **Parish Life Commission**

___ **Stewardship Commission**

___ **Youth Commission**

___ **Worship Commission**

___ **Pastoral Council**

I have a special gift(s) from God and would like to offer it to the parish and/or parish family. My gift is: _____

Church of the Holy Family ***Time & Talent Brochure*** How to be the best & happiest member of our Holy Family Parish

Dear Friend in Christ,

Participating in the life of our parish is a vital component to your presence here at Holy Family. To help you discern how you can be the best and happiest member of our parish, please review this brochure in its entirety. Read the highlighted statements to find those that best describe you. When you find areas of interest, review the corresponding ministries found below and then check the line in front of each ministry. Please also review the "Special Skills" area and write in your God given talent that you would be willing to share. When that special gift is needed, you will be called to ask for your help.

Thank you in advance for praying that the Lord will open your heart, so that you may open your hands to others in service to His kingdom. Also remember, no matter how much we do, we can never outdo the generosity of God.

Return the completed brochure in the offertory basket, to the parish office, or by mailing it to 11824 S. Saginaw St. Grand Blanc, MI. 48439. A member of the ministry will be in contact to follow up with you regarding your interest(s). For more information about the ministries visit www.holyfamilygrandblanc.catholicweb.com.

Please complete one brochure per person

Name _____

Telephone (home) _____

Telephone (cell) _____

Address _____

(city) _____ (zip) _____

E-mail _____

Is contact information new? ___ Yes ___ No

Age (if under 18) _____

___ I am registered with the parish

___ I would like to register with the parish