

8th Grade Service Projects 2020-21

3 PROJECTS REQUIRED

1. HOME SERVICE PROJECTS

- ALL 3 PROJECTS CAN BE HOME SERVICE PROJECTS

- EXAMPLES OF HOME SERVICE PROJECTS:

COOKING A FAMILY MEAL 1 OR 2 TIMES PER WEEK, PAINTING THE HOUSE, HELPING TO PUT AN ADDITION ON HOUSE, CLEANING THE HOUSE ONCE A WEEK

2. COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

- ONE COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT CAN REPLACE ONE HOME PROJECT

- EXAMPLES OF COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS:

COAT DRIVE, VOLUNTEER AT A SOUP KITCHEN OR HOMELESS SHELTER, VOLUNTEER AT SNACK BAR FOR ATHLETIC EVENT, VOLUNTEER ON THANKSGIVING AT REFRESHING LIFE CHURCH (RIVERSIDE) MAKING FOOD FOR NEEDY

3. CHURCH SERVICE PROJECTS

- ONE CHURCH SERVICE PROJECT CAN REPLACE ONE HOME PROJECT

- EXAMPLES OF CHURCH SERVICE PROJECTS:

ALTAR SERVER, USHER, LECTOR, CLEAN CHURCH, CLEAN PARISH CENTER, VOLUNTEER AT CHURCH FUNCTION SUCH AS BREAKFAST WITH SANTA, SPRING FLING/FALL FESTIVAL ETC.

***** In addition to the 3 service projects All Confirmation Candidates (students) must do the following:**

1. Create a schedule of prayer (when will you pray each day of the week) and include petitions for others and the Holy Souls in Purgatory. Write about your schedule, why you chose to pray for those you prayed for and how you intend to keep this schedule in the future.
2. Begin doing an examination of conscience at night before falling asleep using the BAKER method (Blessing, Ask the Holy Spirit to enlighten your mind, Kill – how did you sin or kill the life of God in others today, Embrace the mercy of Jesus, Resolve/Restitution -- resolve to not do these things again and make Restitution to those whom you injured)