

What do Ministers of Holy Communion do?

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are people who are at least 15 years of age who have received the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation) and volunteer to help distribute Holy Communion during Mass.

Parish Mission Statement

St. Bartholomew is a diverse Catholic community welcoming to all. Called to serve, we are united by faith, bonded by prayer, and committed to living the Gospel message.

Mass Schedule

Saturdays: 5pm (Vigil)

Sundays: 8, 9:30 & 11am, 12:30 pm

Monday – Friday: 8am

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*“Whoever eats My flesh
and drinks My blood
abides in Me, and I in
him.”*

--John 6:56



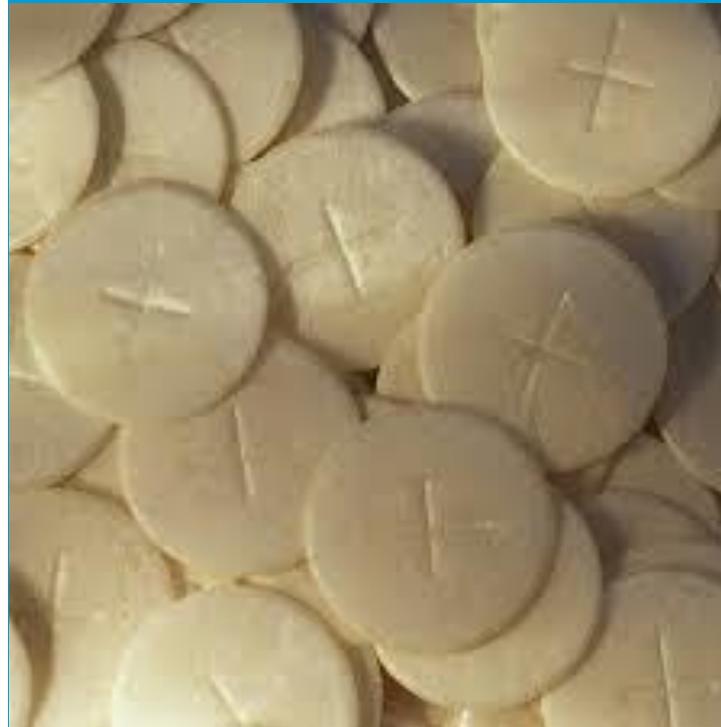
When you were baptized you became a priest with Jesus Christ. This ministry is a very real way to share in that priesthood. We are called to give service to our fellow man. What easier way to fulfill that calling than to participate at Mass by distributing the Eucharist to your fellow Catholics.

Those who serve in this ministry have the opportunity to grow in their faith and to become closer to God and their fellow man through their service.



***Eucharist:
Symbol of unity and love.***

Receiving the Bread of Life, the disciples of Christ ready themselves to undertake with the strength of the Risen Lord and his Spirit the tasks, which await them in their ordinary life. For the faithful who have understood the meaning of what they have done, the Eucharistic celebration does not stop at the church door. Like the first witnesses of the Resurrection, Christians who gather each Sunday to experience and proclaim the presence of the Risen Lord are called to evangelize and to bear witness in their daily lives.



“We become what we have received.”

—St. Augustine

Duties: You will distribute the Holy Eucharistic to other members of the assembly under both species, bread and wine, during the celebration of the Mass.

Frequency: You will be assigned to a team that will be scheduled to serve once every four weeks. You will administer either the Host or the Precious Blood and rotate through all seven positions.

Schedule: The schedule for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, for five of the six weekend Masses, is mailed out to all ministers every three months. Volunteers are needed for Masses on Holy Days of Obligation and extra masses on Christmas and Easter.

*Interested in becoming an
Extraordinary Minister
of Holy Communion?*

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