

Sacred Heart Parish, Glyndon, MD 21071

CONFIRMATION 2020-2021

Service Hour Documentation & Reflection

Name: _____ **Date:** _____ **Number of Hours Worked:** _____

Location of Service (Name of Organization): _____

Supervisor Name & Signature: _____

Briefly describe the work you did during your service activity. ****If this is an off-campus (non-parish) activity, why did you feel called to serve in this area?**

Briefly describe the organization with which you worked. What is the mission? What is the targeted group this organization tries to reach?

How does this experience relate to your preparation of Confirmation?

What can I learn from the experience that will help me live my faith more authentically?

How does this experience challenge my understanding of society and justice?

Find one concrete example from your service experience, which points out to you, why Christians would serve others.

(OVER)

Service Hour Requirements

Welcome! Again, we are so glad that you have decided to be part of this year's Confirmation program! As part of this year's program, you will be expected to complete at least **10 hours of service**. More information on this can be found below. However, if at any time you should have questions about your service hours or the journal questions, please call The Office of Youth Ministry at 410-833-7639 or contact by e-mail at Slea@shgparish.org.

Each Candidate is being asked to complete **at least 10 hours** of direct community service. This service is in the spirit of our Church's Catholic Social Teaching, and should be direct service to those in need along the lines of the Corporal Works of Mercy, which would include, but is not necessarily limited to:

- feed the hungry
- give drink to the thirsty
- clothe the naked
- house the homeless
- visit the sick
- visit the captive

We ask each of our candidates to seek out a service opportunity that is meaningful to them, and which is not merely an attempt to "check off" or "get their hours done".

Also, it will be required that our candidates complete **one (1) parish service activity** offered and listed on the back of the Confirmation Participant Information Form.

Our hope is that in this direct service, you will be encouraged to see the face of Christ in those you serve. To document your service hours, please complete one "Service Hour Documentation and Reflection" form for **each location** of your service activities. If you complete your service on multiple dates, please list those dates on one form and the total number of hours (again) for each location.

EXAMPLE: *Our Daily Bread*

10/5/20; 11/19/20; 1/2/21

of hours: 3.0

After you complete your service for one location, have the supervisor print and sign the form and enter/confirm the total number of hours you completed.

ALL service hours must be completed BEFORE April 25, 2021. However, to help organize your time, we suggest you complete **at least 5 hours** of service and your respective Service Hour Reflection Form on or before December 13th and **at least 5 hours** of service and form on or before April 25th.