

YOUTH MASS ASSIGNMENTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

ALL THOSE PARTICIPATING DURING THE MASS MUST MEET AT

10:30AM, 30 MINUTES BEFORE THE MASS BEGINS.

Greeters & Ushers: (6 per mass)

- **Before Mass:** Greet parishioners coming in for mass at both entrances. Meet with head usher for instructions.
- **During mass (Usher):** Meet in back of church to gather baskets and pass out baskets for offering.

Lectors: (2 per mass)

- Read first or second reading in a clear, loud voice. Practice readings beforehand.
- Before going up, bow towards altar.
- Practice at Ambo, week before mass or 20 minutes before mass.

Commentator: (1 per mass)

- Before mass, read commentator text. Practice reading beforehand.
- Available online (on Friday) on the Parish website: Ministries→ Liturgy and on the side menu: Commentator Text at St. Joseph

Prayers of the Faithful: (1 per mass)

- After the Creed, walk up to Ambo.
- Bow towards altar and read prayers after Father says “We bring our needs before you...”
- After reading prayer, say “We pray” and parishioners answer “Lord hear our prayer”
- Available online on the Parish website: Ministries→ Liturgy and on the side menu: Commentator Text at St. Joseph

Gift Bearers: (3 per mass)

- Once offertory baskets are passed out, meet in back of church at St. Joseph’s table. Bring up gifts to Father.
- Pass host and wine to Father. Offertory basket to be placed in front of Altar.
- Bow towards Father and walk back to your seat

Youth Choir: (10+ per mass)

- Choir practice on Wednesday, the week before scheduled mass. Practice: 7pm in Church.
- Meet 30 minutes before mass with Sister Grace.

Bulletin, Usher, & Clean Up: (6 per mass)

- **Before Mass:** meet with head usher for instructions.
- **During mass (Usher):** Meet in back of church to gather baskets and pass out baskets for offering.
- **After mass:** before last song, gather bulletins and pass out to parishioners leaving mass. Clean up pews after mass.

PLEASE BE MINDFUL OF ATTIRE/DRESS DURING MASS.