

**St. Michael Catholic Church**  
**Stewardship of Time & Talent - 2000-2010 Ministry List**

<b>Liturgical Ministries</b>	
<b>Hospitality Ministers (Ushers)</b>	Welcome all who come to Mass. Ask a family to take up the gifts. Assist with seating at full Masses. Hand out bulletins at the end of Mass. Help straighten up after Mass.
<b>Altar Server</b>	Assists the priest during Mass. Open to anyone who has done their first communion. Training provided.
<b>Sacristan</b>	Helps prepare worship space for Mass and assures all liturgical ministers are present. Training provided.
<b>Lector</b>	Proclaims the Scripture during Sunday Mass and special liturgies. Training provided.
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	Distributes the Body and Blood of Christ at Sunday Masses and special liturgies. Training provided.
<b>Music Minister / Cantor</b>	Provides music at Sunday Masses and special liturgies. Attends regular practices. Weekly or seasonal.
<b>Children's Liturgy of the Word</b>	Leads or assists in sharing the readings and activities with the children during the Liturgy of the Word.

<b>Ministries of Charity</b>	
<b>Sebree Christian Outreach</b>	Volunteers staff the outreach on Saturdays (9am-2pm) during the months of February, June and October.
<b>Nursing Home / Home Bound Ministry</b>	Individuals who visit the homebound and nursing home on behalf of our parish, bringing communion to those who desire to receive it. Training and materials provided.
<b>Blood Drive</b>	During the months of June and December help organize, promote and staff parish blood drive.
<b>Relay for Life</b>	Organize and assist at fundraising events throughout the year. Participate in annual relay event.
<b>Support Group</b>	Meets regularly to support those suffering from addictions, especially drug and alcohol.

<b>Ministries of Formation and Prayer Life</b>	
<b>Bible Study/Adult Faith Form.</b>	Opportunities to grow together in faith while learning more about Scripture and Catholic teachings.
<b>Prayer Team</b>	Parishioners who are notified to pray for certain individuals with special needs who have requested prayer.
<b>RCIA (Initiation of Adults)</b>	Formation for adults who are interested in being initiated in the Catholic church and their sponsors.
<b>Children's Religious Education</b>	Catechists and helpers who teach children the basics of our faith and prepare them to receive sacraments.
<b>Youth Group</b>	Leaders, youth and young adults of the parish who meet regularly for faith formation and service opportunities.
<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b>	Commit to pray during First Friday Eucharistic Adoration.
<b>Evangelization / Stewardship</b>	Visit those not attending Mass in teams. Welcome new families and visitors. Help with quarterly newsletter and annual stewardship renewals and ministry fair. Training and materials provided.

<b>Ministries in Service of the Parish</b>	
<b>Altar Society</b>	A group of women who meet regularly, decorate the church and provide supplies for liturgies.
<b>Knights of Columbus</b>	A fraternity of men who meet regularly and perform charitable works for the parish and the community.
<b>"Fiesta" Committee</b>	Help plan, organize and carry out the various parish celebrations throughout the year.
<b>Website</b>	Design and maintain a website for the parish with the assistance of the staff.
<b>Building and Grounds</b>	Maintain the building and grounds by mowing, landscaping and doing basic maintenance projects.
<b>Church Cleaning</b>	A weekly rotation of volunteers who clean the worship space and parish hall.