

# ST. GERTRUDE SIGN UP SUNDAYS

Sept. 29 & Oct. 6

Please mark the boxes of the groups you would like to get involved with or know more about.

## Parish Advisory Groups:

- Parish Pastoral Council:** Presents the concerns of the parishioners to the pastor and helps set the direction of the parish.
- Finance Committee:** Reviews the overall condition of parish finances, offering counsel on the budget, Sunday Offertory, capital campaigns, and the present and anticipated financial needs of the parish.
- Development Council:** Reviews all fundraising requests for the parish and seeks fundraising opportunities to benefit the parish.

## Faith Formation:

**Religious Education:** Teaches parish children about our Catholic faith and prepares them for the sacraments. Our Religious Ed team consists of:

- Catechists**
- Substitute Catechists**
- Door Monitors**

- Family Ministry Committee:** Helps Youth & Family Minister plan and implement programming to engage parish families.

**WOW Youth Group:** Invites youth of the parish to participate in service projects, faith sharing and social activities.

**Youth participant**

**Adult Volunteer**

- Kids Word:** Leaders teach the Sunday readings to the children, ages 5-10, at the 10:30am Mass.

## Liturgical Ministries:

- Eucharistic Ministers:** Administer Holy Communion at Masses.
- Lectors:** Proclaim the Word of God at Masses.
- Ushers:** Welcome people to Masses and collect offerings.
- Sacristans:** Set up the elements of Mass prior to start.

**Music Ministry:** Provides music for all Masses and special occasions.

**Adult Choir**

**Cantor**

**Instrumentalist**

## Service & Human Concerns:

**Heart to Heart:** Provides transportation and support to seniors and the homebound of the parish.

- Volunteer Office Staff**
- Helping Hands:** Volunteers prepare sandwiches for neighboring homeless men's shelter.
- Ministers of Care:** Volunteers bring Holy Communion to the homebound of the parish.
- Ministry of Praise:** Connects our homebound parishioners to us through at home prayer.
- Refugee Committee:** Sponsors and supports newly arrived refugee families.
- Domestic Violence Committee:** Informs the parish about the causes and nature of domestic abuse and the resources available for victims of abuse.

- United Power for Action & Justice:** Works on many social justice issues in our community.
- Commonweal:** Promotes civil conversation about topics at the intersection of faith and politics.
- Women's Group:** Women of the parish are invited to participate in monthly social gatherings.
- Hospitality Committee:** Volunteers coordinate hospitality on behalf of the parish as needed.
- Knitting Group:** Volunteers knit prayer blankets and shawls for those in need of comfort.
- Christmas Bazaar:** Volunteer opportunities available for this annual event on Dec. 7 & 8. Sign up on this form or at the link below:  
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70a0c4fa8ad28aafb6-christmas1>

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