



Middle School Service

Purpose:

- *To recognize how one's service demonstrates one's faith in action,
- *To reflect on one's service and its impact on those served and the community, and
- * To realize the importance of living one's faith through good works.

Service Suggestions:

- *Service to the Church /School community – acolyte (but not school Masses), fish fry, tutoring
- *St. Joseph School Service Club – activities & projects throughout the year
- *Scout projects – in which the project's purpose is NOT a part of earning a badge
- *Service in support of a cause – The American Cancer Society, The Humane Society, Honor Flight
- *Community Service – helping a neighbor, assisting extended family WITHOUT accepting any form of payment

Requirement:

10 hours to be performed during the academic school year

Culmination:

- *Students will be responsible for writing a reflection on their experiences serving others/ the community with an emphasis on what was learned through this opportunity and the effect this has had on their faith lives.
- *Students will also create a Service Poster highlighting their year of service using pictures and/or graphics to show their faith through good works.
- *Service Posters and Reflection Paper will be due early May
- *Service Posters will be displayed during the VIP/ Grandparent Day event