



Stewardship

A WAY of LIFE:

As each one has received a gift,
use it to serve one another
 as good stewards of God's varied grace.

1 Peter 4:10

Stewardship Prayer

O Lord, giver of life and source of freedom, I know that all I have received is from Your hand. You call us to be stewards of Your abundance, the caretakers of all You have entrusted to us. Help us to always use Your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously. We are called by name to be disciples of Jesus. To live each day in Your presence. Send the Holy Spirit to work through us, bringing Your message to those we serve. Amen.

Spiritual Gifts Assessment

To explore the gifts the Lord has blessed you with, Corpus Christi has a Spiritual Gifts Assessment. Scan this QR Code, before completing the enclosed Stewardship Commitment Form, to find the ministry that is right for you! Or, copies are available at the Parish Office.



Scan me

Prayer

One of the greatest prayers we can offer is the Mass.

MSGR. PATRICK
SCHUMACHER

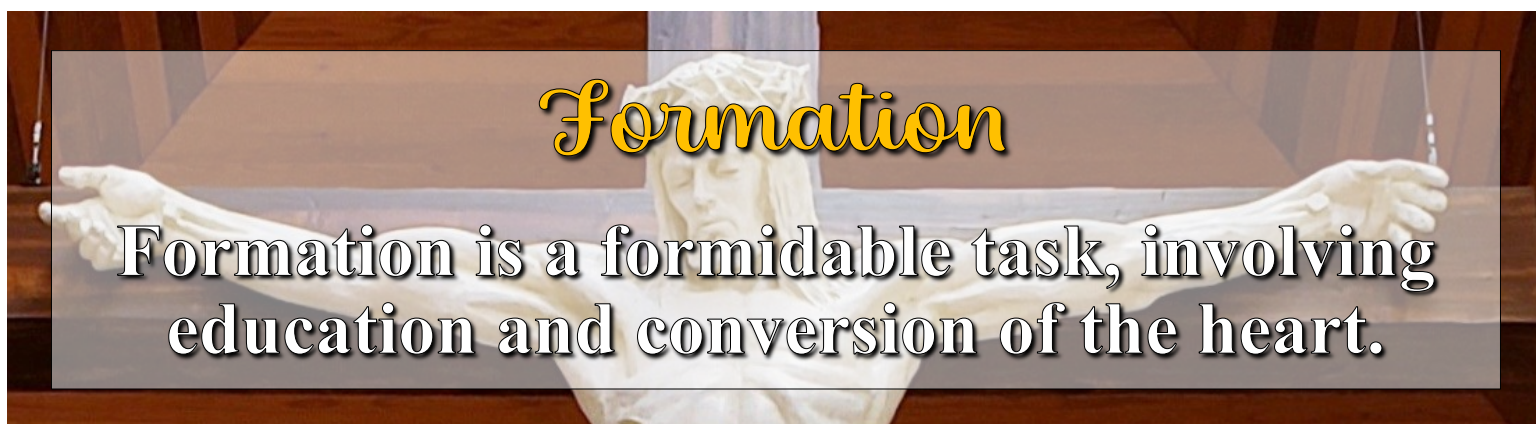
- ☐ **ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** Offered every Tuesday, beginning immediately following the 12:10 pm Mass until 7:00 pm. Interested adorers commit to a 30-minute timeslot. If a Holy Hour is preferred, commit to two consecutive timeslots.
- ☐ **WEEKEND LECTOR:** Prepare and proclaim the scriptures at weekend Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule.
- ☐ **WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC MINISTER:** Distribute the Holy Eucharist at Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule. Flexible.
- ☐ **WEEKEND ALTAR SERVER:** Students who have completed the third grade through high school who assist at Mass. Training provided. Rotating Schedule. Flexible.
- ☐ **WEEKDAY LECTOR:** Prepare and proclaim the scriptures at weekday Mass. Rotating Schedule. Flexible.
- ☐ **WEEKDAY ALTAR SERVER:** Adults who set up and prepare the altar vessels and altar for weekday Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule.
- ☐ **EUCHARIST TO THE HOMEBOUND:** Sunday mornings, one Sunday per month, or weekdays. Occasionally daily to terminally ill. Training provided. Flexible.
- ☐ **CANTORS:** Song leaders for weekend Mass. Musical proficiency needed. Flexible.
- ☐ **ACCOMPANISTS:** Pianists, organists, guitarists, etc., to accompany for weekend Mass.
- ☐ **INSTRUMENTALISTS:** All instruments welcome for weekend Mass and special events. Musical proficiency needed. Flexible.
- ☐ **CHOIR:** Men, women and teens in grades 7-12 who enjoy singing. Choirs sing at different Masses every weekend. Routine rehearsals. Children's Choir for special Masses/events.
- ☐ **PRAYER TREE:** Pray for others upon request. Includes phoning Prayer Tree members.
- ☐ **ROSARY and/or COMMUNION TO ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES:** Lead the Rosary and/or distribute Communion to residents at assisted Living Facilities.

Hospitality

For I was a stranger and you welcomed me... MATTHEW 25:35

- ☐ **NEW PARISHIONERS DINNER:** Assist with inviting, planning and serving dinner for newly registered parishioners. Four times per year.
- ☐ **SPECIAL EVENTS DINNERS:** Assist with serving special events as they occur (Lenten Luncheons, The Banquet, etc.)
- ☐ **HOSPITALITY USHER:** Extend hospitality, take up the collection, and assist with seating people at Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule. Flexible.
- ☐ **HOSPITALITY GREETER:** Extend hospitality in the gathering areas before and after Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule.
- ☐ **FUNERAL USHER/HOSPITALITY MINISTER:** Assist in greeting and ushering at funeral services. Training provided. Rotating schedule.
- ☐ **FUNERAL LUNCHEONS:** Assist with food preparation and serving luncheons. Rotating schedule, three to four times a year.
- ☐ **HOMEBOUND VISITATION:** Visit Corpus Christi parishioners who are homebound. Training provided.
- ☐ **NURSING HOME VISITATION:** Visit and deliver seasonal gifts to Corpus Christi parishioners who live in the nursing homes. Training provided.

- ☐ **CLASSROOM AIDE:** Help the Catechist in the classroom/Atrium. Aide can be middle school age or older.
- ☐ **CATECHIST:** Adult (18+) who helps pass on the gift of faith in an unique, hands-on learning environment, based on Catechesis of the Good Shepherd for children ages Pre-School to grade 5. Training provided.
- ☐ **HALL MONITOR:** Adults (18+) who assist in keeping children safe during faith formation sessions.
- ☐ **MIDDLE SCHOOL MENTOR:** Adults (18+) who journey with middle school students to help them experience Christ.
- ☐ **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD LEADER:** Meet with young children to read and lead discussion of the Sunday Gospel during Mass. Training provided. Rotating schedule. Flexible.
- ☐ **YOUTH MINISTRY TEAM MEMBER:** Adult leaders (19+) who assist youth ministry in a variety of ways, including direct ministry with teens, planning, fundraising, chaperoning, supervising, retreats and lock-ins.
- ☐ **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL LEADER:** Adults and teens, grade 6 and up, to assist at Vacation Bible School as station leaders, crew leaders and kitchen helpers. VBS is held for three days in early June.
- ☐ **FOCCUS FACILITATOR:** Married couples who assist engaged couples with the FOCCUS Inventory. Flexible schedule (schedule as needed and your schedule allows). Training provided.



- ☐ **FOOD PANTRY:** Stock food pantry and prepare food boxes weekly, Mondays and Thursdays. Assist with preparing and distributing holiday food baskets (Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter).
- ☐ **MEALS ON WHEELS:** Deliver meals, prepared by a city program, to the homebound. In January, during the noon hour, one day per week.
- ☐ **PRAYER BLANKET MINISTRY:** Sew, crochet, or knit lap blankets that are given to Corpus Christi parishioners who need comfort due to illness or hardship. Help delivering the blankets is also needed.
- ☐ **ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE:** Assist in decorating the church. Seasonal.
- ☐ **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS:** Join the national men's organization of prayer, service and support of Corpus Christi parish. Monthly meetings and activities.
- ☐ **SMCHS CARNIVAL WORKER:** Help with a variety of activities at the annual St. Mary's Carnival. Workers of all ages needed. Carnival is in February.
- ☐ **CHURCH CLEANING:** Assist with light cleaning of the church and parish grounds.
- ☐ **KITCHEN HELP:** Assist in preparing meals during Lent (Lenten Lunches or Fish Fries) or for special functions. Includes washing dishes after parish functions that include meals.
- ☐ **PARISH EVENTS PHOTOGRAPHER:** Photograph parish events for use in flyers, newsletters, and promotions.
- ☐ **MEDIA & TECHNOLOGY ASSISTANCE:**
 - Assist with camera operation during weekend Masses, holy days, weddings, and funerals.
 - Assist with computer operation for the wall slides during weekend Masses and holy days.
 - Design audio visual presentations for parish use. Assist during presentations as needed.
- ☐ **OFFICE HELP:**
 - Assist with parish mailings — labeling, stapling, and stuffing envelopes, etc. As needed.
 - Assist with weekly bulletins — place inserts into the bulletin on Friday afternoons. Flexible.



Prayer
Hospitality
Formation
Service



Church of Corpus Christi Stewardship Invitation



Thank You

for **GIVING** *with the* **HEART OF A STEWARD!**



Online
Giving



At Mass

Pre-Authorized
Payments



Mail

My Own
Church



To utilize **Online Giving**, visit <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/corp1919133>
or Scan the QR Code above.

To set up **Pre-Authorized Payments** from your checking or savings account,
an authorization form is needed. Contact Bridget Johnson in the Parish Office.

To use **My Own Church** to update member information, set preferences,
or make donations to the Church, visit www.corpuschristibismarck.com/my-own-church.

Stewardship Commitment Form

LAST NAME (PRINT CLEARLY): _____

FIRST NAME (Write on lines below)

Address: _____

Family Member #1: _____

Preferred Phone Number: _____

Family Member #2: _____

Email Address: _____

Family Member #3: _____

☐ Yes, my household is interested in sharing our Stewardship gifts!

Family Member #4: _____

☐ Someone in my household is interested in becoming a **new** volunteer

Family Member #5: _____

~ Choose areas of Ministry Below; put first name of volunteer on line

Family Member #6: _____

☐ Someone in my household would like to re-commit to **current** ministries

~ Notate current ministries below; put first name of volunteer on line

Prayer

Formation

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Classroom Aide

Weekend Lector

Catechist

Weekend Eucharistic Minister

Hall Monitor

Weekend Altar Server

Middle School Mentor

Weekday Lector

Children's Liturgy of the Word Leader

Weekday Altar Server

Youth Ministry Team Member

Eucharist to the Homebound

Vacation Bible School Leader

Cantor

FOCCUS Facilitator Couple

Accompanist

Instrumentalist

Choir

Service

Prayer Tree

Food Pantry

Rosary and/or Communion to Assisted Living Facilities

Meals on Wheels

Prayer Blanket Ministry

Environment Committee

Knights of Columbus

SMCHS Carnival Worker

Church Cleaning

Kitchen Help

Parish Events Photographer

Media & Technology Assistance

Office Help

Hospitality

New Parishioners Dinner

Special Events Dinners

Hospitality Usher

Hospitality Greeter

Funeral Usher/Hospitality Minister

Funeral Luncheons

Homebound Visitation

Nursing Home Visitation

Other

I have an idea for a new ministry! _____

