



Confirmation Service Hours Record Sheet & Reflection Instructions



“The experience of Christian community leads naturally to service. Christ gives His people different gifts not only for themselves but for others. Each must serve the other for the good of all. The Church is a servant community in which those who hunger are to be filled; the ignorant are to be taught; the homeless to receive shelter; the sick cared for; the distressed consoled; the oppressed set free – all so that men may more fully realize their human potential and more readily enjoy life with God now and eternally.”

(To Teach as Jesus Did n.28)

Reflection Essay should include:

- Full Baptismal Name
- Three paragraphs
- Total length should be 1-2 pages

Content:

Paragraph 1 – Describe the service events you participated in this year. Were they rewarding? Explain. How did it make you feel? What are other thoughts you had about the project you chose? How did it help you? How did it help others?

Paragraph 2 – How was your faith being represented through the project? How did you imitate Jesus?

Paragraph 3 – How does doing service help you prepare for Confirmation? Did these projects help you build a relationship with others or bring you closer to God? How did the service projects help you witness Jesus to others? How did they help you grow closer to God and make you a responsible Catholic? How do you see service being a part of your life **after** Confirmation?

Christ has no body on earth but yours: no hands, no feet on earth but yours. Yours are the eyes with which he looks compassion on this world. Yours are the feet with which he walks to do good. Yours are the hands, with which he blesses all the world. Christ has no body on earth but yours.

~St. Teresa of Avila