



## What does an Ambassador do?

- Hospitality- Be welcoming.
- Discernment – Attentive to the needs of those who come to church
- Trustworthy – Secure custody of the collection gifts
- Knowledgeable – Answer questions about our church
- Response – Know what to do in an emergency
- Security – Understand responsibilities in protecting God's Children

## Prayer for Ambassadors

*God of Love, thank you for everyone who volunteers to be an ambassador!*

*They are the front line' of our church, and they are your face at our doors!*

*We pray that your spirit continues to fill them with hospitality and grace as they meet people at the door each week.*

*Give them words of comfort and welcome, and the ability to know which words each person needs to hear as they come into our church.*

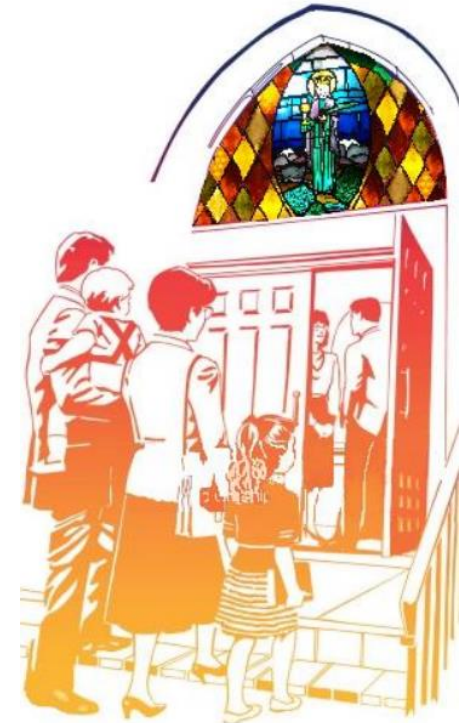
*God call new members of our congregation to help the ushers and greeters as they need it. Lord be with this ministry.*

*Amen.*

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## AMBASSADORS MINISTRY

*Welcoming to Worship*

## Understanding Serving

When you volunteer as an Ambassador you:

- ❖ Greet those entering
- ❖ Help find seats for everyone
- ❖ Assist in an emergency
- ❖ Participate in the offertory collection
- ❖ Identify someone to bring the gifts of bread and wine to the altar
- ❖ Guide the distribution of communion
- ❖ See to the safety and care of those in attendance
- ❖ Ring the church bells

## The Mass is an act of Thanksgiving

**When you serve you are expressing your love for God and your church**

Ambassadors ensure the faithful come together as one, establish community and act respectfully as they listen to the Word of God in order to celebrate the Eucharist with reverence and joy.

*The service that you provide not only fills a need but brings overflowing thankfulness to God.*

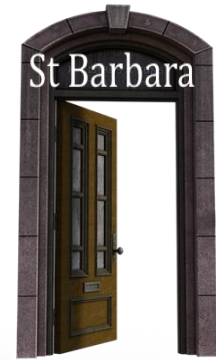
*2 Corinthians 9:12*

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*Jesus says, Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever receives me receives the one who sent me.*

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**In the body of Christ there exists a wonderful variety of ministries, ambassadors provide a welcome and dignified order to the celebration.**



*This ministry sees to the care and safety of our parish community*

## Can I Serve

An Ambassador Minister must be a practicing catholic, in a state of grace, and not conscious of an unconfessed mortal sin.

Have gifts and skills in public communication.

Have a love and reverence for the church and its people.

Understand there are no stereotypes, anyone can serve.

Acknowledge they are hosts who put a face onto the parish.

Actively welcome those who arrive and begin the process of forming the congregation as a worshipping body of God.