

# Daily Mass Ministry

**Daily Mass is a ministry.  
Are you called to serve?**

Volunteers who prepare the church for the celebration of the Mass serve the daily Mass ministry.

Volunteers unlock the church and prepare for Mass, setting the altar with the vessels for bread, wine and water.

The volunteers in the Daily Mass Ministry serve as Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors for Mass.

The Rosary, led by the volunteers is recited after Mass.

At Mass with the school children, teachers serve as Eucharistic Ministers and the children serve as Lectors and bring up the Gifts.

After Mass, the vessels are purified and the church is locked.

All are welcome

Mass is celebrated at  
7:45 a.m. on  
Monday, Tuesday  
and Friday.

Communion Service  
is offered on  
Wednesdays at  
7:45 a.m.

On Thursday Mass is  
celebrated at  
8:45 a.m. with the  
school children.

On the first Friday of  
the month Mass is  
celebrated at  
11:00 a.m. with the  
seniors.



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# Stewardship of Talent

## Make a Difference—Share Your Talent

### Why serve at daily Mass?

God gives it all. Then He calls us to share. Our personal commitment of ourselves through service in our parish provides a strong and unique connection to God through our community of faith.

Committing our God-given talents to ministry at St. Pat's is just as important as Stewardship of Time and Stewardship of Treasure. It is how we gratefully give back to God in thanksgiving for the talents He has given us. There are many needs within our faith community that affords us the opportunity to give. By giving of your talents, we can support our parish efforts to carry out the mission Christ gave us.

Every year, during Stewardship of Talent, parishioners are invited to recommit to a ministry they are already involved with or commit to a new ministry. In the weeks before Stewardship of Talent, parishioners are invited to prayerfully discern which one of the ministries God is calling them to serve at St. Pat's, while taking into consideration their unique charisms. With more than 71 ministries listed on the Talent Card, each person will find a ministry to serve where the talents given by God are being used to serve the mission of the Church.

Jesus wants us to serve others just as He did. "For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." (Mark 10:45)

"Serving others is true leadership, said Father Raymond J. Finch, M.M. in a letter to supporters in a reflection on the Gospel of Mark 9:35-37. Noting that, "if there is a job to be done, we must not wait to be asked, but rather take the initiative and do it as a faithful servant would."

Prayerfully consider how you will be more like Jesus and serve others by making a commitment to walk the mission of the church with the St. Pat's community.

## Why attend Mass daily?

The Sacrifice of the Mass is the source and summit of the Catholic faith.

Daily Mass is the gift of hearing the words of the Gospel, reflecting on the homily, and the joy of receiving Jesus in the Eucharist.

Receiving Christ in the Blessed Eucharist strengthens us for the daily journey.

Praising God first thing in the morning is important.

The Mass is an ongoing spiritual formation.

The Mass brings us closer to God.