

WORSHIP

HOSPITALITY

CONNECT-NEW MEMBER OUTREACH: Our ministers reach out to those who recently joined our parish to welcome them and check in on how the parish may serve them.

GREETERS: Our disciples share a warm, welcoming spirit to parishioners and visitors coming to Mass, as well as distribute literature and offer help where needed. Families are welcome to serve together

GROTTO CAFÉ: Once a month, as we gather after Mass for fellowship, our team members prepare coffee and refreshments, serve and maintain stations. Families are welcome to serve together

PARKING TEAM: Volunteers direct traffic and transport parishioners via golf carts during special liturgies.

USHERS: Our disciples work as a team to foster a hospitable, safe, and smooth flowing worship service, assisting with seating, handle offertory, escort communion, maintain pews, and be on hand if someone needs assistance.

MUSIC

ADULT CHOIR: Parishioners share their gifts for singing at the 10am Sunday Mass and special celebrations, leading the assembly in song.

ADULT HANDBELL CHOIR: Members bring the classics of musical bells into our liturgies and special celebrations.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Children in grades 2-8 sing at select Mass times in the fall season and the Christmas concert during Advent. Rehearsals are on Wednesday afternoon.

CONTEMPORARY MUSIC BANDS: Our musicians and singers serve either the Sunday 12pm or 5:30pm weekend Masses, sharing contemporary songs and Praise & Worship music.

CORO HISPANO: Our Hispanic choir and musicians serve the 7pm Saturday Mass celebrated in Spanish.

LITURGY

ALTAR SERVERS: Students in grade 5 or higher serve with the priest and deacons for Mass. An opportunity for full, active, conscious participation in our liturgies.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Our extraordinary ministers serve Communion, the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, in a reverent and orderly manner with the people at Mass.

MINISTRY FOR THE DEAF: Interpreters of American Sign Language serve at the 10AM Sunday Mass and other special parish events.

LECTORS/READERS: Disciple volunteers proclaim the readings during Mass, engaging the faithful in Sacred Scripture.

WORSHIP TECHNICIANS: Our dedicated technicians run audio and video equipment operations for our liturgies, including livestream of celebrations.

GROW

ADULT & YOUTH SPIRITUALITY & CATECHISTS

BECOMING CATHOLIC: Formation for those who would like to join the Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Eucharist, and Confirmation (Order of Christian Initiation). Ministry serves adults and children over age 7.

ENGAGED & MARRIAGE MINISTRY: Our team consists of marriage mentors, as well as hosts and event set up, for marriage spirituality dinners held throughout the year, supporting sacramental preparation for engaged couples.

SMALL GROUPS: Groups of 6-10 gather weekly on campus or off-campus to pray, share Sunday readings and reflect on the ways we live out the Gospel, supporting one another in friendship to grow as disciples of Christ

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS: Bible Studies offer groups of 8-12 members opportunities to gather for a study of Scripture, the Catholic Catechism or other aspects of our Catholic faith in on-campus or off-campus settings.

YOUTH MINISTRY: Catechists and ministry volunteers work to empower young people to live as disciple of Jesus Christ. High school (Life Teen) Sunday after 5:30pm Mass. Middle School (Edge) Wednesday at 6:30pm.

TEEN CONFIRMATION: Our team accompanies high school students seeking the sacrament of confirmation. Preparation takes place during the summer/fall.

CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY & CATECHISTS

BIBLE EXPLORERS: During Mass, our team shares the Gospel with children grades K-5.

ENCOUNTER: Our team prepares families for First Reconciliation and First Communion, accompanying children who are baptized, at least 7 years old, and have completed a minimum of one year of faith formation.

QUEST: Our parish religious education ministry is for children Kindergarten to Grade 8. Options: Quest Wednesday weekly or Quest Family/English or Quest Familia/Spanish monthly for children, parents, siblings.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC SCHOOL: Our mission is to provide a Christ-centered environment committed to the development of the spiritual, academic, social, emotional and physical potential of the whole child through programs during the school day as well as extracurricular activities provided after school. Kindergarten to Grade 8 students are taught the tradition of their Catholic faith and how to live it out through worship and service.

ST. MARY MAGDALEN EARLY LEARNING CENTER: Established to offer quality care as well as a strong foundation for learning, the ELC provides parents with excellent infant and toddler care alongside preschool education with our highly qualified team of teachers and aides in stimulating learning environments. The center, operating under our SMMCS, is fully licensed, and FCC Accredited. We offer Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten (VPK).

PRAYER

ADORATION: Spend time with Jesus during exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, a time of peace that the world cannot give. Tuesday/Thursday/First Friday in the Chapel.

PRAYER ANGELS: Our disciples pray for our parish, parishioners, and their loved ones. To pray for others or to request prayers, contact us.

ROSARY GROUPS: Morning rosary (English) follows the 7:30am Mass in the Church. Evening rosary (Spanish) is Thursday and Saturday at 6:30pm, before Mass in Spanish.

SPANISH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP: Gather to pray, adore and praise the Lord, invoking the guidance of the Holy Spirit, offered in Spanish, Fridays 7-8:30pm in the Chapel.

<https://form.jotform.com/SMMParish/Volunteer>



JOIN A MINISTRY! JOIN A GROUP!

Take a step to renew or begin offering a sacred portion of your gifts to Share Christ with the World through Ministry. Fill out a card today and start the conversation!

QUESTIONS? CONTACT US

Our ministry and school teams are here to serve you!
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CARE

OUTREACH

BOGOGO (Buy One, Get One, Give One): Parishioners bring non-perishable donations of food and other necessities for local food pantries and assistance locations, during weekend masses. Our team bring these donations to community partners and hosts two large-scale food drives per year.

CULTURE OF LIFE: Through care, prayer, and advocacy, our team serves Jesus by defending human life and promoting the dignity of the human person from conception to natural death. A particular focus is a commitment to Walking with Moms in Need (WWMIN) which is achieved by partnering with local crisis pregnancy centers and community partners.

FRIENDS OF PEACE ORPHANAGE: A mission of St. Mary Magdalen fully supporting children under the care of the Benedictine Sisters of the Congregation of the Holy Family in Mexico City and Teoloycan, Mexico.

OUTREACH/SERVICE GROUPS: Activities throughout the year include working with community partners, feeding the homeless, working in the Learning Garden, and more.

PASTORAL CARE

FAMILY OUTREACH SERVICES: When an unexpected financial crisis occurs that may lead to a loss of housing, our ministers work to find possible solutions. These ministers are well-versed in the types of resources – financial and otherwise.

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION: When loved ones have been called to the Lord, our team assists with planning Funeral Rites (wake, funeral, and burial).

MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND: Age, infirmity, illness, or hospitalization can make many feel isolated or abandoned. Our ministers bring the healing of Jesus with them through Holy Communion, prayer, and connection.

SERVE

MINISTRY & SUPPORT TEAMS

COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (CCW): Sisters in Christ dedicated to educating and empowering women in the areas of spirituality, service and leadership that respond with Gospel values to the needs of the Church and society.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS: An organization of Catholic men whose watch words are Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism that fosters responsibility and leadership within the community.

MEN'S CLUB MINISTRY: Men gather for prayer and fellowship and to serve the parish and in the greater community.

PARISH OFFICE TEAM: Our disciples are on-call to help with various parish office tasks... preparing mailings, assembling various types of literature, data entry, filing and more.

PARISH EVENT SUPPORT TEAM: Our disciples are on call to help with decorating, registration, serving, clean-up, etc.

PARISH FEST: Volunteer for our signature community building event of the year, drawing thousands together for two days of faith, fellowship, family activities, food & beverage, games, specialty booths, entertainment, and more.

