

Eucharistic Ministers

What is working well in this ministry?

- Recent training has let to consistency in service.
- Members are well trained and recognize the special blessings that come with the privilege to be an Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist.
- Pookie does a great job with the scheduling and timeliness of the calendar.
- Cooperation between members.

What do you feel is not working well in this ministry?

- Need to shorten the time that we do not offer Holy Communion under both species.
- Add an additional minister in the main isle to facilitate larger Masses.
- Would like to have a better check-in procedure which assigns a station to go to distribute communion prior to when everyone goes to the altar.
- Children need to practice readings before Masses.
- Need more people.
- Some people assigned to serve do not show up and do not find a replacement.
- Not understanding where to go and not coming up to the Altar on time.
- Making sure the people coming to communion place their hands correctly across their chest if not received or hands extended out to receive.

How are we growing as a Eucharistic Centered Ministry?

- Inherent in the title, must always be prepared for the awesome responsibility that comes with serving the body and blood of Christ.
- Having more periodic meetings/trainings to ensure proper focus.
- We have wonderful priests and a great faith community.
- Children being present at our Masses.
- Adoration

What is the ministry doing to reach out to the youth of our Parish?

- Encourage involvement, reaching out to the youth to make them participate in the various groups.