

St. Philip's Announcements

for the Week of

Sunday, September 25

It takes a whole team to make our worship life happen. The most important thing is, of course, simply coming to Church. Online worship is great (*and it will continue*) for those who are away, who are unwell or physically unable to be present in church; but for the rest of us, being the gathered community worshipping together is what grows a congregation spiritually, numerically, and in its ministry to the world.

But, once we're gathered, there is still much to do. In fact, there are things to be done even before we gather. Perhaps you would consider enriching our worship life together by helping out in one of our essential lay roles.

We are in urgent need of people to take on some of these roles:

Sidesperson-Greeter (Welcoming people, taking up the offering...)

Reader (Read from scripture during the service)

Intercessor (Lead us in prayer using the printed words in the liturgy)

Communion Administrator (Administer the chalice – at Communion)

Anointer / Offering prayer for healing (Offer short prayer and anointing anyone who comes up for healing prayer in our 3rd Sunday service)

Chancel Guild (Be part of the team that prepares the vessels, hangings, polishes brass and silver, arranges flowers ...)

Server/Crucifer (Assist the clergy at the altar, carry the cross in procession ...)

Choir (Help lead the congregation in song and prepare the occasional special music to deepen our worship experience)

Training is available for all of these roles. Please speak to Fr. Mike if you would like to help our worship life flourish in any of these ways.



We're wondering if this just might
be your cup of tea or coffee



We're looking for additional folk willing to make and serve tea and coffee on Sunday mornings as well as clean up afterwards. We're also looking for help providing "goodies." You could do one or the other or both of these things.

Remember, the larger the pool of volunteers the less frequently anyone is called upon, and, given that it's 2022, we'll point out that this is a non-gender specific opportunity. Interested, or want to know more, talk to Donna Durdle or contact the church office.

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