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WHAT IS THIS MINISTRY?

Altar servers help the entire community in their prayer and worship of God by assisting the priest at Mass by holding the missal and helping set the communion vessels on the altar. The care and attention Servers show to their ministry adds to the reverence and beauty of our liturgies. According to Pope Francis, "Serving at the altar is a privileged way to draw closer to Jesus."

WHO CAN VOLUNTEER?

Any Catholic – 4th grade +
Adults – Funerals, Weekday Masses

TIME COMMITMENT

Altar servers are assigned 1-2 times per month at the Mass time they prefer.

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

Initial training and formation are provided.

To inquire or sign up:

- email Ivanoverbeke@stmaryalexandria.org
- call Luke VanOverbeke at 320-460-5339

OTHER SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Processional Bell Ringer / Processional Cross Bearer

Older teens and adults add solemnity to the procession by carrying the processional cross or processional bells. The cross bearers and bell ringers do not need to be "Altar Servers" in order to carry the cross or bells. **The processional bells are used during the Easter Season and for special Liturgies.



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