

Ministry Opportunities for Christian Growth and Service

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

Your name: _____

Date: _____

Email: _____

What follows is a list of ministries available at Holy Cross that will enable you to grow in your walk with Christ and serve others as a part of our church family. Consider each of the statements and check the ministries you feel drawn to. Return the completed form to Anna Oskvarek at the church office, or place in Anna's hallway mailbox. You will be contacted to answer any questions you may have. Thank You!

Caring and Outreach Ministries	√	Profile Code
Preparing and delivering meals to those in crisis and their families		ASHMAP
Serve as a driver on Sunday mornings to give people a ride to church <i>Which Worship Service do you usually attend?</i>		ASHIAI
Assist with house cleaning for someone in need		ASHOAP
Run errands for someone in need		ASHFAP
Provide auto repair service		ASHBAP
Provide home painting for someone in need		ASHPAP
Shovel snow for someone unable to care for their property		ASHSAP
Provide yard work services for someone unable to care for their property		ASHYAP
Serve as a Stephen Minister		LMSMTI
Serve in the "Never Alone" Ministry to widows		FMNAMTI
Make telephone calls from home to inactive members		
Make telephone calls from homes to shut-ins		
Serve on the Funeral Meals team		PCFMTI
Serve in a ministry to the homeless (Interfaith Hospitality Network) at Holy Cross		ASICAI
Serve with others in a Food Basket ministry to feed the hungry at Thanksgiving and/or Christmas		ASCFAI
Coordinate the Food Basket Ministry		ASCFCI
Serve in the Food Pantry		ASCPAI
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Serve on the Thursday Christ Care Ministry Team		ASCCLI
Serve with the Christmas Angel Tree Ministry		ASCATI
Serve as a leader in the "Good Neighbor" Ministry		
Sponsor a child from Honduras through Compassion International		
Serve as a Honduras Missions team member		ORMTMI
Serve on the Honduras back home team (prayer, sponsor gifts, etc.)		
Serve on a "Habitat for Humanity" Home project		

Christian Education (Children – Adult)	√	Profile Code
Serve on the Children/Family Ministry Team		
Serve on the Adult/Family Ministry Team		
Teach a Children's Sunday school class: * <i>Pre-school or Kindergarten Grade school (grades 1 – 5)</i>		EDSSLI

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Serve as an assistant for a Sunday school class <i>Which age group?</i>		EDSSAI
Serve as a substitute		EDSSSI
Serve as a song leader for children		EDSMLI
Serve as an attendance secretary for Sunday School*		EDSASI
Coordinate supplies for Sunday school		EDSECI
Serve in the nursery (Infant-Toddler Center)* <i>(paid position)</i>		EDITAI
Serve in the children's Puppet Ministry		EDPUPETI
Teach a College-age Sunday school class		YMBALI
Provide leadership for the young adult ministry (EGR's)		
Teach an Adult Study class		EDAABCLI
Be an Adult Class Host/Hostess		
Serve as a H.O.M.E. Group Leader (Shepherd)		
Serve as a H.O.M.E. Group Host/Hostess		
Financial Peace University Class Coordinator		
Financial Peace University Host/Hostess		
Teach S.H.A.P.E. Course		

Kids for Christ Club (Wednesday)

Teach a Kids for Christ class: * <i>Pre-school or Kindergarten</i> _____ <i>Grade school (grades 1 – 5)</i> _____		EDPCLI
Serve as an assistant class leader		EDPDAI
Serve as a substitute		EDPUSI
Serve on the Special Events planning team		EDPTTI
Serve on the crafts team		EDPFTI
Serve as an Attendance Secretary*		EDPESI
Serve on the Music Team		EDPMTI
Serve as a Recreation Event Coordinator		
Provide transportation for events		YMADAI

Vacation Bible School

Serve on the administration team *		EDVALI
Serve during the week of VBS		EDVBSTI

(Confirmation, 6th – 8th grades)

Serve as a small group facilitator*		EDCGLI
Assist with Servant Events		EDCSAI
Provide Administrative assistance		
Provide transportation to events*		YMADAI

Children's Christmas Program

Assist with staging needs		EDCRMASI
Assist with costumes		EDCRMASI
Assist with program		EDCRMASI

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Church Office Administration	√	
Assist in the church office (filing and other tasks as needed)		OSAAAI
Data entry		OSAEAI
Printing assistance		OSPCAI
Collate church bulletin or newsletter		OSPGAI
Telephone Receptionist		

Church Property Maintenance	√	
Audio/visual equipment repair and/or maintenance		BPAVAI
Carpentry		BPDAAI
Electrical assistance		BPDFAI
Electronics repair and/or maintenance		BPAKAI
Heating/AC repair or maintenance		BPDJAI
Lighting assistance		BPDHAI
Make repairs or perform other maintenance of the church building		BPDBAI
Painting assistance		BPDDAI
Participate in workdays at church		BPBWPI
Plumbing assistance		BPD LAI
Snow shoveling		BPDSAI
Woodworking		BPDCAI
Facilities Scheduling Coordinator		

Communications and Marketing	√	
Advertising or publicity		ORAPAI
Make phone calls for various church events		ORARAI
Public relations or marketing		ORPRLI
Write articles for church publications		ORWAPP

Assimilation	√	
Serve on the Assimilation/Volunteerism Ministry Team		
Serve on the New Member <i>Basics</i> Class Team		
Make follow-up phone calls to New Members		
Assist with New Member fellowship events		ASNFTI
Serve on the Visitor Follow-up Team		
Make telephone calls to visitors		
Serve on a team to help people discover their S.H.A.P.E. for ministry		

Misc.	√	
Assist with Church decorating at Christmas		CECRMAS

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Fellowship	√	
Assist with preparing or serving a fellowship meal		EDTMTI
Cook a fellowship meal		MCKCLI
Participate in Young at Heart (55+)		MCYHPI
Participate in LWML (Lutheran Women's Missionary League)		LMWMPI
Participate in the Women's Ministry		
Serve on the FUN (Fellowship Unlimited) Team		
Serve on a fellowship event team		

Hospitality	√	
Assist with Sunday fellowship in Hiller Hall		ASMBLI
Donate snacks for Sunday fellowship		ASMBAI
Assist with clean-up after Sunday fellowship		ASMAAI
Serve as a greeter before or after services <i>Which Worship Service do you usually attend?</i>		ASMGTI
Hand out Visitor bags after a service (<i>which service?</i> _____)		
Serve at the Ministry Center assisting people with signing up for events, etc.		
Serve as a parking lot attendant during high traffic holidays		ASMHTI

Prayer Ministry	√	
Participate in a Prayer Chain		PMPCMI
Participate on a prayer team <i>Days available:</i> _____		PMPTMI
Pray directly with others for their personal concerns on Sunday mornings		PMSPMI

Technical Operations	√	
Maintain or work with computer network systems		BPAIAI
Assist with computer software		BPAEAI
Assist with computer hardware		BPAGAI
Maintain or work with communication systems		BPAJAI
Serve as a sound system operator		CEYSTI
Serve as a visual system operator		CEYVTI

Worship And Celebration Ministries	√	
Read scripture lessons during worship <i>Which Worship Service do you usually attend?</i>		WORDAI
Serve as an usher <i>Which Worship Service do you usually attend?</i>		WOUSAI
Prepare the altar area for worship services		WOAGMI
Prepare the sanctuary for worship services		BPBSAI

Perform in skits or dramas		CEDATI
Direct skits or other dramatic presentations for worship		CEDADI

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Perform Sacred Dance for a worship service		CEDNTI
Design and/or create costumes for a dramatic presentation		CEDCTI
Assist with creating sets for dramatic presentations		CEDTTI
Assist with building sets for dramatic presentations		CEDUTI
Assist with staging/lighting for dramatic presentations		CEDSTI
Design and create banners for use in the sanctuary		CEABTI

Sing in a choir or vocal ensemble for worship		CEHBMI
Sing in the Men's Chorus (auditions required)		CEHEMI
Play the organ for worship services		CEKEAI
Serve as an accompanist for a choir		CEKCAI
Play in a band or instrumental ensemble for worship		CEKAMI
<i>List instrument:</i>		
Perform in a hand bell choir		CEIHMI
<i>Previous experience? Yes No</i>		

Serve as a Music Librarian		CEHRAI
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Provide guest housing for traveling musical groups		CEGHTI
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Youth Ministry	√	
Serve on the Youth/Family Ministry Team		
Serve as a Senior High Adult Leader*		YMCALI
Serve as a Junior High Adult Leader*		YMACAI
Drive youth to events*		YMADAI
Be a chaperone for youth events		YMACAI
Assist with the annual youth auction event		
Teach a Junior High Sunday school class*		YMJHEDI
Teach a High School Sunday School class*		

Miscellaneous	√	
Bulletin board design and creation		CEAIAI
Graphic art design		CEAGAI
Calligraphy		CEACAI
Photography		MCPHAI
Serve on a specialized Task Force or Board		BDCBMI
Serve on the Evangelism Team		
Serve on the Stewardship Team		
Serve on the Business Team		

**Additional screening is needed in these areas to serve*

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I have a special skill that I would like to share at Holy Cross, if it is needed. My special skill is:

I can speak and/or write these languages in addition to English:

Questions I have that I would like an answer to:
