

Gifts and Giving Inventory - 2019

God has called me through baptism...

...to be a blessing to others and serve through my unique gifts.



In Baptism as we live among God's people, **"We proclaim Christ in word and deed. We serve others and the world God has made."** We serve by proclaiming God's love through our giving of our time, talents, skills and efforts. Your gifts are vital to making ministry happen. You are asked to give and grow in your serving so that others may come to know Jesus.

Below are areas of ministry that might be just the right niche' for you.

Fill out this sheet and **return it to the Church Office on or before July 8, 2019**. We'll make sure that leaders in ministry contact you and help you to serve as you are able. Please mark all that apply!

• **I am the kind of person who:**

- Likes to organize tasks and things
- Likes to help behind the scenes
- Is comfortable with technology
- Is most comfortable working "solo"
- Enjoys serving in groups/working with others
- Enjoys being involved with creative projects
- Enjoys brainstorming ideas and solving problems
- Is good at performing detailed tasks
- Is comfortable working in leadership

• **Time I am able to commit:**

- Weekly
- Occasionally
- Daytime
- Help from home
- Monthly
- Special Project
- Evening
- Help at Church

• **Administration/Communication/Finance:**

- Office volunteer
- Data entry
- Mail assembly/collation

• **Faith Formation:**

- Children's programming
- Confirmation mentor
- Bible study leader
- Library assistance
- Resource organization

• **Property:**

- Help with building maintenance
- Help with decorating
- Landscaping
- Lawn care
- Snow crew
- Painting crew
- Specific craft _____

• **Congregational care:**

- Prayer ministry
- Home bound calling and Communion
- Meal assistance
- Hospital calling

• **Evangelism:**

- Entry Door Greeter
- Welcome desk
- Visitor follow-up
- New member hospitality

• **Stewardship:**

- Sharing why and how you give
- Inspiring others
- Planning congregational efforts

***God has uniquely blessed me to connect my giving with the congregation
and to be a blessing to others using my time, skills and talents***

• **Youth Ministry:**

- Service projects/events
- Small group leader
- Phone calling/Texting/Emailing
- Chaperone
- Musician

• **Community Missions:**

- New Community Shelter Meal (once a month)
- Food Pantry Host (distribute food)
- Food Pantry Shopping/Bagging
- Advocate for justice issues
- Serve the needy
- Clothing drives
- Food drives
- Lutheran World Relief/Lutheran Disaster Relief
- ELCA World Hunger
- Servant/work trips

• **Worship and Music:**

- Bible lesson reader
- Communion server
- Usher
- Choir
- Musician _____
- Vocalist _____
- Drama/Calvary Players
- Worship space preparation/decoration (Altar Guild)

• **Fellowship:**

- All congregation event planning
- Age specific group organizing
- Mixed age fellowship group
- Organize sports (i.e. volleyball, softball etc.)
- Baking/Funeral Meal Ministry
- Serving/Funeral Meal Ministry
- "Grumpy Old Men"
- "Sassy Ladies Society"

I will continue to serve in these areas:

Other ways I would like to give of my time, skills and talents:

Name:

Phone:

Email:

**Please bring the completed form to the Church Office.
We will connect you with leaders from the areas of
ministry that you have indicated so they may talk with
you about how you might connect in ministry!**

Thank you for your giving!

Calvary
Lutheran Church