He Has No Hands But Ours

Greeter Ministry

"Good morning." "Welcome to All Saints."

These words are heard as you enter our church for the 11:30 Sunday mass. Along with the words come a smile and an open door. This scenario is repeated each Sunday due to the commitment of parishioners who volunteer for the Greeter Ministry.

The Greeter Ministry was formed in February of 2018 as a way to extend a welcome to all who enter and to provide a safer entry through our heavy church doors. The efforts of the team have impacted the 11:30 mass and the team members themselves. One team member stated, "As we come together in Christ the Greeter Ministry creates a feeling of unity and community between myself and the team. .....the benefits (of this ministry) are very evident at the 11:30 mass".

Recently a parishioner shared. "I was so rushed one day; I left the kids with my husband and grabbed my umbrella on my way out. I dashed up the steps of church where I was surprised to be met with a smile AND the door was opened for me. This caused the hurry and stress to immediately go away. I was ready for mass".

A sign up calendar goes out each month. Greeters are asked to serve at least once a month and arrive about 25 minutes before mass. Any one 14 or older can try the ministry once with no pressure to continue. Children from 6 to 13 can serve with a parent.

God gives each of us a unique gift. This gift to us is meant to be shared with the whole body of Christ with each part working for the good of the entire body. Wake up your part. If you feel a call to serve the body of Christ at the doors give your name to any greeter or contact the Greeter Ministry Coordinator.

The next step for this ministry is to expand to the 9:00 mass. You can make this happen. Step up for either mass and see the difference serving others can make in your life and in the celebration of mass.

The current Greeter Ministry Team consists of: Kendal Byerly, Cherie Chigama, Margie Clark, Dave Coffey, Buddy and Sharon Cutler, Mary Dubendorfer, Melissa Fiscus, Michael Gigliotti, Tom and Caye Grimaldi, Christopher Grimaldi, John and Stephen Leis, Shelly Long,Daemon Long, Anthony Mendoza, Sherry Scott, Jason Shaddock, Hannah Shaddock, Connor and Nicole Walsh, Bill and Kathy Warner, Katie Wheeler.

Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. 1 Cor. 12:27
…….if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it. 1 Cor. 12:26

Christ has no hands but our hands to do His work today

He has no feet but our feet to lead men in the way

He has no tongue but our tongue to tell men how He died

He has no help but our help to bring them to His side.

We are the only Bible the careless world will read,

We are the sinner's gospel; we are the scoffer's creed;

We are the Lord's last message, given in word and deed;

What if the type is crooked?
What if the print is blurred?

What if our hands are busy with other work than His?

What if our feet are walking where sin's allurement is?

What if our tongue is speaking of things His lips would spurn?

How can we hope to help Him or welcome His return?

—Annie Johnston Flint

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Greeter Ministry

Is Jesus calling you to this ministry?

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