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Parish Office Hours: Monday—Thursday, 8 am—4:30 pm, Friday 8 am—3:30 pm

## GIFT OF TIME IN PRAYER

### Sunday Mass

Saturday Evening Vigil 8:00 pm  
Sunday Morning 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 am

### Weekday Mass

Monday through Friday 8:30 am  
First Saturday 8:30 am

### Holy Days

On the Feast Day 8:30 am, 7:00 pm

### Reconciliation

Celebrated on: Saturday 6:45-7:45 pm  
*Or by appointment*

In the Eucharist...people enjoy a unique union with Christ and, in him, with one another. Here his love—indeed, his very self—flows into his disciples and, through them and their practice of stewardship, to the entire human race. Here Jesus renews his covenant-forming act of perfect fidelity to God, while also making it possible for us to cooperate.

USCCB: Stewardship: A Disciples Response

Descriptions and further details of all parish ministries can be found at the Church of the Resurrection Web Site. Go to:  
[www.resurrection-catholic.org/be-involved/index.html](http://www.resurrection-catholic.org/be-involved/index.html)



WE ARE A CATHOLIC PEOPLE  
JOURNEYING TOWARDS A  
CELEBRATION OF GOD'S LOVE  
PERSONALLY AND IN  
COMMUNITY  
BY RESPONDING TO  
THE NEEDS OF OTHERS  
WELCOMING AND LOVING ALL.

## *Bringing the Word of God to Life*

Please consider giving the gift  
only you can give...

*your stewardship of time and  
talent through the following  
parish ministries.*



**MINISTRY CONTACT NAMES AND NUMBERS**

The following two pages provides phone numbers of staff/parishioners who can answer questions and direct your interests. Additional contact names for other ministries not listed on CONNECTIONS form are available as well.

**Liturgical Ministry**

Sacristan .....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Greeter, Usher.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Altar Server.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Lector.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Art and Environment Decorator.....	Joann Reier .....	288-5528, x109
Altar Guild.....	Gretchen Cutshall.....	289-7166
Daily Mass Liturgical Ministries.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109

**Music Ministry**

Resurrection Choir.....	Dan Sherman.....	289-9158
All other music groups and musicians.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x 109

**Leadership Ministry**

General Information.....	Cheryl Kieffer.....	288-5528, x103
Pastoral Council.....	Scott Schwalbe, Trustee.....	286-8629
Finance Council.....	Ed Chestolowski, Chair.....	289-2105
Liturgy Committee.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Faith Formation Committee.....	Monica Steinmetz, Chair.....	282-3263
Social Concerns Committee.....	Barb Vareberg, Chair.....	292-9812
Building and Grounds Committee.....	David Strauss, Chair.....	289-9889
Stewardship Committee.....	Scott Schwalbe.....	286-8629
Personnel Committee.....	Denise Kelly.....	287-6473
Perpetual Adoration Team.....	Mona Zabel.....	289-5019

**Pastoral Ministry**

Telephone Calling.....	Bev Loftus.....	288-5528, x100
Funeral Luncheons.....	Bev Loftus.....	288-5528, x100
FOCCUS, engaged couples support .....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
PRE-JORDAN Instruction.....	Bev Loftus.....	288-5528, x100
Grief Ministry Team.....	Carolyn House.....	536-7452
Ministry to the Homebound.....	Bev Loftus.....	288-5528, x100
Bakers Ministry.....	Mary Schwalbe.....	286-8629

**Outreach Ministry**

Adopt-A-Park.....	Deb Bohlen.....	288-2521
City Sunday Lunch Program.....	Mary Robak.....	533-9308
Community Food Response.....	Jan Helgren.....	285-1246
Dorothy Day House.....	Pat Schoenfelder.....	288-7167
Interfaith Hospitality Network.....	Sharyn Voss.....	280-0922
Mission Trip.....	Dennis Kunkel.....	288-5528, x104
Red Cross Shelter Team.....	Peter Crowley.....	216-4862
St. Vincent de Paul Society.....	Marty Cormack.....	282-4265
Thanksgiving Baskets.....	Barb Vareberg.....	292-9812

**YOUTH MINISTRY**

The vision of youth ministry at Resurrection is based on the eight components of Youth Ministry recommended by the U.S. Bishops: advocacy, catechesis, community, evangelization, justice/service & peace, leadership development, pastoral care/guidance and prayer & worship. Many are built into Generations of Faith, Faith Formation and Confirmation Preparation. The rest of Youth Ministry is extension of these faith experiences and lessons.

**RETREATS / LEADERSHIP or CHAPERONES**

Adults and teens that would like to participate in the planning and implementation of youth retreats throughout the year. Chaperones are needed during the retreats.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT BONFIRES CHAPERONES**

Is a way to stay connected during the summer months. Bonfires are from 8:30-10:30 p.m. on church grounds. Chaperones are needed to help set-up and host this event.

**STUEBENVILLE NORTH CONFERENCE IN ROCHESTER**

A Eucharist-centered conference. Adults needed to chaperone our parish youth team.

**CHILD CARE DAY VOLUNTEER (December)**

Day set aside to care for children and allow parents time for themselves and Christmas shopping.

Check the Resurrection Website for the latest details, [www.resurrection-catholic.org](http://www.resurrection-catholic.org). Forms can be found online or outside the Faith formation offices.

**SMALL COMMUNITIES**

**MENS SCRIPTURE STUDY**

Men of all ages, either Catholic or not, meet every Saturday morning, 7 a.m. Group studies the Catholic Catechism and the upcoming Sunday scriptures. Includes prayer and fellowship.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**

The KC's is a fraternal organization of Catholic men from Resurrection parish. The Knights serve the parish and contribute financially to various organizations and to the needs of the community. Meetings on the last Tuesday of each month.

**LAY CARMELITE COMMUNITY**

The St. Joseph Lay Carmelite Community is formed by women and men for all walks of life who, under the guidance of the Carmelite Order, seek to put the truths of the Gospel into daily life. They seek to live this rule through scriptures, prayer, and Eucharist. Meet every First Saturday.

**SERRA CLUB**

The Rochester Serra Club meets at Resurrection at 11:30 a.m. on the first Friday of each month. Meetings promote vocations and include mass, luncheon, speaker, and fellowship.

**PARISH ACTIVITIES**

Throughout the year, the following activities aid Resurrection parishioners in building a strong welcoming community and assist in fundraising efforts. Volunteers are needed in many ways to insure their success.

**COOKIE SATURDAY/ DONUT SUNDAY**

Volunteers help serve refreshments and donuts/cookies after masses in the Great Hall. Coordinators oversee the set up and provide direction to the volunteers. Cookie Saturday/Donut Sunday is generally once a month during September through May.

**HOLIDAY BAZAAR**

Resurrection's largest fundraiser of the year. Involves the Big Ticket Raffle, Silent Auction, Crafts, food, and games. Volunteers needed in all areas.

**MARDI GRAS**

Parish celebration on the Sunday prior to Ash Wednesday. Includes live jazz music, food booths representing a variety of cultures and lots of games, including the cake walk. Volunteers are needed to decorate, prepare and sell food items, oversee game activities, sell tickets, and clean.

**RUMMAGE SALE**

Organize donated items and sell on Thursday evening, May 12 and Friday, May 13, 2011.

**SUMMERFEST**

Parish picnic at the end of summer. Includes Bucket Raffle, live music, potluck, grilled hamburgers and hot dogs, unusual outdoor games. Volunteers are needed to donate raffle items, sell raffle tickets, grill, serve refreshments, help with games, organize potluck dishes and help with food preparation.

**BAKED GOODS FOR PARISH EVENTS**

Volunteers willing to make bars, cakes, or salads for special parish events.

**MAINTAINANCE/INSIDE OR OUTSIDE**

Inside: skilled workers able to assist with plumbing, carpentry, and cleaning.  
 Outside: tree trimming, lawn mowing, snow shoveling sidewalks, general clean-up.

**GARDEN COMMITTEE**

Has the responsibility of maintaining the gardens on the church grounds: planting, watering, trimming the shrubs, and fertilizing.

**SCRIP SELLERS**

Sell SCRIP following weekend masses.

**500 CARD CLUB**

Participate in a 500 Tournament, roughly 10 to 12 games are played from mid September through March. Choose a partner for the duration of the tournament. Participants may be male or female, parishioners or non-parishioners. Contact, Pat Reisdorf, 288-6326.

**MINISTRY CONTACT NAMES AND NUMBERS**

**Faith Formation Ministry (Includes GOF)**

Adults.....	Cheryl Kieffer.....	288-5528, x103
Youth, grades 6-12.....	Dennis Kunkel.....	288-5528, x104
Children and families, grades 1-5.....	Libby Wallace.....	288-5528, x108
Ages 3, 4, 5.....	Maureen Bhaskaran.....	288-5528, x101
GOF Childcare Volunteer.....	Stacey Dorsey.....	288-5528, x110
Sunday School, Ages 3-5.....	Maureen Bhaskaran.....	288-5528, x101
Sacramental Preparation Catechist/Communion.....	Libby Wallace.....	288-5528, x108
Faith Sharing Leader for Confirmation.....	Dennis Kunkel.....	288-5528, x104
TOTUS TUUS.....	Dennis Kunkel.....	288-5528, x104
SPRED.....	Shirley Russo.....	289-2607
RCIA.....	Joann Reier.....	288-5528, x109
Catholic Scripture Study.....	Judith Lorrig.....	282-0436
Lenten Small Group Study.....	Cheryl Kieffer.....	288-5528, x103
Catholic Lighthouse CD Ministry.....	Terri Pass.....	367-4406

**Youth Ministry Activities** Dennis Kunkel..... 288-5528, x104

**Parish Activities**

Cookie Saturday/Donut Sunday.....	Janet Nelson.....	536-4109
	Jean Wierskalla.....	289-0235
	Karen Mozina.....	285-0639
Holiday Bazaar.....	Beth Morris.....	252-8308
	Brenda Sellner.....	288-6493
Mardi Gras.....	Doug Hudson.....	289-2786
Rummage Sale.....	Bev Loftus.....	288-5528, x100
Summerfest.....	Michalene Mangan.....	287-0797
Kitchen.....	Virginia Wentzel.....	288-2550
Maintenance.....	Arnie/Cesar.....	288-5528
Garden Committee.....	Nancy O'Neill.....	281-1233
SCRIP Sellers.....	Kathy Geisler.....	281-5358

**Prayer Ministry**

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration.....	Mona Zabel.....	289-5019
Resurrection Intercessors Prayer Group.....	Mary Amiot.....	287-6481
Electronic Prayerline.....	Monica Steinmetz.....	282-3263
Lay Apostles Prayer Group.....	Midge Gronseth.....	289-5835

**Small Communities**

Knights of Columbus.....	Bill Johnson.....	269-4804
Lay Carmelites.....	Celia Wright.....	281-4482
Men's Scripture Study.....	Al Schollmeier.....	287-6215
Serra Club.....	Bill Doucette.....	288-5413

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY

The liturgy is the summit toward which the activity of the Church is directed; at the same time it is the font from which all her powers flow. In the liturgy there are many opportunities for you to serve God's people. Members of the Liturgical Ministry provide hospitality and assist the priest and the assembly in the celebration of the Eucharist.

### SACRISTAN

Prepares the sanctuary for liturgies.

### GREETER

Welcomes people to Resurrection before Mass begins.

### USHER

Assists with seating, collection, and distributing bulletins.

### SERVER

Assists the priest during liturgies.

### LECTOR

Proclaims the Word of God.

### EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF THE EUCHARIST

Distributes the body and blood of Christ during communion.

### ART & ENVIRONMENT DECORATOR

Decorates the church for the liturgical seasons.

### DAILY MASS LITURGICAL MINISTER

Lector, Server, Extraordinary Minister of Communion on designated day of the week.

### ALTAR GUILD

Taking care of vessels, linens, altar cloths for daily mass.

## FAITH FORMATION MINISTRY (CONT.)

### CATHOLIC SCRIPTURE STUDY FACILITATORS

Small group discussion leaders for weekly Catholic Scripture Study sessions. Groups meet on Thursday morning (9:30 to 11:30 am) or Thursday evenings (7-9 pm)

### LENTEN SMALL GROUP STUDY MEMBERS/FACILITATORS

Participants and/or facilitators meet weekly throughout the Lenten season. The Study uses the upcoming Sunday scriptures as a starting point for discussion. 1 1/2 hour sessions.

## OUTREACH MINISTRY

Resurrection's outreach ministry provides many opportunities to have hands-on involvement in programs that provide for the needs of our neighbors. Practicing our faith is essential to being a person of faith.

### ADOPT-A-PARK: EASTWOOD

Pick up litter at the Eastwood Park on designated days in the Spring, Summer, and Fall.

### COMMUNITY FOOD RESPONSE

Transport/pack restaurant food for distribution at Bethel on first Monday of each month.

### DOROTHY DAY HOUSE

Provide supper meal and hospitality once a month at the Dorothy Day House.

### INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK (IHN)

Assist with providing food items/eating with families/ helping with homework/or providing night security as families seek jobs and/or a place to live.

### CITY SUNDAY LUNCH PROGRAM

Provide a Sunday noon meal and hospitality for those in need. Resurrection hosts meal every sixth week, located in the St. Francis cafeteria.

### MISSION TRIP

Volunteer to participate on a work trip to the Piarist School in Martin, Kentucky. Teens entering or exiting high school and families. Recommended age for children is 12 years or older for those with parents participating.

### RED CROSS SHELTER TEAM

Volunteer to participate on the Resurrection Shelter Team, involves training through the American Red Cross and monthly/quarterly meetings. Team will assist on site when the American Red Cross calls us into action due to local disasters.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul is a Catholic lay organization that helps the poor and those with temporary needs. It is not a social service agency. The Society is a person-to-person Christian ministry that sees the face of Christ in the faces of those who are suffering.

## FAITH FORMATION MINISTRY

Involvement in the faith formation ministry provides a lifelong opportunity to grow in knowledge and understanding of our Catholic faith. This ministry involves a share in the work of the Lord's Spirit calling us to recognize and pass on the workings of God in the lives of all people. It is a task of guarding and passing on intact the rich deposit of our Catholic Faith to the next generation and to all who search for a deeper faith.

### GENERATIONS OF FAITH

#### GOF PLANNING TEAMS

Plan, design, and implement Catholic catechetical curriculum as determined by GOF core team.

- Expanding Horizons– Interactive learning stations using a variety of media.
- Parish Nights–each household gather with their parish family to pray and learn together.
- Going Deeper, separate sessions for Adults, Teens, Children– one night sessions to clarify and provide deeper understanding of the Parish Night topic.

#### PARISH NIGHT CATECHETICAL LEADER

Teach small group break-out sessions and be available to help throughout the Parish Night activities. Small group break-out sessions: Ages 3-5, Grades 1-5, 6-8, and 9, 10-12 and adults.

#### GOF CHILD CARE

Provide child care for infants and toddlers on parish nights or adult going deeper sessions.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL CATECHIST OR CLASSROOM AIDE

Instruction for ages 3, 4, 5 provided during 8:30 am and 10 am masses and GOF parish nights.

### SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

#### CATECHIST FOR FIRST RECONCILIATION AND FIRST COMMUNION

Teach children preparing for these sacraments. (Generally, 2nd graders)  
Four sessions for First Reconciliation and six sessions for First Communion.

#### FAITH LEADER FOR CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES

Lead a faith sharing group of confirmation candidates in preparation for the reception of this sacrament. (Generally, 9-10th graders) Monthly meetings in the home.

#### FOCCUS: ENGAGED COUPLE SUPPORT

FOCCUS Couples: Mentor engaged couples as you discuss together their results of the FOCCUS, a pre-marital inventory tool. Training is provided. You meet 1-3 times per couple.

#### PRE-JORDAN: BAPTISMAL INSTRUCTION

Provide baptism sacramental preparation for those seeking to have their baby baptized. This is offered once a month. One hour session.

#### RCIA (RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION) SPONSORS AND CATECHISTS

In this process, catechists prepare weekly to lead those interested in learning the Catholic way of life through faith-sharing on the coming Sunday's readings and teaching on the church doctrine and tradition which flows from them. A catechist would be available for weekly meetings September – May and every two weeks during the summer months. A sponsor (training provided) walks with a specific candidate or catechumen as they prepare for the reception of the sacraments.

## MUSIC MINISTRY

Members of the Music Ministry enhance the celebration of the liturgy by leading parishioners in song for praise and prayer.

### RESURRECTION CHOIR

Practice once a week from September through June. Sing every other Sunday.

### YOUTH SINGERS/INSTRUMENTALISTS

For youth in grades 3-8

### CANTOR / SONG LEADER

Training provided. Sing Responsorial Psalm and/or lead music throughout liturgy.

### PIANIST

Provide accompaniment for the sung prayer of the mass.

### INSTRUMENTALIST

Experienced musicians are encouraged to play their musical instruments in conjunction with other groups or song leaders.

### OTHER ENSEMBLES

Includes special groups and individuals who are currently participating in the music ministry and those individuals who would like to inquire about participating in music in a way not listed above.



## LEADERSHIP MINISTRY

The councils and committees of the Leadership Ministry provide insight, expertise, and prudent advice, collaborating with the Pastor to discern vision and direction for parish initiatives. Each Leadership member shares in the responsibility of inviting others to a deeper faith and service to the parish community. Most committees meet monthly.

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

Helps the pastor identify, implement, and evaluate those pastoral initiatives and policies best suited to spread the Gospel in this parish. New members participate in a discernment process. Three year commitment.

### FINANCE COUNCIL

Provides leadership in allocating parishioners' gifts of time, talent, and treasure with a deep sense of Christian stewardship, using sound financial practices. Members appointed by Pastor.

### LITURGY COMMITTEE

Members share in the ministry of overseeing and supporting our parish in all the ways we give praise to God through Christ in the Holy Spirit. New members come from the parish at large or represent a particular liturgical ministry.

### FAITH FORMATION COMMITTEE

Assist in planning, implementing and evaluating the environment and method of faith formation so it can nurture the transformation and growth of faith in all. New members come from the parish at large or as representatives of specific age groups.

### SOCIAL CONCERNS COMMITTEE

Members develop within our parish a response to human needs and concerns in the light of social teaching found in Sacred Scripture and Church documents. New members come from the parish at large or as representatives to a specific social justice project or group.

### BUILDING AND GROUNDS COMMITTEE

This sub-committee of the Finance Council is made up of volunteers and staff who meet to discuss the maintenance and repair of parish property and facilitate implementation. New members are individuals who have interest and areas of expertise in maintaining our facilities.

### STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

A consultative body to foster and develop stewardship as a way of life throughout the entire parish.

### PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

Discuss human resource policies and procedures and provides guidance for implementation in relationship to the parish staff and parish ministry coordinators.

### PERPETUAL ADORATION LEADERSHIP TEAM

Leadership Team oversees and maintains the structure, insuring the health and vitality of Perpetual Adoration. The Team consists of Head Coordinator, 4 Division Leaders, Substitute Coordinator, Newsletter Coordinator, and Secretary and meets monthly. 24 Hourly Coordinators oversee the needs of adorers at a specific hour of the day and meet with the leadership team once a year.

## PASTORAL MINISTRY

Involvement in pastoral ministry assists the pastor through welcoming and ministering to individual parishioners, giving special attention to their physical, emotional and spiritual well being.

### TELEPHONE CALLING

Make calls to parishioners who have signed up for parish activities, sharing detailed information provided by staff.

### FUNERAL LUNCHES

Assist with table and food preparation and serving meal in the Great Hall.

### GRIEF MINISTRY TEAM

Team meets quarterly and is made up of volunteers who provide a parish presence at funerals for grieving families.

### MINISTRY TO THE HOMEBOUND

Visit the homebound and nursing home residents. Bring communion to the homebound on every First Friday.

### BAKERS MINISTRY

Food is made and frozen for use throughout the month by Priests and staff to parish families in need.

## PRAYER MINISTRY

### PERPETUAL ADORATION

Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament is open for all 24 hours a day, 7 days a week (exclusive of Mass times). The Blessed Sacrament is located in Fr. Winkels Chapel, on the east side of the main church. Scheduled adorers spend a quiet, personal holy hour of prayer with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament each week. All guests and scheduled adorers sign in at the chapel entrance.

### RESURRECTION INTERCESSORS PRAYER GROUP

Gathering involves formation, discussion, and intercessory prayer every Monday, 6:30-8:30 PM.

### ELECTRONIC PRAYERLINE

A prayer line is a way of sharing prayer requests with a "line" of people. Parishioners may serve in this ministry by adding their name to a distribution list. To do this, send an e-mail to [prayerline@resurrection-catholic.org](mailto:prayerline@resurrection-catholic.org). People serving in this ministry can expect requests sent to them by e-mail throughout the week. In the quiet of their home, they pray for these requests.

### LAY APOSTLES PRAYER GROUP

Gathering involves formation sharing Our Lord's monthly messages to Anne, a lay apostle, discussion, and praying the Luminous Mysteries, on the second Tuesday of each month.