

GREETERS



DESCRIPTION/OVERVIEW:

Greeters are called to be Ministers of Hospitality. They are entrusted with promoting a sense of welcoming and belonging to all those who gather for worship. Greeters begin the process of forming the community into the worshipping Body of Christ.

ACTIVITIES and EXPECTATIONS

- Opening doors to make sure the entrance into the worship space is welcoming to all.
- Giving full attention to the gathering assembly by offering a “Good Morning” or “Good Evening”.
- Smile, which not only magnifies your true inner sincerity and sensitivity, but is an international sign of welcome.
- Seek the face of Jesus in everyone.
- Help the ushers when needed.

Witness Statement 1:

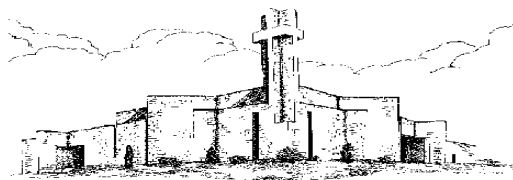
“I was searching for a ministry that my husband and I could do together - a way of volunteering a bit of our time to our church family. We found the Greeter ministry to be so simple and easy. Basically, we smile and say hello. We do enjoy greeting our fellow parishioners and any guests as they come into church. Our hope is to help them feel welcome and brighten their day (if needed) and let them know we are happy they are joining us in celebrating the Mass. It is gratifying to know that in a small way we are doing our part to help our parish community.”

Chet and Sally Donikowski

Witness Statement 2:

“We wanted to do something a little more than just attend weekly mass and thought that perhaps the ministry to welcome people to church might be something we would enjoy. We discovered that it is nice to greet people as they enter the church and spend a few moments to say hello. We have gotten to know some wonderful people and are proud to say that we can usually put a name to a face. This is a very worthwhile ministry and we encourage others to give it a try.”

Nick and Kathy Mauro



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