

For a detailed description of any of the ministries listed below, please review the Ministry Handbook.

Please indicate all of the ministries you would like to participate in for the 2022-2023 year.

○ = Already Involved

= Interesting in joining

### WORSHIP

- Acolytes
- Altar Guild
- Choir/Music
- Christmas Pageant
- Color Guard
- Flower Guild
- Hospitality/Fellowship
- INSPIRE! Youth Choir
- Lay Readers & Eucharistic Minister
- Lay Eucharistic Visitors
- Stream Team
- Spirit Strummers Ukulele Ensemble
- Spirit Time
- Spirit Winds
- Welcome & Connect Ministry

### FORMATION, EDUCATION & STUDIES

- Adult Christian Formation
- Midweek Spiritual Formation
- Spiritual Formation Studies
- Study Groups

### PRAYER

- Community of Hope
- Order of St. Luke
- Overnight Prayer Vigil

### COMMUNITY

- Bishop's Golf Tournament
- Children's Ministry
- Children's Ministry Team
- Dinner's for Fun/Lunches for Laughs
- Flick Chicks
- Girl Scouts of the USA
- Men's Group
- Scouts of America
- Young Adult Ministry
- Youth Ministry
- Youth Ministry Team
- Women In Touch (WIT)

### SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

- Bishop's Cursillo Movement
- Bishop's Happening Movement
- Reunion Groups
- Retreats

### IN SERVICE TO OTHERS

- Card Ministry
- Food Angels
- KOKES Ministry
- Military Ministry
- Newsletter Ministry
- Prayer Shawl Ministry
- Quilts Beyond Borders
- Random Acts of Kindness
- Spirit Sowers

### OUTREACH TEAMS

- Good Samaritan Community Services
- Helotes House of Neighborly Service
- Interfaith Welcome Coalition
- Mobile Loaves and Fishes
- Outreach Team
- Project Hope

Dear Fellow Follower of Christ:

Our theme this year is Chosen to Love, based on John's Gospel in which Jesus says,

*As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete...You did not choose me, but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another. – John 15:9-11, 16-17*

Jesus was calling upon his followers to live a life that showed that they are Chosen to Love. This life means loving others we may not want to love. Being Chosen to Love means serving others when we don't want to serve. That we were chosen is both a comforting and scary thought!

This Homecoming Sunday we celebrate the over 50 ministries through which our community seeks to Restore all people to unity with God and each other in Christ. These ministries are expressions of love that rose up from within our community.

Please take a moment to respond to this serving pledge card and connect with the ministries of Holy Spirit and show how our worship community is Chosen to Love.

In the Family,  
Jason

### **Matthew 5:16 16**

In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

### **Hebrews 13:16**

And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.

### **Peter 4:10**

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.

Questions about any of our ministries or about this pledge card?

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## **2022-2023 Service Pledge**

Please prayerfully consider how you will share your time and talents to support the various ministries at Holy Spirit and return this card by Sunday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like the Ministry Coordinator to discuss this form.