

**ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL CATHOLIC CHURCH MINISTRIES**  
**Holy Redeemer Church, Perry – St. Ignatius Church, Mt. Horeb**

**LITURGICAL SUPPORT:**

- **Choir** – Assist Song Leader/Musician with songs, Propers and psalms during the celebration of the Eucharist.
- **Eucharist Minister**- Assist with distribution of the Eucharist during Mass.
- **Greeter** – Welcome the congregation to the celebration and hand out the Mass guides.
- **Lector / Commentator** – Assist in the celebration of the Eucharist by proclaiming God’s word through the readings and intentions as well as sharing the announcements.
- **Master of Ceremonies (MC)** – Assist with various activities during the celebration of the Mass and provide guidance to the servers.
- **Pianist / Organist**– Provide music during the celebration of the Eucharist.
- **Rosary Leader** – Leads the Congregational Rosary from a prepared script prior to the 4:00 PM and 10:30 AM Mass. Rosary starts approximately half an hour ahead of Mass.
- **Song Leader** – Lead the congregation in songs, Propers and psalms during the celebration of the Eucharist.
- **Usher** – Assist the congregation with seating, distribute and collect the baskets for the offertory gift.

**VOLUNTEERS WITH SPECIAL TALENTS TO SHARE:**

- The Parish is always looking for individuals with special talents to help with various projects. If you have the talent, please share your time.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & ADULT FAITH FORMATION:**

- Teach or assist teachers with the various grades and tasks related to the religious education program.
- Help others prepare for the various sacraments celebrated in our Church.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:**

- **Alter Linens**- Launder, starch, fold and monitor supply weekly.
- **Building & Maintenance** – Assist with the upkeep of the Parish buildings.
- **Bulletin Stuffing**- Assist office help with final preparation of bulletins and other mailings, as needed.
- **Cemetery** – Assist with watering, trash removal, and general upkeep of the cemetery grounds.
- **Church / Altar Decorating** – Assisting with liturgical and seasonal decorating of the Altar and Sanctuary.
- **Community Clothes Closet** – Come together with other local churches to donate your time to take in, sort, and display gently used clothing at the Mount Horeb Community Clothes Closet.
- **Eucharistic Ministry to Ingleside** – Provide the opportunity for those living at Ingleside to receive the Holy Eucharist.
- **Funeral Dinners** – Assist in the preparation and serving of meals as well as the set-up and clean-up associated with funeral meals.
- **Meal Ministry** – When there is a need, the meal ministry provides a welcomed meal to those in need. The commitment is as small as providing one meal a year.
- **Money Counter**- Assist another parishioner on Monday mornings with counting collection, recording collection and deposit of funds.
- **Mt. Horeb Food Pantry** – Provide help to stock shelves and distribute food to those who come to the food pantry in need for several hours one day a month.
- **Multicultural Center (MCC)** – On the third Tuesday of each month, volunteers from Holy Redeemer and St. Ignatius make cookies, bars or other types of desserts to be taken to the MCC.
- **Prayer Chain / Network**– Receive a call to pray for specific needs of individuals/families and calling others in the group to do the same. At Holy Redeemer, the Prayer Network is also used to notify Parishioners if Mass is cancelled due to bad weather.
- **Stewardship Committee** – Representatives from both Church sites work to encourage involvement in all Parish activities.

**PARISH ORGANIZATIONS TO JOIN:**

- **Council of Catholic Women (CCW)** is an organization open to all women of the Catholic Faith. Members are involved in numerous volunteer activities throughout the year.
- **Knights of Columbus (K of C)** was formed to render financial aid to members and their families. Members are involved in numerous volunteer activities throughout the year.