



St Christopher's Cathedral Parish, Forrest, ACT

(Incorporating St Peter Chanel's,
Cnr Weston & Loch Sts, Yarralumla)

St Christopher's Cathedral Parish encompasses the areas of Barton,
Causeway, Deakin, Forrest, Fyshwick, Griffith, Kingston, Manuka,
Parkes, Red Hill, Yarralumla

Commitment Sunday 2019

“In the same way all of us, though many, make up one body in Christ, and as different parts, we are all joined to one another” (Rm.12:5).

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Please complete the following in clear print. One form per adult person please.

Please Note: All information will be treated in strict confidentiality.

Your contact details (email, phone) will only be shared for roster/communication purposes with the coordinator of the ministry you are active in.

DETAILS:

First Name (Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms) _____ Surname _____

Address _____ P/C _____

Phone (H) _____ (M) _____ (W) _____

Email _____

Marital Status: Single Married Widowed Divorced Other _____

Date of Birth _____ Age range—U 16 16-17 18-35 36-50 51-60 61-70 71-80 80+

WWVP Card holder: Yes WWVP Number: _____ * These Ministries must have a current WWVP card (Working with Vulnerable People Card). WWVP cards are issued by Access Canberra.

Please complete the following for all people living at the above address

No.	First & Surname	Date of Birth	M/F	Sacrament Received (tick)			School/University
				Baptism	Eucharist	Confirmation	

Which Mass do you usually attend?

(SCC) St Christopher's Cathedral, Forrest 6pm (SPC) 8am (SCC) 9.30am (SPC) 11am (SCC) 5.30pm (SCC)

(SPC) St Peter Chanel's, Yarralumla

I would like to support the life of the Parish by my commitment to:

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES FOR SUNDAY EUCHARIST *Training is MANDATORY for those not currently exercising the ministry in the Parish.*

Please indicate the Mass for which you are nominating:

6pm (SPC) 8am (SCC) 9.30am (SPC) 11am (SCC) 5.30pm (SCC) **Weekday EMHC (SCC)** Pls specify _____

If you are nominating for more than one Liturgical Ministry, please number your preferences in the first column—1, 2, ...

Please write an 'E' for *Existing* if you are currently serving or 'I' for *Interested* if you would like to serve this ministry.

E	I

- Altar Server** (children in Year 4 & above & have celebrated First Eucharist)
- Collector**
- Counter** (on Monday mornings)
- Music Ministry** Please specify (SCC Choir; SCC Youth Music; SPC Music)

E	I

- Reader & Commentator**
- Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist*** (EMHC)
- Welcomer/Usher**

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LITURGICAL PREPARATION

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E	I

Altar Linen (wash and iron altar linen) (SCC) (SPC)

Sanctuary Group (maintain candles, dusting pews, altar, etc) (SCC) (SPC)

Sacristan (setting up for Mass/Weddings/Funerals). *Please specify if you are available for weekdays—7.30am or 12.15pm or weekends. Mon / Tues / Wed / Thur / Fri / Sat / Sun.*

FAITH, DEVOTIONS & GROUPS

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Christian Meditation (SPC Sat. weekly, 5pm)

Good Shepherd Charismatic Prayer Group (SPC Wed. weekly, 6pm)

Good Shepherd Mother's & Children's Charismatic Prayer Group (SPC Thurs. weekly, 11.45am)

Legion of Mary (for the sanctification of members and furthering the Church's missionary outreach)

RCIA Team (To journey with people interested in becoming Catholic. Meets weekly between Sept to after Easter)

School of Religion* (Catechist assisting with periodic evening sessions for children from public schools seeking to celebrate Sacraments of Reconciliation / First Eucharist / Confirmation)

Young Adults Prayer Group (18-35 year olds to meet for prayer and social gatherings)

PASTORAL OUTREACH

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Aged Care* Baptist Care, Griffith Baptist Care, Carey Gardens, Red Hill
3rd Tues, 10.30am Mass

Parishioner Visitation* (to call on new and/or housebound parishioners. Bring Holy Communion to housebound parishioners also.)

St Vincent de Paul* (to offer assistance to those in need in our area)

Social Events in the Parish (to assist with setting up and serving at occasional social events)

Transport* (to provide transport for weekend Masses)

Explanation of Ministries

Altar Linen: Wash and iron altar linen (on a monthly roster basis).

Altar Server: Altar server's role is to assist the Priest and other Ministers of the Altar in the celebration of the Eucharist. They assist with processional candles, the processional cross, preparation of the vessels, the Sacramentary (missal), Book of the Chair and bell. Altar Servers must be children in Year 4 or above and have celebrated First Eucharist.

Collector: Take up collections at Masses and arrange safe keeping.

Counters: Count collection on Monday mornings in the Parish Office (on a 3 weekly team roster basis).

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMHC)*: EMHC who assist the Priest (the ordinary minister of Holy Communion) when required to distribute the Eucharist at Mass; take Holy Communion to the sick in their homes, nursing homes and hospital.

Music Ministry: Support the sung prayer of the community by singing or playing an instrument.

Parishioner Visitation*: Visit people in need, to be a friendly face, a listening ear, the hands and feet of Christ in the world (this ministry is often closely associated with the Legion of Mary group and done in pairs).

Reader & Commentator: Proclaim the Scripture during Mass (one reader for the First Reading and another for the Second Reading. A Reader or Commentator also lead the Psalm and the Gospel Acclamation when they are not being sung. It is expected that the Reader take some time to prepare and practice the readings before they proclaim them.

Sacristan: To prepare for the Mass, preparing the Altar, setting out all vessels, preparing for the Readings, ensuring readers are ready and EMHC available and clearing up after Mass.

Sanctuary Group: Trim & tidy altar candles, clean & refill holy water fonts, dust pews, timber work on the sanctuary, remove rubbish left on the pews, clean the marble altar, clean brass. Done on a monthly roster.

Social events in the Parish: to assist with social events by setting up, serving and clearing up at Parish events.

Transport*: When requested, collect and returning people who need assistance getting to and from Mass.

Welcomers: Aims to establish a warm and friendly atmosphere as people gather for the liturgy. A welcoming attitude makes a difference to everybody, particularly to those who may be feeling anxious or out of sorts, for whatever reason. As a Welcomer, you are representing us all, your demeanour reflects the love, care and support that lives within the community.

Would you like to withdraw from any ministry/group you are currently involved in? _____

Do you have knowledge, qualifications or expertise that you are willing to share or provide advice? (for example, plumbing, electrical, landscaping, roofing, finance, pastoral care, etc). Please specify _____

Do you have any expertise that you can offer the life of the Parish that is not covered in this form?

Comments:

Please return this completed form to the Parish Office by 31 Oct '19