

Middle School Community Service Form

2019/20

All service must be completed and this form filled out and turned in by April 15th. Incomplete community service will cause your Religion class grade to be lowered by one full letter grade.

Service to your family (1 hr)

Helping the members of your own family without financial reimbursement is one of the first ways that young people learn to give service to others. Describe how you have helped a member of your family (parents, sibling, grandparent, etc) How did it make you feel? Why were you needed?

Time spent: _____

2 paragraph answer attached on separate sheet of paper.

Service to St. Joe's/St. John's (1 hr)

The community of St. Joseph's School and St. John's Cathedral exist because of the willingness of the members of these communities to give their time to the different groups and events that we support. How have you given service (outside of the normal school day) to St. John's or St. Joe's? You may count altar serving or lecturing or service as an usher at one of the weekend masses - but you must serve/lector/usher 3 times to earn the full hour. Describe below how you have served the communities of St. Joseph's and/or St. John's. Please include dates and the name of at least one adult who has been witness to your service.

Time spent: _____

2 paragraph answer attached on separate sheet of paper.

Service to the community

The final portion of your service commitment is to the community of your choosing outside of the two detailed above. There are many, many ways to serve others in your community: environmental causes, animal shelters, homeless outreach, neighborhood cleanups, etc. Describe what you did to serve the community you chose. Why was your service needed? What did you do specifically? How much time did you spend? How did it make you feel? Do you think you made a difference?

Time spent: _____

2 paragraph answer attached on a separate sheet of paper.

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____