

## St. Paul Lutheran Church, Wyoming, MN. Ways to Serve in the Church!

- 1. Welcome people as they come in and help them find where they need to go
- 2. Volunteer in the church nursery
- 3. Provide a ride for people who can't drive (children, elderly, disabled, etc)
- 4. Host a "Mom's Night Out" with childcare
- 5. Stick around to clean up after service or special events
- 6. Mentor younger church members, couples or families
- 7. Visit people in the hospital
- 8. Run copies for Sunday school teachers, class leaders
- 9. Give financially
- 10. Help set up for special events
- 11. Stuff envelopes in the church office
- 12. Call and invite new visitors to return
- 13. Run a committee
- 14. Teach an adult class
- 15. Sing in the worship band or play an instrument
- 16. Send cards to people who have recently had a baby or other exciting life event
- 17. Send cards to those in the hospital, battling illness or who have lost a loved one
- 18. Hold an umbrella for people coming in/leaving on rainy days
- 19. Cook the Wednesday night meal
- 20. Take communion/audio tapes to people who can't make it in
- 21. Help finalize details for special events
- 22. Run the sound system
- 23. Fix broken items around the church
- 24. Help out with the teen ministry
- 25. Paint and decorate outdated classrooms
- 26. Shovel snow in the winter
- 27. Join the choir
- 28. Do yardwork/housework for church members who need help
- 29. Drive children/teens to off-campus church activities/events
- 30. Pray for the pastor, church members, missionaries and those in your community
- 31. Type up the weekly bulletin
- 32. Retrieve parents of crying children from service
- 33. Offer medical assistance when someone has a medical emergency
- 34. Volunteer in the food pantry
- 35. Record videos to use during service or in the youth group
- 36. Answer the phone
- 37. Teach Sunday School
- 38. Run errands for supplies
- 39. Keep an eye on the church parking lot for security purposes
- 40. Periodically roam the hallways to make sure the teens are where they need to be
- 41. Invite other families over for lunch after church
- 42. Donate candy, pencils, Bibles, food and other supplies
- 43. Prepare slide shows for service
- 44. Offer wedding planning
- 45. Update the church's website
- 46. Run the church's social media accounts
- 47. Take pictures of special events
- 48. Gather everyone's information for the church directory
- 49. Give announcements



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- 50. Update the church sign
- 51. Organize the church library
- 52. Offer counseling to hurting church members
- 53. Compliment others regularly
- 54. Write an article for the church website or bulletin
- 55. Introduce people to each other
- 56. Organize a fundraiser
- 57. Coordinate a special service project opportunity
- 58. Act in skits, the Christmas musical, and/or youth group lessons
- 59. Be the first to participate, to encourage others to participate too
- 60. Help organize vacation Bible school
- 61. Knit blankets for new babies (either for the nursery or to take home)
- 62. Restock pews with offering envelopes and pencils
- 63. Bring small toys to give to children in the service
- 64. Tend to a church garden
- 65. Participate in Angel Tree during the holidays
- 66. Make posters/signs for upcoming events
- 67. Be responsible for advertising church events in your community
- 68. Direct traffic after service lets out
- 69. Start and maintain a "Jobs" or "Opportunities" bulletin board
- 70. Open your home for youth group events
- 71. Help late-comers find seats
- 72. Decorate for Christmas
- 73. Set up a clothes donation box (particularly winter gear) for those in need
- 74. Open your home to those without one
- 75. Sit near the front or back of church to minister to those who need someone to talk to

I know we didn't think of everything, let us know what YOU would like to do to Serve and we'll add it to our list. Blessings!