MINISTRY SCHEDULING

We will be writing the next Ministry schedule on Feb. 7. Please check your schedules and let us know, by Feb. 5 any dates you cannot serve, or any dates you want to be scheduled. This schedule will run from Feb. 14 (Ash Wednesday) through the last weekend in May. (A separate schedule will be written for Holy Week). Thanks for your continued help.

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MARRIAGE IN CHRIST SEMINARS

Friendship with God, Friendship with Our Spouse, In the Holy Spirit

Throughout 2018, several parishes will be hosting Marriage in Christ seminars. The five-week seminar is for all married couples. Good habits and the power of the Holy Spirit transform all marriages! Find more details and the list of host parishes at www.archspm.org/marriageinchrist

PRAYER SERVICE FOR LIFE 2018.

Join us at the Cathedral of Saint Paul, Monday, January 22, 10:30 a.m. for the Annual Prayer Service for Life, followed by MCCL's March for Life at the State Capitol. This prayer service commemorates the millions of lives lost to abortion and the many women and men wounded by abortion's aftermath. All are invited and welcome. Please consider carpooling or utilizing buses as parking and street access are limited. For more information, please contact the Office for Marriage, Family & Life at 651.291.4488 or visit at www.archspm.org/events.

CHOIR MEMBERS AND INSTRUMENTALISTS NEEDED



If you sing or play a musical instrument we would love to have you come join our Sunday Choir. **We practice every other Sunday at 9:00 a.m**. All ages and abilities are encouraged to come lift their voice and music to the Lord.

COFFEE SUNDAY HOSTS NEEDED

Hospitality and community are two characteristics of our Saint Matt's community, and Coffee Sunday is one way we demonstrate both. However, in order for us to provide this hospitality and community building activity, we need people to step forward and help host Coffee Sunday. Hosting consists of preparing and setting out the coffee, providing refreshments and cleaning up afterwards, which is minimal. The coffee and paper supplies are provided, and you will be taught how to make coffee in the coffee machine. Free will donations are encouraged and those donations can be used to reimburse the hosts for the costs of refreshments. Simple refreshments such as homemade coffee breads, muffins, scones, etc. are fine. The focus of Coffee Sunday is our time with one another, not the food.

If you are interested in or willing to host a Coffee Sunday, please either call the Parish Center (651-224-9793) or e-mail Becky Montgomery at: montgomery_bec@hotmail.com. Please indicate if you are willing to host alone, will be hosting with others, or need someone to co-host with you. Thank you.