



Hospitality

The friendly and generous reception and entertainment of guests, visitors, or strangers.



Why is the Hospitality Committee a great place to volunteer?

Meet people

Make a real difference in the overall experience of the mass

Learn to make coffee for a crowd

Feel part of something



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WHAT WE DO



For the 9am mass

Arrive 30 to 45 minutes early
Bring 1l of cream
Start the coffee and kettle
Set-up the counter
Fill thermos with boiled water
Put on name tag
Greet/Welcome people to mass

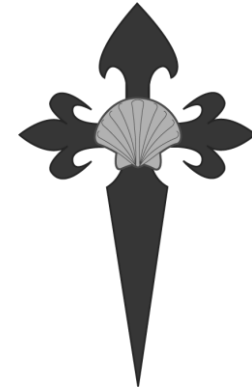
After mass, put out cream and
cookies
Load dishwasher

For the 11am mass

Arrive 20 minutes early
Put on name tag
Greet/Welcome people to mass
After mass, put out cream and
cookies
Load dishwasher
Clean up kitchen
Take linens home for laundering,
return next week.

We are all prodigal children longing to be welcomed home. In a hospitable parish, parishioners and guests feel they belong and are appreciated. This is especially true if they were ever absent from the church. Hospitality leads to a sense of ownership among parishioners. This ownership and personal involvement fosters a sense of “belonging.” When parishioners experience a warm and sincere welcome, they in turn become open to give themselves to others. God is love. God gives His love to each one of us. As God loves us, He calls us to love one another.

<http://rcav.org/parish-hospitality-welcome-ideas/>



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