Confirmation Year 1 and Year 2 Service Project Hours:

Read the descriptions below, choose the 1 you are most capable of/interested in.

Choose 1 Ministry to serve all 15 of your hours in.

Get involved by giving back to your Parish community through service and presence.

Contact the person you need to begin your service hours. You need 15 hours PER YEAR of Confirmation.

Usher Ministry

Location: Church Building During Mass

Hours given: 1 Hour of service given per Mass

The Usher Ministry provides hospitality, comfort and safety at the Masses and other special liturgies.

Ushers foster a sense of community, take up the collection, distribute bulletins, assist in emergencies and provide information.

We are seeking Responsible, Reliable volunteers to be an example of Christ's love and witness to our community.

*Note: Minor teens must be accompanied by a parent or guardian when serving. And parent/guardian must be a registered parishioner.

If interested, please complete an Usher Application -providing both parent/guardian and minor's information. (You can ask any Usher to provide one of these to you) and return it to the front office.

Media Ministry

Location: Church

During the 5:30pm Mass

Hours given: 1 hour per Mass

My name is Gloria and I assist with the Media and Livestream at St. Edward. Media is a behind-the-scenes evangelization opportunity for teens at Mass. Media involves progressing the slides for Mass participation or operating the livestream. Both options require training unless you have assisted before. Aside from training, volunteers must

arrive 15 minutes early to assist their regularly scheduled Mass and serve when available. We always welcome additional members to join and will be glad to train you.

Please contact Gloria Turnbull at gturnbull@stedward.com

Youth Leader - Life Night's

Location: St. Ed's Youth Room

Hours Given: 3 Hours every Wednesday

Life Night is our High School Youth Ministry.

We meet every Wednesday from 6:30-8:30pm.

We are looking for Teen Leaders who love Jesus and can help set up for Life Nights, lead small group discussions, have an outgoing and joyful personality, that welcomes other teens who may be their first time attending LN.

Youth leaders attend monthly meetings (which you can receive hours for as well), where they are formed to be Disciples of Jesus and Mary, and from that formation, attend wednesday Life Nights ready to serve their peers.

If you are interested, please contact Ms. Diana Wehbe dwehbe@stedward.com

EDGE Middle School Ministry

Location: St. Ed's Youth Room

Hours Given: 2 hours every other tuesday of the month

EDGE Middle school ministry meets every other Tuesday of the month.

EDGE provides a faith-filled and fun experience of Catholic fellowship for middle school teens.

We are seeking reliable and outgoing volunteers to work with our middle school students as youth mentors! You will play games with them, help them settle down when it's time to be serious, and lead them in faithful conversations in small groups. You need to be able to commit for the full 15 hours so that the teens can get to know you and not feel like you are not present to them. And who knows, you may want to stay even after you complete your hours! =)

If you are interested, please contact Ms. Diana Wehbe dwehbe@stedward.com

Teen Mass Choir (5:30pm Sundays)

Location: Church

Every Sunday 5:30pm Mass Hours given: 2 hours/week

Can you sing? Or play an instrument? Come audition with our Director for Contemporary Music, Johnny Oskam and see if this teen Mass choir is the right fit for you!

If interested reach out to Johnny <u>JOskam@stedward.com</u>

Altar Server

Location: In the Church Dates: Weekly at Masses

Hours Given: 1 hour/Mass served

Have you seen those young people on the Altar with Father wearing the white Albs? Those are Altar servers. Would you like to train to serve on the Altar of Jesus? If so, contact Mallari Flores at: MFlores@stedSchool.org

Lectors

Location: in the Church
Date: Sunday 5:30pm Mass

Hours Given: 1 Hour/Sunday that you read

Hello, my name is Jackie Brady, and I help train and schedule lectors for the Saturday evening and Sunday Masses. We would love to have you help serve your parish as a lector! You are welcome to be a lector at any Mass, but particularly we would like you for the Sunday 5:30 Mass. Lectors serve about 1x per month. You do have the ability to request specific dates and times and to tell us your availability so we schedule you at a date and time that works for you and your family. Training is approximately one hour, and we will work with you to schedule it at a convenient time. If you have any questions at all, please do not hesitate to call or text me.

Thank you for volunteering!

If interested: Jackie Brady (949) 391-6152

Family Christmas Morning

Location: St. Ed's Bluff Date: December ...TBD

Hours Given: 15

We need Teens who are ready to help us get creative!

You will be required to attend 1 planning/creativity meeting. You will help SET-UP and CLEAN-UP. And you will assist at one of the booths for Family Christmas morning. Plan to be there from 7am-3pm

If interested contact Ms. Diana Wehbe dwehbe@stedward.com

Night to Shine

Location: Knight Hall

Dates: February 13th (plus dates for training leading up to Feb 13th)

Hours: 15

Hi, my name is Stephanie Baren and Night to Shine ("NTS") is a worldwide prom night experience sponsored by the Tim Tebow Foundation for special needs guests ages 14 and older. Night to Shine 2026 will be held on Friday, February 13th at the Parish Center. This ministry has lots of volunteer opportunities for teens:

Teen Planning Committee Member: We have a few spots open for teens looking to join our planning committee. We will begin meeting once a month in July. Our summer meetings will be held at my home in San Clemente. Once school begins, meetings will most likely be one Sunday a month at 2pm at the Parish Center. This year, our group of teens will be focused on brainstorming, planning and implementing fundraising events as well as marketing. Those who are interested please email me at stedsnts@gmail.com.

Day of Event Opportunities:

There will be lots of teen volunteer positions for the Night to Shine event, specifically: (1) set up crew, (2) food server, (3) interactive stations (e.g.,flower station, Photo Booth, limo rides, make-up/accessories, shoeshine) and (4) Guest Buddy. The Guest Buddy role is reserved for those teens with experience with special needs or who feel comfortable partaking in the entire evening one-on-one with a special guest of the same gender.

A signup link will be sent out in early December with limited spots for each volunteer role. Volunteers are also required to attend a two hour training session the week prior to NTS. Service hours are awarded for the training session as well.

We sincerely hope you will join us in creating this magical night for those with special needs in our community!

Contact Stephanie Baren stedsnts@gmail.com

Faith Formation

Location: Parish Center/ Knight Hall

Dates: (several opportunities throughout the year)

Hours given: 15

Catechist aides during Faith Formation classes Sundays 10:15 to 11:30

Sweets for Saints (dressing up as a Saint and being in character to help support this event) on October 31 5pm to 8pm

Reconciliation and 1st Communion Retreat guides 8:30 to 1pm (dates TBD)

If interested contact Lupe Ojeda: LOjeda@stedward.com

Catholic Charities Fashion Show Benefit

Location: Knight Hall

Date: May 30th 2026 TBD

Hours Given: 15

Catholic Charities puts on an annual fashion show here at St. Ed's to raise funds to help with charitable causes in our Church. This year the funds went to counseling programs for children in need. For this event, you will help SET-UP and CLEAN-UP and maybe even walk down the runway!

And you will assist at one of the booths for the fashion show or you will volunteer to model, MC etc.

Plan to be there from 8am-3pm

If interested contact: Darlene Jamroz <u>Darjamroz4realestate@gmail.com</u>

Adult Traditional Choir

Location: In the Church (on the balcony)

Most Wednesdays 7pm-8:30pm

Saturdays 4:30pm-5:30pm (4:30 for rehearsal, 5:30 for Mass)

Hours given: per rehearsal + per Mass

We are especially in need of Male Singers (Tenors and Basses) but all are welcome. We sing a variety of traditional hymns, plus a weekly special choral piece. These weekly

pieces reflect a wide range of choral traditions, some more modern, some ancient. We sing both English and Latin choral works.

If interested contact Marc Lombardino mlombardino@stedward.com

Knights of Columbus Events

The Knights put on many events at the parish throughout the year including pancake breakfasts on Sundays and other services to our community. If you'd like to help them please contact Dan Martin at djmartin92672@gmail.com