YOUTH VOLUNTEER FORM

2023-2024



Name	Phone	
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Email	Grade	

KidsWord Description: KidsWord is a children's liturgy program offered for children in grades K-4 during 9:30 and 11:30 Masses. Children will gather by the baptismal font before mass. They will process into church, receive a blessing, and process to the Disciples Room where a fun, interactive Gospel lesson will be taught. During the Offertory, children will return to church to join their families for the remainder of mass.

Volunteer Commitment: Volunteers will work in teams serving once per month Sept.10-May 12. They commit to do the following:

- Read the lessons which will be emailed in advance.
- Arrive 15 minutes prior to mass to meet with their team, prepare, and greet children.
- Interact with the children and assist as needed during the lesson.
- Be proactive and look for ways to be helpful.

Training for New Volunteers includes Observation of a KidsWord and a quick Session after Mass as needed.

Please indicate which Mass you would like to volunteer for

Sundays 9:30 Mass	Leader Assistant		Sundays 11:30 Mass	Leader □ Assistant □			
Training for New Volunteers: Please check which KidsWord and training session you will attend.							
I will attend training	☐ Sept 10: 9:30 Mass ☐ Sept 10: 11:30 Mass ☐ I have taken Protecting God's Children (Age 18 and older)						

Please submit this form along with:

Background Verification Form (ages 12+) or Background Check Ages 18+ High School Youth Volunteers are required to have Healthy Relationships online training. Volunteers ages 18+ are required to have Protecting God's Children Training

Thank you for volunteering! You will receive an email confirming your commitment.

Questions? Email Marge Fitzpatrick at mfitzpatrick@sjnovi.net