



**Saint John Bosco's
Annual Community Service Day
Saturday, September 23, 2023
8:30 am—1:00 pm**

Please consider joining your fellow parishioners in the Ministry of Charity by spending a few hours on Saturday, September 23rd serving within our local community.

We will start our Community Service Day at 8:30 am with Mass, followed in the Bell Tower for coffee, donuts, and a brief meeting with your site coordinator. We will then proceed to our respective volunteer activities.

On Saturday morning, each participant will receive a commemorative Prayer Card, a warm feeling of sharing, and for those who do not have a t-shirt from previous years, a "Community Service Day" t-shirt.

(Our Community Service Day will take place rain or shine.)

VOLUNTEER WAIVER OF CLAIMS

I acknowledge and understand that I am volunteering of my own free will to provide free, volunteer, skilled and/or unskilled labor with respect to a home and/or property project (jointly called the "Community Service Day"). I further acknowledge and understand the Project may contain hazardous substances or conditions to which I may be exposed in the course of my volunteer activities including, but not limited to, lead paint dust and chips (for example, in older layers of paint) or asbestos (for example in shingles, plaster, insulation or flooring), which exposure could be hazardous to my health. Nevertheless, I wish to participate in the Community Service Day as a volunteer ("Volunteer") and am willing to sign this Waiver of Claims as a required condition to participate in the Community Service Day. Therefore, without limiting the generality of the following statement, in consideration of the opportunity to participate in the Community Service Day, I hereby release the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland and St. John Bosco Parish; its directors, officers, agents, representatives, employees and sponsors from all liability, and waive all claims and rights to sue the Catholic Diocese of Cleveland and St. John Bosco Church for any and all injuries, losses, costs, liability, expenses and damages that I might sustain or experience as a result of my participation in the Community Service Day as a volunteer, including, but not limited to, claims resulting from (a) personal injury or death, (b) property damage or destruction, and (c) claims of third parties against me arising from my participation in the Community Service Day as a Volunteer.

Signature (Participant)

Print Name

Family Email Address

Date

Signature (Parent or Guardian if Participant is a Minor)

Print Name

Street Address/City/State/Zip code

WAIVER AND RELEASE FOR USE OF PICTURES

I do hereby give permission to St. John Bosco Parish and its agents and employees; without compensation beyond the opportunity to participate in the project, to make use of my photographs and images in advertising and promotional activities for the church and its ministries. I expressly agree to and grant to St. John Bosco Parish the unlimited right and authority to use such photographs or images on the church internet sites or publications. Such use of my photographs and images by St. John Bosco Parish is for nonprofit purposes including but not limited to: brochures, informational videos, public service announcements, newsletters, etc., and such uses are without further notice or obligation to me.

Signature (Participant)

Print Name

Signature (Parent or Guardian if Participant is a Minor)

Print Name

Date

THE SITES FOR THIS YEAR ARE ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS PAGE

Volunteer Information – PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY & RETURN THIS ENTIRE PAGE.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Emergency Contact (name & phone): _____

Do you have your T-Shirt from last year? Y ____ N ____ If you need a T-Shirt indicate size: Size (Sm – XL): ____

Would you please consider being a “Site Coordinator” Circle: YES / NO

If you would like to help us make this a successful day, we ask you to please do three things:

- 1) Complete the information form above and the *Waiver* on the other side for EACH volunteer.
- 2) Look over the list of sites below, and indicate which site is your preferred 1st & 2nd choices.
- 3) Drop this form off at the Parish Office or the collection basket before Tuesday, September 19th.

The Site Coordinator will contact you with information regarding your assigned site.

- _____ 1. Ann George Food Pantry (ff; 10 volunteers) - cleaning and organizing groceries and shelves
- _____ 2. Holy Cross Cemetery (no limit) – Edge around markers (no power tools)
- _____ 3. Holy Family Hospice (6 volunteers) - outside clean up & inside visitation.
- _____ 4. Audrey’s Outreach (ff; 10-12 volunteers) – outdoor cleaning, unloading groceries, sorting donated clothing; other chores
- _____ 5. Metro Parks/Big Creek Parkway (ff; 10 volunteers) – Fall cleanup & possible painting (online waiver must be completed)
- _____ 6. Northeast Ohio SPCA – (15 volunteers) walk dogs, brush cats, indoor cleaning.
- _____ 7. Homebound in our community (ff; no limit) – Assist homebound with light yard clean-up
- _____ 8. Prison Ministry Care Packages (ff; 10 volunteers) - prepare ‘care packages’ for diocesan prison ministry
- _____ 9. Stearns Homestead (ff; 15-20 volunteers) – outside weeding and cleanup/inside cleaning
- _____ 10. SCAN Hunger Center Pantry (16 & older; 4 volunteers) – clean shelves, freezers & refrigerators; restock shelves
- _____ 11. Prayer Support (ff; no limit) - pray for success of the activities and volunteers at home/in chapel.
- _____ 12. **Middleburg Hts. Food Pantry - (ff; 4-5 volunteers)-cleaning shelves, mopping, organizing inventory
- _____ 13. Greenbrier Healthcare Center ((ff; no limit) - bingo & crafts with residents; clean wheelchairs
- _____ 14. East Park Assisted Living (ff; 4 volunteers) - bingo with residents.
- _____ 15. East Park Care Center (ff; 4 volunteers) - crafts with residents
- _____ 16. Mt. Alverna (indoor) (ff; 6-8 volunteers) - crafts with residents.
- _____ 17. Zelie’s Home (ff; 10-12 volunteers) - organization of donated items, light cleaning. (Additional Waiver Required).
- _____ 18. O’Neill Healthcare (ff; 6-8 volunteers) - making fall wreaths.
- _____ 19. ** West Creek Conservancy-Padua/Formal Camp Corde (ff; no limit) - grass seeding and cleanup and planting of trees/shrubs. (Additional Waiver required).
- _____ 20. **North Park Assisted Living (ff; 6 volunteers) - inside activities & crafts.

ff = family friendly/children permitted and ** = new sites this year

Please return this entire sign-up sheet in a timely manner – no later than September 19th. Revised 8/28/2023

