

## **CONFIRMATION YEAR TWO / SERVICE PROJECT GUIDELINES**

According to Diocesan guidelines for Confirmation, the second year of preparation is devoted to reflection, prayer, service and discipleship.

St. Helen Parish requires a service project of each candidate and sponsor for this second year. This requirement flows from our understanding of "catechesis" as including "leading to service."

\*Confirmation Sponsor & Candidate should be a team participating in this service together!

Confirmation candidates are asked to <u>choose 2 of the 3 service days offered</u> and complete a thoughtful reflection on the experience (see below). This project & reflection deadline is Monday, December 15, 2020. Your reflection letter should be submitted to the Religious Education Office by this date. You can email to <u>pfies@sthelenvero.org</u> if you wish.

**TO PARTICIPATE ON A SERVICE DAY:** Please register for your chosen day by contacting our Youth Minister, Kendall Jordan at 494-9837. There is a permission form that is needed. You can email her as well at **kjordan@sthelenvero.org** 

## **Service Project Reflection Guide**

After completing your Confirmation Service Project work, you must write about your experience and reflect on how this act of service impacted your life. This reflection should be at least 300 words. Please write neatly and in complete sentences.

The reflection should clearly address the following points:

- \* I shared God's love with others by...... (type of service)
- \* I chose to do this service because......
- \* Describe the project that you completed.
- \* Who benefited from the service? How did you experience God in your service?
- \* How did you, the Confirmation candidate, feel about the service you performed?
- \* How has this service project help you to prepare for Confirmation?
- \* How do you see service being a part of your life in the future?
- \* What was the most memorable part of this Service project?