

Religious Education Volunteer Opportunities

We are each called by our Baptism to share our faith. God has given each one of us special gifts. Your involvement with our Religious Education program makes you a living example of how to live as a disciple of Christ.

Catechist (K-8) - Prepare and teach weekly lessons during Wednesday night faith formation. This is a weekly commitment to attend classes and catechist training/formation. *Virtus needed. *Tuition reduction.*

Confirmation Team (9 & 10) - Assist with planning and conducting weekly sessions on Wednesday nights for grades 9 & 10. Attendance at confirmation retreat once a year. *Virtus needed. *Tuition reduction.*

Discussion Group Leader (9 & 10) - Assist with leading small group discussion on Wednesday nights for grades 9 & 10. Attendance at confirmation retreat once a year. *Virtus needed.

Substitute Catechist (All Grades) - Teach a prepared lesson when the teacher is not available on a Wednesday night Faith Formation. *Virtus needed.

Wednesday Night Support/Help - Hall Monitor, Front Door Monitor, and assist catechists when needed during Wednesday Night Faith Formation. *Virtus needed. Does not have to be every Wednesday.

* VIRTUS is the brand name that identifies best practices programs designed to help prevent wrongdoing and promote "rightdoing" within religious organizations. The VIRTUS programs empower organizations and people to better control risk and improve the lives of all those who interact with the Church. All adults who wish to work with children in the Diocese of Des Moines are required to take online Virtus training. For more information, please contact Heather Olson, Director of Religious Education. More information on the program is available at virtusonline.org.

Tuition reductions are offered to those parents willing to take on "full-time" responsibilities within the Religious Education program.

If you would like to volunteer or have questions contact Heather Olson, Director of Religious Education at 712-318-3030/holson76@gmail.com.