

To: Parents/Guardians of Prospective New Altar Servers
From: Rev. Kevin P. McCabe
Re: St. Matt's Altar Server *Rolling Recruitment*



ST. MATTHEW
— PARISH —

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Altar serving is open to practicing Catholic children in the 4th Grade and up.

Serving at the altar is a way your son/daughter can:

- taking charge of his/her own faith life.
- grow more comfortable giving witness to our faith.
- help St. Matt's to evangelize and to grow as a parish.
- learn skills for life, such as communication and teamwork.

Children in St. Matt's School will have **in-school** training sessions. All new servers (whether in PREP or SMS) can take advantage of **Saturday morning** training sessions. All servers (new and veteran) can **schedule to meet** me (Fr. McCabe) after a weekend Mass to review and to learn new skills. Several **veteran altar servers** have offered to practice with new servers, too!

If you would like more information, please call (215-333-0585) or email (frmccabe@stmmayfair.org).

If your child decides to become an altar server and you approve, please complete and return the registration form as soon as possible.

Forms may be: returned through St. Matt's **school**, dropped off at the **rectory**

or emailed to me (frmccabe@stmmayfair.org) as a picture or a PDF.

For communications about altar serving, we use a Flocknote group.

If Flocknote is new for you? **Download the free app** and go to stmattemayfair.flocknote.



Ours is a thriving, humming parish. We do a lot. The **main thing** we do as a parish is celebrate the Eucharist. I thank our young people who are stepping up to help St. Matt's do our main thing *well*.

Rev. Kevin P. McCabe

<p>New Altar Server information:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I'm in PREP</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I'm in SMS Homeroom _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I'm in High School</p> <p>Name: _____</p>	<p>Parent/Guardian Name(s):</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Best Phone #: _____</p> <p>Best Email: _____</p>
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