

Saint James the Apostle Orthodox Christian Church

Time & Talent Pledge Sheet

Pledge Year: _____

Name(s) _____

Email(s) : _____

Phone(s): _____

TIME & TALENT PLEDGE INFORMATION

Understanding that God blesses those who serve Him, I wish to serve God in our parish community as indicated below.

- ☐ **Serving on the Altar** – Assist during divine services and help support the liturgical worship of the Church.
- ☐ **Choir/Chanting** – Use your voice to help lead the congregation in prayer and worship through music and chanting.
- ☐ **Greeter/Usher** – Welcome parishioners and visitors and help create a warm, organized atmosphere during services.
- ☐ **Epistle Reading** – Read the Epistle during services.
- ☐ **Baking Communion/Artos Loaves** – Prepare loaves used for liturgical services and special feast celebrations.
- ☐ **Koliva** – Prepare koliva for Memorial Services.
- ☐ **Library**– Help maintain and organize the parish library and catalog books.
- ☐ **Bookstore** – Assist with the sale and display of Orthodox books, icons, prayer ropes, candles, and other church-related
- ☐ **Church Cleaning** – Assist in keeping the church clean, beautiful, and welcoming for worship.

- ☐ **Lunch/Feast/Coffee Hour Food** – Help prepare, serve, or organize meals and refreshments for parish gatherings.
- ☐ **Decorating the Church (flowers, etc.)** – Help beautify the church for feast days and special occasions.
- ☐ **Social Media** – Assist with parish communications and announcements via Facebook.
- ☐ **Building Maintenance & Repairs** – Help care for the church property through repairs and maintenance projects.
- ☐ **Fundraising** – Volunteer at parish fundraising events by helping with setup, preparation, sales, cleanup, or other tasks needed to make our existing fundraisers successful.
- ☐ **Grounds Maintenance/Flower Beds** – Help maintain the church grounds, landscaping, and outdoor appearance.
- ☐ **Adopt-A-Road Ministry** – Help care for our local community through roadside cleanup and stewardship efforts.
- ☐ **Parish Council** – Serve in a leadership role helping guide and support the administrative life of the parish.
- ☐ **Sunday School Teaching** – Help teach and nurture children in the Orthodox Christian faith.
- ☐ **Safety and Security Team** – Receive training in CPR, AED, LifeVac, safety awareness, and emergency response. Members may also serve as narthex greeters and help monitor security cameras during Divine Services.
- ☐ **Volunteer Driver** – Provide transportation for parishioners who need a ride to church.
- ☐ **Caring and Sharing** – Assist in gathering and transporting food donations to Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church in Taneytown every Sunday.

Other: _____

Signed: _____

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