

# Community Service

*G 7/8 Confirmation Candidates*

2019-2020 Information for  
Parents/Guardians and Students

St. Benedict Catholic Church and School  
165 Bethany Road  
Holmdel, NJ 07733

**Grade 7/8 St. Benedict Community Service Record Year: 2019 - 2020**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ (Circle one that applies) Religious Education / St. Benedict School

DATE OF SERVICE	NUMBER OF HOURS	DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE	Signature of Supervisor/email or phone

TOTAL HOURS:

*Parental Signature: By signing this, you certify that all information included in this record is correct.*

This form **MUST** be returned by all Grade 8 students by Feb.23, 2020

## St. Benedict Service Guidelines

### Grade 6-8

#### Examples of acceptable community service projects:

- Any Jr. youth group service project
- Altar Server for Mass- no limit
- Operate the screens at Mass- no limit
- RAINE-any project RAINE offers is accepted
- St. Vincent DePaul society - help out monthly with the collection of Sunday food bags, bake goods for the pantry, organize your own food collection for the pantry.
- Knights of Columbus monthly pancake breakfast
- Handing out bulletins to parishioners after each Sunday Mass- no limit
- Work at any food bank
- Assist seniors with chores in your neighborhood without pay
- Baby-sit for someone who needs help without pay
- Parish Fair -- St. Benedict Catholic Church and School
- Assistance with a PTA/PTO in any school.
- Help in the Religious Education program, contact Melissa Dayton at [mdayton@stbenedictnj.org](mailto:mdayton@stbenedictnj.org)
- see the attached spiritual and corporal works of mercy for ideas
- if you have an idea and are unsure if it will count, please email or call the office.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Mrs. Melissa Dayton  
Director of Faith Formation

## **The Corporal and Spiritual Works of Mercy will be our guide for Christian Service.**

### **Corporal Works:**

Feed the hungry  
Give drink to the thirsty Clothe the  
naked Shelter the homeless Visit the  
sick  
Visit the imprisoned

### **Spiritual**

### **Works:**

Instruct the  
ignorant  
Counsel the  
doubtful  
Admonish  
the sinners  
Bears  
wrongs  
patiently  
Forgive  
offences  
willingly  
Comfort the  
afflicted  
Pray for the living and the dead

### **Important Notes:**

1. Keep track of your service on the other side of this form.
2. Only the supervisor directly responsible may sign off for you.
3. Be sure to bring the form with you whenever you are doing a service project.
4. Parents/Guardians must sign the bottom of the form before it is submitted.
5. There can be no monetary compensation for your service.

Service forms are due in the Religious Education office no later than February 23, 2020 for Grade 8.

Grade 7 forms are due in 8th grade.

Grade 6 forms will be due on May 4, 2020.

Any questions or concerns, please call the Religious Education Office

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