

I am interested in joining the Ministry of the Word of St. Paul Catholic Church.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (please print clearly)  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_, CA \_\_\_\_\_ (zip code)  
Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
The Mass I usually attend is \_\_\_\_\_. I speak the following languages \_\_\_\_\_

### Parish Staff

Rev. Joyle Martinez, Pastor  
Rev. Felipe Paraguya, Priest in Residence  
Rev. Antonio Ramirez, Deacon  
Sister Kathy Quidlat, D.R.E.  
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### Office Hours

Monday—Friday  
8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

### Ministry of the Word Staff

Shirley Brown, Chair  
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*“...In the beginning was the Word  
... and the Word was God ...”  
— John 1:1*

## ST. PAUL MINISTRY OF THE WORD



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## St. Paul Ministry of the Word

*“Happy are those who hear the word of God and keep it” (Luke 11:28)*

### Our Mission

The Ministry of the Word of St. Paul Catholic Church is to proclaim God’s word to the assembly and ultimately make the risen Christ present through the reading of his word. Our purpose is to enable our parishioners to *“hear the word of God and keep it.”*

### Who We Are

We are St. Paul parishioners who are committed to bringing the word of God to the faithful through the Liturgy of the Word.

We remove the words of God from the printed page, and with the help of the Holy Spirit, proclaim them as the living flesh that dwells among us during the Holy Mass.

### What We Do

We, the Ministry of the Word of St. Paul Catholic Church:

- Help our parishioners and visitors to hear the Sacred Scriptures in a way that the power inherent in God's Word is revealed.
- Assist our parishioners to deepen their understanding of the Sacred Scriptures.
- Lead parishioners and others in an understanding of the seasons of the Church
- Encourage listeners to develop their own life of prayer through a deeper study of the Words of God.

### How You Can Join Us

If you have a desire to share your love of the Sacred Scriptures with others you may be called to proclaim the Word of God.

You need not have experience in public speaking to join us. Anyone with a fruitful prayer life is welcome.

You will be trained by our Ministry prior to assignment and may be asked to proclaim once or twice a month

If you are interested in joining us in the Ministry please fill out the form on the reverse and return it to the rectory office, place it in the collection basket, or mail it to St. Paul Catholic Church, P.O. Box 292280, Sacramento, CA 95829. You may also contact the rectory at 916.381.5200 .