

GRACE ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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Creating Community Connections

God's abundance is present in the many opportunities for Connection at Grace St. Paul's. Please look over the options for participating in service ministry, fellowship opportunities, and spiritual/education formation. Brief explanations of the scope of each group are on the reverse side of this form. Please put a check mark by any activities that interest you, that you are not already involved in, then place in the offertory plate on Sunday, or return to church office by mail or in person. You will be contacted by a ministry leader, who will welcome you and explain how to begin participating. Whether you are new to us, or a long time member, we hope you will find something here to make your GSP Community Connections richer, more fun, and more spirituality rewarding.

GROWING OUR SPIRIT SERVICE MINISTRIES		OPEN TO ALL		SERVING AND CARING	
	YES		YES		YES
Acolytes		Advertising		Animals and Spirituality	
Adult Spiritual Formation		Bread Baking		Bread from the Pantry	
Altar Guild		Bridge Group		Bridging Borders/Just Coffee	
Archive and Media Library		Building and Grounds		Desert Angel Quilters	
Bulletin Assembly		Coffee Hour		Episcopalian Campus Ministry Student Dinners	
Children, Youth and Family: Including Sunday School, Nursery, and Youth Groups		Communications		Green Church	
Choir, Adult		EFM Revisited		Healing Touch	
Choir, Youth		Film and Fellowship		Intercessory Prayer Team	
Education for Ministry		Giving and Receiving		Joseph's Pantry	
Eucharistic Assistant: Including Reader, Chalice Bearer, and Subdeacon		GSP Readers' Group		Prayer Shawls	
Flowers		Hiking Group		Primavera Dinners	
Interfaith Meditation		Newcomers' Gatherings		Social Services	
Lay Eucharistic Ministers		Saturday Morning Java Jive		St. Andrew's Children's Clinic	
Library		Special Event Recognition		TIHAN	
Liturgical Arts		Spirit Players			
Pastoral Care		Welcome Ministry: Including Greeters, Welcome Table, and Office Welcome Team			
Spirit Now					
Spirit Song/Taizé					
Ushers					

Uncertain where to volunteer? Please list your interests/skill sets:

Comments/Questions:

Name: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone(s): _____

E-mail: _____

Acolytes - assist at worship services

Adult Spiritual Formation - join a team to plan and present Adult Formation classes

Advertising - promote GSP through the media

Altar Guild - work with a team to prepare church for services

Animals and Spirituality - provide care and resources for animals in need

Archive and Media Library - sort and organize materials

Bread Bakers - prepare bread for communion services

Bread from the Pantry - pick up bread from Beyond Bread and deliver to GSP - your own car is required.

Bridge Group - weekly bridge

Bridging Borders/Just Coffee - promote positive responses to immigration issues

Buildings and Grounds - assist with improvements and maintenance of church properties

Bulletin Assembly - join a team on Friday mornings to assemble Sunday Bulletins

Children, Youth and Family - assist in Nursery, teach Sunday School, lead/join Youth Group

Choir, Adult - no audition required, rehearsals on Thursday evening - 7:30 to 9:00

Choir, Children and Youth - rehearses on Sundays

Coffee Hour Hospitality - assemble food for Sunday hospitality after each service

Communications - assist with communicating GSP events and information

Desert Angel Quilters - meet Wed. 12 to 2, make quilts for baptisms and preemies

Education for Ministry - (EFM) four year study of the Christian tradition

EFM Revisited - continue with the EFM process in an informal, discussion group

Episcopal Campus Ministry - with a team, prepare and serve Sunday supper to UA students

Eucharistic Assistant - following training, serve as chalice bearers, readers, subdeacon

Film and Fellowship - free monthly film and potluck meal

Flowers - assist with flower arrangements for worship services

Giving and Receiving - team that develops and implements annual pledge campaign

Green Church - team that promotes ecologically sound practices on the church campus

GSP Readers' Group - a readers' group that meets here at GSP

Healing Touch - following training, volunteers promote healing in body, mind and spirit.

Hiking - hike Tucson area trails

Intercessory Prayer Team - pray for people and animals in need

Interfaith Meditation - Tuesday evening seated and walking meditation

Joseph's Pantry - distribute food boxes and other items, open M - F mornings

Lay Eucharistic Ministers - take Communion to people in homes or hospitals

Library - maintain small library

Liturgical Arts - help dress the church for seasonal celebrations

Pastoral Care - following training provide support and care to those in need

Prayer Shawls - meet to knit as a group, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 12 to 2

Primavera Meals - meet 4th Tues. of month to prepare and deliver meal to Shelter

Social Services - following training, provide parishioners/community members with emergency assist.

Special Event Receptions - assist with memorial service and celebratory events

Spirit Now - Thursday evening emerging, inclusive and interactive worship

Spirit Players - 1st Friday evening, cold play readings - all welcome

Spirit Song/Taizé - 2nd Sunday evening quiet service of chants and reflection

St. Andrew's Clinic - visit clinic in Nogales, AZ, 1st Thursdays

TIHAN - support Tucson Interfaith HIV/AIDS Network

Transportation - provide rides to church for parishioners

Ushers - help Sunday service run smoothly

Welcome Ministry - help in office ½ day a week, meet newcomers/staff welcome table on Sundays