

Reflect before and after you serve!

Read Thoroughly and Return by Nov. 20

Our candidates must complete a reflection and email it to mharrington@oldstmarys.com by November 20th.

Read over the Missionary Initiative information for Confirmation by [clicking here](#). It explains why Missionary initiatives are part of the preparation for Confirmation. It is important to understand why we serve and how it connects to being a disciple and completing your sacraments of initiation. [Read this before serving!](#)

Before beginning your service this week, keep the questions below in mind.

Where did you see Christ during your time serving?
How did your efforts help you to understand Jesus better?
How did the mission work help you to be a disciple?

Additional questions to consider as you process, reflect, and connect your service to your journey to Confirmation

1. What were some hesitations you had coming into the experience?
2. What strengths did you bring to this experience?
3. Describe what you have learned about yourself due to your service.
4. What have you learned about our community and society from your service experience? How does that connect to disciple and the mission of our Church?
5. What values, opinions, and beliefs have changed within you due to your service experience?
6. What, if any, understandings of discipleship have changed from this service experience?
7. What was the most important lesson learned