

My Year of Service

As your faith deepens and matures you are asked to accept increased responsibility for your actions and for the welfare of the community to which you belong. **Knowing factual information about your faith does not make you a follower of Christ.** Baptism makes us disciples of Christ and calls us to live our life in the Spirit. In the actions we do and the words we speak we continue and complete the ministry of the risen Christ.

**"The heart of your faith is seen in how you put your faith into practice"
(James 1: 22-27)**

During this year of preparation for reception of the Sacrament of Confirmation you have committed yourself to be a person of service for others in your parish, school, and the larger community.

You have been journaling about your service experiences and reflecting on the impact your service has had on those you served, but also on your understanding of yourself and who you are called to become.

At this time you need to form your Year of Service into a presentation or document that will be displayed on our parish webpage for the parish community to view at: www.stgilesparish.org/confirmation/yearofservice

Your **Year of Service** presentation/document should contain the following elements:

- Short written evaluation of student's participation by the adult supervisor
- Reflection on service experience as a whole by the student
- Short description of listing of specific service activities
- Pictures of student doing service **are recommended** (be mindful of the recipient of the service)
- Service log illustrating the amount of time you committed to your project
- Neatness, spelling and grammar count

Date Due: Wednesday April 20, 2011