## Altar Server Sign-Up

## St. Gilbert Catholic Church

Dear Parents, Guardians, and 5th-12th grade Students,

Altar serving is an important ministry of the Church. Altar servers, as ministers, are participants in the liturgy along with the Priest. Becoming an altar server requires a commitment from both the student and the parents.

The Altar Server schedule is administered through a parish-wide automatic scheduling program. Servers have a chance to enter Mass preferences and unavailable dates into the program before the quarterly schedule is finalized. Once the schedule is sent out, servers are responsible for finding a sub for Masses they cannot attend. Altar servers and parents must realize this ministry is a twelve-month commitment- including holidays, summer, and school vacations.

St. Gilbert Parish is looking for reliable students to commit to this ministry. Please talk together about altar serving, its importance, its honor, and its religious significance. If you think altar serving is a means for you to serve God and your parish, please email Kathy Booher at tschanzkm@yahoo.com. Include your name, school, grade, and phone number.

More information about the training process will follow via email. Training will begin in September.

Sincerely,

Fr. Pawel Adamus Associate Pastor Kathy Booher Ministry Coordinator