# Stewardship Opportunity

## Pastoral Care Martha Ministry

Our Pastoral Care team extends compassionate care to all in our parish community who may be sick, grieving, or desiring a tangible sign of God's presence, in some way, in their lives.

Martha Ministry provides receptions following funerals at St. Joseph's.

Martha Ministry is organized in three different roles: coordinator, host, baker. If you are interested in being a coordinator, please contact Janice Ippolito or Patty Vermilion for more information.

## What's expected?

#### Host

- Makes coffee, sets up beverage table
- Arranges desserts
- Places tablecloths, decorates tables
- Available to answer guests' questions
- Refills beverages and food as needed
- Clears table, cleans kitchen, packs up leftovers

#### Talents needed:

- Hospitable, friendly
- Available on short notice
- Enjoys set up and clean up to provide prepared food to 40 150 people

#### Bakers

Bake and deliver desserts on short notice

## Talents needed:

Enjoy baking!

## Time commitment:

• Training – At the time of the reception

## Benefits:

A way to meet other people in the parish and to provide a comfortable place for family to be together; this ministry is very important to the family and relieves stress after the funeral.

#### Contacts:

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