



WORKS OF MERCY AND CHRISTIAN SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES IN AUTUMN 2017

SUNRISE ASSISTED LIVING CENTER: This neighborhood senior assisted living center is looking for volunteers, young and old, to visit residents: play cards or board games, organize an activity or just enjoy conversation. This facility is looking for small groups to play bingo with residents on Saturday afternoons between 1:00-3:00 p.m. Families are welcome to come and help out as well. *Please contact Mrs. Gretchen Verbecke, the Sunrise Activity and Volunteer Coordinator at (313) 343-0600.*

FALL CLEAN-UP! SERVICES FOR OLDER CITIZENS (SOC): The SOC hosts many regular programs and special events throughout the year for the elderly living in our local communities. Some activities include yard work, assembling holiday baskets, playing games or crafts with seniors, helping with an event...there are always new opportunities at the S.O.C. Most programs and events present numerous opportunities for volunteers with different skills and interests to give back to their community. *If you would like to volunteer, please contact Heidi Johstone at (313) 882-9600 ext. 2107.*

CHRISTMAS CRAFTS FOR THE HOMEBOUND: Saturday, November 18th (9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.) In the St. Paul School Cafeteria. The Parish Moms group is making Christmas centerpieces, crafts and greeting cards for the homebound in our neighboring communities. This is a great holiday project for volunteers of all ages. *Please contact Mrs. Magan Rizzo at parishmoms@gmail.com for information or to sign-up.*

NEW PROCESS FOR KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CAN DRIVE: Once a month the Knights of Columbus collect soda pop cans/bottles to provide scholarships for Seminarians (men studying to enter the priesthood). Beginning this year, parents can arrange to pick-up the bottles/cans and students/parents can select a convenient time to redeem them at the grocery store. *Please contact Mr. Bob Costello at (313) 400-3699 or email him at bobcostello46@gmail.com*

PARISH REPORTER MAILINGS/STUFFING PROJECT: Each month, several youth volunteers are needed to assist with stuffing the SERF Vicariate Newsletter into the Parish Reporters before weekend masses. A different date will be set each month, and volunteers will report to Mrs. Sheri Campbell in the Parish Office. *Please contact Mrs. Campbell at (313) 885-8855, ext. 141. if you would like to sign-up for a future service date.*