



*Loving. Liberating. Life-giving.  
Grace Church/La Gracia*

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## **2021 Pledge Form**

*“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”*

**Romans 15:13**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please select – preferred method of contact Mail \_\_\_\_\_ or via E-mail \_\_\_\_\_**

**Yearly Pledge Commitment: \$\_\_\_\_\_ Given: ( ) Weekly ( ) Monthly ( ) Quarterly**

**If you are interested, an additional amount of: \$\_\_\_\_\_ specifically for ( ) Choir  
( ) Food Ministry ( ) Flowers ( ) Organ Fund**

**Volunteer Opportunities: (descriptions are on the back)**

**On hold at this time – please contact the Church Office for more details – thank you!!**

**Stewardship Theme: “Preserving our Legacy, While Growing Grace /La Gracia for the Future”**

## ***Description of Volunteer Opportunities at Grace/La Gracia***

**Acolytes:** Serve as attendants to the clergy on the altar during church services. Both adults and children serve as acolytes. Training is required; anyone age 7 and above can participate

**Altar Guild:** This group ensures that the vestments of the priest and Altar cloths are kept in pristine condition; prepares for all services, weddings and funerals. Responsible for Altar decorations for holidays & high holy days.

**Angelus:** The church 's newsletter, published 4-6 times per year, are written by parishioners.

**Bible Study:** This group, led by the Rector, meets weekly to read and discuss themes and books of the Bible

**Book Club:** This group reads and meets monthly to discuss books of varied genres.

**Buildings & Grounds:** This committee is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of the building and grounds for the rectory and the church.

**Choirs - Senior Choir and two youth choirs:** Provides music for each Sunday service and special holidays.

**Counters:** Teams of two parishioners who count, record and deposit the weekly offering after Sunday Services

**Episcopal Church Women:** Unites women of the Church in worship, service, giving and fellowship which deepens and strengthens their own spiritual lives.

**Eucharistic Ministers/Visitors:** Licensed parishioners who distributes communion during the service and take to the parish's sick/shut-ins.

**Grace's Kitchen:** Volunteer opportunity to serve the kitchen's clients on holidays when the staff is off.

**Lay readers/ Lectors:** Parishioners who read the lessons at each Sunday Service.

**Parish Growth:** The focus of this committee is to welcome newcomers, implement parish retreats, etc.

**Stewardship:** This committee is responsible for the stewardship campaign, issuing envelope numbers, monitoring pledge data, etc.

**Ushers:** Each week, a team of parishioners greet and assist visitors and parishioners attending church, collect the offering and direct attendees to communion table.

**Vestry Member:** Vestry members are responsible for defining the mission of the congregation, to insure effective organization & planning and for the management of the Church's resources and finances.

**Welcoming Committee** Coordinates coffee hour and special hospitality events

**Youth Ministers** Parishioners responsible for the Christian education of our youth

- Nursery babies under 3
- Sunday School Grades K-5
- J2A Junior high to high school
- Rite 13 Transition to young adulthood