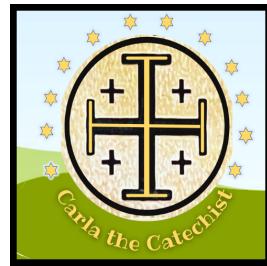


Service/Social Justice/Servant Leadership

CCC 2419-2463



Witness Themes in
Class

1

**Serving at
Church**

Participate in the many roles within the Church community: altar server, musician, greeter, lector, etc.

2

**Serving God at
home and in the
community**

Learn to serve others at home by loving and serving family and neighbor

3

Works of Mercy

Learn about the Corporal and Spiritual works of mercy, which lead us to living lives of discipleship

Witness Theme:

Understand what God wants of us and how he lays the foundation for missionary discipleship. The love that children and youth have for Jesus must flow to others in the way they live the Gospel. We are called to be Christian witnesses to the world.

Key points to reflect upon:

- Recognize that the ways we serve reflect our love of God and love of neighbor.
- Participate regularly in the planning and celebration of the Eucharist (e.g., writing intercessions, singing in the choir, serving as altar servers, gift bearers, ushers, etc.)
- Define stewardship as giving oneself to care for self, world and others as an integral part of Christian living.
- Discuss how the sacraments empower us to serve others.
- Identify saints who lived the spiritual and corporal works of mercy (CCC 2447).
- Participate in school, church and community service projects.