

# SAINT PAUL SCHOOL COMMUNITY SERVICE 2015-2016

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Each middle school student in Saint Paul School is required to perform a certain number of hours of community service. In doing so, we are following Jesus' directive to feed the hungry, to shelter the homeless, to visit the sick, and to help those in need. When we give to others, we receive much more in return. Jesus tells us that He will repay us a hundredfold.

Helping others in this way also prepares us for high school community service. Many high schools now require a substantial number of hours of reaching out to those in need as a requirement for graduation.

Number of service hours required at Saint Paul School:

Grade 6	six hours
Grade 7	eight hours
Grade 8	ten hours

Some possibilities for community service include all of the following if done for no payment: shoveling snow, babysitting, house cleaning, visiting a neighbor, sick relative, a shut-in, washing windows or house cleaning for an elderly neighbor, volunteering at a hospital, nursing home, soup kitchen, or other facility that helps those in need, volunteering at certain school functions (pumpkin washing, Italian Night, school auction, etc.), and any other reasonable helping-as-Jesus-would activities.

If you have any questions about service hours or service possibilities, please ask Mr. Grant.

**This finished form is due to Mr. Grant no later than May 31, 2016.**

Activity	# of hours	Parent Signature	Date

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