

Reminders for Altar Servers

1. Use the bathroom before Mass. Avoid having to leave the altar while serving.
2. Arrive 15 minutes prior to Mass time.
3. Wear robe of appropriate length.
4. Flip flops are not appropriate
5. Let a teen server or an adult light the candles.
6. For the processional walk side by side, 3 across.
7. If there are less than 3 servers on the altar, please encourage your child to help. Unscheduled servers can go put on a robe and enter the altar from the side.
8. During the Mass, servers stand when the priest stands, but servers sit during the homily.
9. Servers sit when the priest sits and during the homily. Please sit with prayer hands or put hands on your lap.
10. Kneel on cushions (pull out from under the bench) during the Consecration.
11. Pay attention to the priest and deacon for cues on what to do.
12. When Mass is over, hang up your robes on the corresponding size hangers, in the correct order, in the right closet. Also, if you notice a robe that needs to be cleaned, please take it home and clean it.
13. Please make arrangements for coverage if you are unable to serve a scheduled Mass.