



Transportation Ministry

MINISTRY DESCRIPTION:

The Transportation Ministry offers a way for people who do not drive to stay connected to the Our Lady of Mercy community. For many, giving up their independence when one stops driving, is one of the hardest transitions that people make in their lifetime. By providing a ride to Mass or other church events, members of this ministry make a significant difference in the well-being of fellow parishioners.

ACTIVITIES OF MINISTRY:

- Bring a parishioner who no longer drives to Mass or other church events
- May be asked to drive a parishioner to an appointment on an emergency basis if you are available.

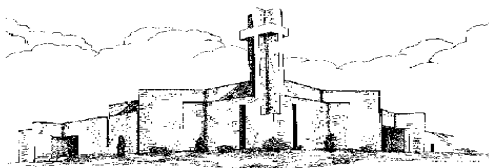
EXPECTATIONS OF MINISTRY:

- Commit to bring the person at least once a month to Mass
- You may choose to bring this person more often to mass if you are able
- Be willing to bring someone to a church event like the Parish mission or a music concert or a penance service.

“I had been looking for a way to give back. I could not do much for the church while I was raising my kids. Then Fr. Ritchie announced at church that someone needed a ride to church. So I drove Lois for awhile until she was unable to come anymore. Then I noticed that one of our parishioners couldn't see at night.

So I said “Well I can get you.” It just sort of came out of my mouth. And I have been driving people to church ever since. When you give, you get. The gratitude and the prayers of the people I serve is enough, and I hope someone would take me to church when I can't drive.”

- *Carol Sutton*



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