



Inreach Commission

## Lazarus Member Position Description

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**Reports To:**

Lazarus Coordinator

**Ministry Purpose / Objective:**

To offer and prepare a reception for the family and friends following the funeral liturgy of the deceased.

**General Responsibilities of All Ministry Members:**

- Discerns God's message in one's own life regarding stewardship of Time, Talent and Treasure.
- Is familiar with any Ministry and Diocesan guidelines as well as General Parish Procedures.
- Presents ministry in a positive light at all times.

**Responsibilities of Lazarus Members:**

- Prepares and delivers food donations to the church when notified.
- Assists with serving the meal.
- Assists with the distribution of leftover food to family members.
- Assists with set-up and clean-up, as needed.

**Special Activities:**

- Attends an initial orientation/training session.

**Meetings:**

- Attend annual ministry meeting.
- Attends additional meetings as necessary according to coordinator.

**Time Commitment and Frequency:**

Time to be allotted to the Following Tasks:

- Prepare and deliver food.
- Assist at reception.
- Clean up.

Average Time (may vary):

1.5 hours

2½ hours

1 hour

**Expected Length of Commitment:**

At least one year.

**Qualifications Required:**

- Practices the Catholic faith through regular attendance at liturgy and reception of the Sacraments.
- Able to cook and provide own transportation for delivering donated food.
- Friendly and outgoing.