

## PENTECOST PROJECT

On the Feast of Pentecost, we celebrate the birthday of the Church. Why? Because at Pentecost we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the apostles. At Pentecost, 50 days after the resurrection of Jesus, the apostles received the gifts of the Holy Spirit to help them fulfill their mission to spread the Gospel to all nations.

In the sacrament of Confirmation, the gifts of the Holy Spirit are strengthened in you to help you live a Christian life of discipleship in service to others.

So...in preparation for Confirmation you will do a service project. It's called the Pentecost Project to remind you that in Confirmation you are committing to a life of following Jesus by loving and serving others.

## PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

### SERVICE

- You must give a minimum of **10 hours** of your time to volunteer service.
- Complete the **Pentecost Project Log** each time you volunteer. Be sure to fill it out completely and get the required signature from a supervisor OR parent.



See the **Teen Volunteer Opportunities** page on the MSHS webpage for ways to volunteer.

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## PROJECT POSTER

Your project poster will include 4 elements:

### 1. WRITTEN REFLECTION

Respond to the following questions in writing:

- What did you do? For whom? When? For how long? Why did you choose to do it?
- What gift of the Holy Spirit was strengthened for you during your service project?  
(You'll learn about the Gifts of the Holy Spirit, listed below, in class.)

### 2. PHOTO OR IMAGE

Display a picture of you doing your service, or an image that somehow captures what you did.

### 3. BIBLE PASSAGE

Display a passage from the Bible that relates to your service.

### 4. PROJECT LOG

Attach your Project Log to the back of your poster.



Example of a Pentecost Project Poster  
(Note: Log is on the back of the poster)

## GIFTS of the HOLY SPIRIT

Wisdom, Understanding, Right Judgment, Courage, Knowledge, Reverence, Wonder and Awe

# PENTECOST PROJECT LOG

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS: \_\_\_\_\_

SERVICE ACTIVITY	DATE	NUMBER OF HOURS	SIGNATURE OF SUPERVISOR or PARENT

**Attach this LOG to the back  
of your Pentecost Project Poster.**

