

<u>Communion Steward – 11:00am (First) Sunday Worship</u> Time Commitment: 90 Minutes per Sunday (includes worship service)

You are an important leader in worship. You are preparing the meal that Christ prepares for one and all. You are setting the table where grace is served and transformation occurs. Your service enhances our overall worship experience on Communion Sundays to the glory of God. Thank you for your service!

General Description of Volunteer Role:

- 1. Arrive by 10:30am
- 2. Be in **prayer** for the service while you work. *Example: Lord, bless this day and those who will come and worship. Amen.*
- 3. Serve *joyfully* as a Communion Steward while completing set-up and follow-up tasks! (Complete Description Below)

If you are interested in learning more about and/or serving as an 11:00am Sunday Service Communion Steward, please begin with prayer, such as

Lord, guide me in the discernment and investment of my gifts in service to you and your Kingdom through South Shore. Amen.

Then, connect with Pastor Sarah via sarah@southshoreumc.com.



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- 3. Set-Up Tasks:
 - a. Celebration Cups
 - i. Locate the labeled Communion Cabinet in the Kitchen.
 - ii. Refill wicker basket with Celebration Cups, as needed, to be distributed by Ushers.
 - iii. Place the filled basket on one of the tables near the double door Worship Center entrance.
 - b. Collection Baskets
 - i. Ensure two wicker baskets are lined with paper towels and plastic wrap.
 - ii. Place collection baskets on the front row center aisle chairs.
 - c. Gluten-Free Station
 - i. Locate the gold covered communion tray.
 - ii. Wash your hands and cover them with food service gloves.
 - iii. Replace filled communion cups, as necessary, for a total of 7:
 - 1. Ensure there are five cups filled with grape juice.
 - 2. Ensure there are two cups filled with water.
 - 3. Place on the covered gold tray.
 - iv. Replace gluten free crackers, as needed, from the standing deep freezer
 - 1. Break a cracker into several pieces (at least 7).
 - 2. Place crackers on the covered tray.
 - v. Lid the tray and place it, along with a box of food service gloves and small tongs on the altar.
- 4. Follow-Up Tasks:
 - a. Return unused Celebration Cups basket to the Kitchen, and place unused cups in the Celebration Cups Box in the labeled Communion cabinet.
 - b. Return unused Gluten Free Station to the Kitchen; leave the remaining elements on the tray for the pastor.
 - c. Dispose of used Celebration Cups, paper towels, and plastic wrap linings.
 - d. Stack wicker baskets on the Kitchen Counter.
 - e. Leave a note/communicate with the Church Office when communion supplies are low.
- 5. Ask Pastor Sarah for any needs.