

Service Requirement 2023-2024

Dear Lord, teach me to be generous; teach me to serve you as you deserve, to give and not to count the cost, to fight and not to heed the wounds, to toil and not to seek for rest, to labor and not to ask for reward, save that of knowing that I do your will. Amen. (St. Ignatius of Loyola)

10th Grade: **Men and Women for Others** “He answered ‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.’... But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, ‘And who is my neighbor?’ (Luke 10:27.29)

Goal: Continue the emphasis on love of neighbor as central to our Catholic identity, while breaking down any “us” and “them” distinction, as children of One Father.

Requirement: 15 hours of service, of which at least half must be service to the poor, the sick, the disabled, the elderly, the unborn, or the environment.

Mr. Rachlin, the high school service coordinator, will have some pre-approved organizations for service that will be placed on the theology class’s Schoology page and on the MDCHS website . Their having service opportunities is not guaranteed, and you are responsible for contacting the organization. He will also offer some activities during the year on Saturdays. If you wish to work at another organization or have any questions (DO THIS BEFORE YOU COMMIT TO SERVE): contact Mr. Rachlin (crachlin@materdeicatholic.)

All service in Tijuana must be pre-approved due to verification issues. The following organizations are already approved: Desayunador Padre Chava, EC y D, Casa de Migrante, Casa de los Pobres, Fundación Castro-Limon, CRIT, Casa de Anciano San Vicente, A.C.

The following are NOT approved: for profit organizations, non-profit organizations which contradict Catholic principles, club sports.

All hours will be logged and verified through the student’s X2VOL account. These instructions are on Schoology, the MDCHS website, and will be reviewed in class.

Signature Page

I have read the reason for service and the requirements. I understand that they are to support my spiritual growth. I understand failure to follow these guidelines may lead to my hours not being approved.

Student Name and year

Student signature

Parent Name

Parent Signature

Parent email