The Mission of the Holy Family Volunteer Program is to provide parishioners the opportunity to participate in the life of the parish, assist in sustaining parish activities, and show our gratitude by sharing our God-given gifts and talents with each other and our parish community.

Dawn asked me if I would use my ‘gifts’ to design the church bulletin boards for Easter. Having recently ‘graduated’ from RCIA the whole concept of the true meaning of Easter was new to me, but working on the boards actually brought me to another level of faith in understanding more about Christ’s resurrection and His transformation through the cross. I think every year we should renew and every year we should transform into a deeper faith.

Tina Forrestel

Dr. Paul McAndrews
Ministries of Holy Family

For a complete description and more information on the ministries, please visit www.holyfamily.org.

ARTS
Holy Family Bookstore is the foremost supplier of quality religious material in the San Gabriel Valley.
Soup’s Cuisine is a shared meal, an opportunity to meet new people and discuss God.
Ministry of the Arts matches the faith experience through a variety of outreach and media in the Liturgy and beyond.
Workers are needed to communicate the mission of Holy Family on our website, in the bulletins, and for the school calendar.

ADULT EDUCATION
Bible Study provides a stimulating, enlightened and prayerful approach to the study of sacred Scripture.
Confirmation to Catholic Church members who have not received this sacrament to complete their initiation/sacraments.
Lenten Faith Sessions: Liturgy is an opportunity to explore the liturgy, in prayer and reflection throughout the Lenten period.
Living With Christ magazine is a Thursday and Friday evening, and Saturday morning newsletter which focuses on our call to be faith filled disciples of Jesus Christ.
Living With Christ explores your God-given gifts and life purpose using Clifton’s Strengthsfinders assessment.
Parish Mission hosts a special speaker each winter to facilitate our faith in the spirit of the season.
RCIA (adults, teens, children) The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) welcomes new members and provides appropriate spiritual formation according to each person’s needs.
The After School Church is a place for retraining Catholics to explore their faith and future with the Church.
Spiritual Direction assists those who seek guidance, affirmation and/or assistance in their spiritual experience.

BEAUTIFICATION MINISTRIES
Church Environment helps to create a space which enhances our encounter with the living God through our liturgies.
Garden Ministry oversees maintenance of the landscaped property and our church.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRIES
Altar Servers help facilitate our Eucharistic Liturgies in a regular and recent manner to open an environment where anyone who has attended the fifth grade or older.
Boy Scouts offers responsible fun and adventure, develops character and self-discipline. They make available resources to encourage and promote spiritual growth.
Cub Scouts helps a young boy (grades 1 through 5) grow up to be a self-reliant, caring individual of worth to himself and his community.
Girl Scouts builds girls of courage, confidence, and character who make the world a better place.
EDCC Middle School in the classroom and beyond their faith. They promote community service and develop critical thinking skills.
Literacy of the Word for Children allows children to learn the assembly during the Liturgy of the Word and gather elsewhere to celebrate the Liturgy.
Religious Education Program spreads the Good News of Jesus Christ to our students and their families.
Adventures of the Children is a comprehensive program designed to promote a safe environment for children, youth, and vulnerable adults.

In the Soup’s Cuisine you can order delicious meals and help with Life Teen.

WEEKENDS Welcome Center, Greeters, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Religious Education Catechists, Video Ministry, Continental Breakfast, Giving Bank, Sunday Preschool, Toddler Co-op, Choir, or The Bookstore.

SEASONAL collect food for Giving Bank, help with annual fall fair, volunteer for “The Event”, volunteer as gift wrapper at The Bookstore during Christmas and in the spring (First Communion/Baptism/Confirmation season), help with Easter Triduum (sunday church, get feet washed, gather flowers), volunteer for Get on the bus fundraiser.

1-2 HOURS/WEEK Serve as an Eucharistic Minister for the homebound.
3-4 HOURS/WEEK Give out food at Giving Bank on Monday mornings.
2-3 HOURS/MONTH Assist with monthly mailings, tutor children at Holy Family School.
4-6 HOURS/MONTH Tutor at Diocesan Ministry, organize small quarterly worship events for new parishioners.

OCCASIONAL: Help with set-up/clean-up for special events, provide hospitality or food preparation for funeral receptions or assist with seasonal projects.

We need artists, videographers, gardeners, photographers, writers, bakers, cleaners, marketers, singers, lawyers, teachers, construction workers, dancers, event coordinators, shoppers, friends, family members, whatever gifts God has blessed you with, Holy Family can use!

“Every deed you do may be the only sermon some people will hear.” St. Francis of Assisi