

Ladies of Charity Volunteer Opportunities

CLOTHING CENTER

Work at the Center on Thursdays or second Saturdays, 9am to 12 pm, regularly or as available, sorting and labeling clothing, and /or serving customers.

Collect Used Clothing from family, neighbors, parish, rummage sales, lost and founds, etc.

Launder Used Clothing at home; drop and pick-up are available.

Purchase New Items when needed, price caps provided for reimbursement.

Collect/Organize Books that are culturally and age appropriate for families.

OUTREACH

MPS Resource Fair - Represent LOC at this one day event in fall, explaining the Clothing Center offerings and expectations.

Vouchers to Schools – Deliver and explain vouchers to target schools prior to September.

Parish Liaison – Connect with the parish and school throughout the year to solicit clothing items, financial support, and new members.

Messmer Schools Volunteer – Volunteer at Messmer High, Messmer St. Rose, or Messmer St. Mary in any capacity that interests you.

Pray for Special Intentions – Communication can be by phone or email.

ADMINISTRATION

Officer/Board Member - Serve a two year term as an officer or board member.

Charity Chat Newsletter – Publish our newsletter in December and June. Team responsibilities include collecting articles and photos, editing, preparing layout, and sending newsletters to members.

Membership – Recruit new members and oversee their installation at one of our three annual gatherings.

Directory – Following annual dues collection, prepare the directory and provide paper or electronic copies to all members.

Website – Update and maintain the Ladies of Charity Website, locmilwaukee.com.

Photography – Take photos at Ladies of Charity events for the *Charity Chat*, the website, recruitment, publicity needs, and LCUSA.

Grant Writing -Write and submit grant requests to parish and community donors.

Capuchin Walk/Run for the Hungry – Recruit a Ladies of Charity team for the event. Collect fees, coordinate T-shirt delivery, etc.

EVENT COORDINATORS

With a team of 3-4 people, plan all aspects of any of the Ladies of Charity annual gatherings, the **September Breakfast**, the **Christmas Luncheon** in December, or the **Evening of Reflection** in Lent. Choose a venue, plan the menu, plan Mass and/or a speaker, invite members and guests, etc.

Annual Fundraiser – The “No Party Party” in spring, our largest fundraiser, is a mail solicitation to members and their friends. Coordinators design and mail appeals, collect donations and send thank you notes.