GREETERS
Harry and Diane Carlson  847-934-0662
Greeters work in teams or families to welcome people to worship. They are assigned to a specific worship time and wear name tags and greet people as they enter the worship space. The schedule is prepared ahead of time and you usually end up serving once or twice every 3 months.

ALTAR CARE TEAM
JoAnn Haupt  847-297-8522  Jane Larson  847-634-2771
The Altar Care Team helps Make Christ Known in the Our Saviour’s rich worship tradition. Team members provide for communion, baptism and other elements of worship in both the Traditional and Contemporary services. A rotation schedule limits your time commitment. Our newly developed manual and checklists simplify tasks, making preparations easy for new and old members alike. Join us for this easy and fun way to contribute to our worship life here at Our Saviour’s.

WEDDING COORDINATORS
Cheryl Boncher  847-255-8700  ext. 223
This group of detail-oriented and hospitality-minded individuals is present at the wedding and rehearsal, providing a service to the wedding families in the form of organization, follow-through, communication, and attention to detail. Their job is to facilitate details, interfacing with floral, photography and video professionals, as well as the pastor and musicians. This is important because it relieves the pastors of such responsibility, allowing them to focus on the spiritual aspects of the couple and their wedding. We are keepers of the peace in circumstances where families are not wholly united. We are the face of Christ to attending guests who may never have been to a church or who are unfamiliar with Church traditions. Anyone who loves providing good service pays attention to detail, and can work well under pressure will love being a wedding coordinator.

ALTAR FLOWER DELIVERY
Karen Eickemeyer  847-963-9840
Volunteer to deliver weekly altar flowers to the Lutheran Home or other shut-ins. These volunteers are scheduled on a rotating basis. The delivery can be made on Sunday after 10:55 am worship or on Monday morning.

COMMUNION ASSISTANTS
Cheryl Boncher  847-255-8700  ext. 223
Holy Communion is served at every weekend service; it is an essential part of worship. Task: to assist pastors to serve bread/wine to worshipers (three services and special festival services). All of the people who currently serve in this role will tell you that they get more meaning out of their worship experience by doing this ministry. You are serving the Body & Blood of Jesus Christ to all who are baptized and believe. Communion Assistants are needed for both Traditional and Contemporary services.

LAY READERS
Traditional Worship  Barbara Kudirka  847-757-3498
Contemporary Worship  Blair Gannegan  847-963-8977
Enhance the worship experience by reading scripture at worship services. If you are excited about reading the Bible and are gifted in public speaking, this ministry is for you. You can inspire others by bringing scripture alive!

ASSISTING MINISTERS
Cheryl Boncher  847-255-8700 ext. 223
Assisting Ministers help the pastors lead worship at the Traditional Worship services. They offer the Prayer of the Day, assist with the communion liturgy and distribution of the elements, offer the post-Communion Prayer, give the Closing Response, and when no Lay Readers are scheduled, they read the lessons. Assisting Ministers serve 6 to 12 times a year depending on the service they attend. Training is offered on an individual basis.

USHERS
Dan Boncher  847-372-1495
The function of the Ushers is to welcome and facilitate the worship experience by providing assistance to members and visitors as well as guiding offering collection and administration of the sacrament. Ushers are needed at all three of our weekend services and work in teams scheduled four to eight times a year at the service of their choice. Ushers are also needed at special services (Thanksgiving, Christmas, Lent, etc.) and are recruited on an as-needed basis.