

# SISTER *Parish Program*



## ***Building Bridges of Faith and Support***

Our parish is exploring the Sister Parish Program, an initiative of the Archdiocese of Baltimore that builds meaningful relationships between parishes across city, suburban, and rural communities.

At its heart, the **Sister Parish Program** is about **shared mission**. It invites parishes to walk together in faith, support one another through prayer and service, and grow as one Catholic family.

This is a **parishioner-led effort**. With the support of our pastor and the Archdiocese, Sister Parish relationships grow through parishioners who are willing to help organize, communicate, and nurture the connection between parishes.

**We are seeking parishioners** who feel drawn to help lead or support this shared mission. This may include helping coordinate activities, communicating with a sister parish, or being part of a small group that helps the relationship grow over time.

**If you are interested** in learning more or exploring how you might be involved, please contact the **parish office** or reach out to the **Office of Parish Renewal** at [www.archbalt.org/evangelization/office-of-parish-renewal](http://www.archbalt.org/evangelization/office-of-parish-renewal)

Together, we can build bridges of faith, hope, and love that strengthen our parish and our wider Church.



- Shared prayer opportunities, such as joint Masses, prayer services, or holy hours
- Parish exchanges and visits to build relationships and understanding
- Cultural celebrations that honor each parish's traditions and community
- Joint service projects that allow parishioners to serve together
- Youth and young adult collaboration, including service days or retreats
- Faith formation experiences, such as shared speakers, workshops, or small groups