

## Service Opportunities (SOPs)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Please use this form to record all of your Service Opportunities (SOP's). **Turn this in, and answer the questions on the back, when ALL FIVE of your SOP's are completed.** Refer to each column for the requirements. Complete the instructions on the back of this form. All SOP's for this year must be done no later than **Wednesday, April 26th, 2018..**

### **Outreach (3 required) - Away from church**

*THREE Outreach SOP's are required.*

*These are activities that generally take place away from the church or provide service to other organizations. Please use the list of activities to help you complete this requirement. If one of your Outreach SOP's is not from one of our recommended suggestions, please contact Pastor Bruce at [cheever@foxpointchurch.org](mailto:cheever@foxpointchurch.org) to see if it would fit the requirement.*

#### **1. Outreach SOP**

List SOP \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### **2. Outreach SOP**

List SOP \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### **3. Outreach SOP**

List SOP \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **Some Outreach Suggestions:**

The Gathering  
Serenity Inn  
All People's Lutheran Church  
Shoreline Interfaith  
FPLC Service Day (variety)  
Bake, Deliver, and Visit  
Salvation Army Christmas Cards

### **FPLC Ministry (2 required) - at church**

*TWO FPLC Ministry SOP's are required.*

*These are activities that take place at the church or provide service for FPLC.*

#### **1. FPLC SOP**

List SOP \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### **2. FPLC SOP**

List SOP \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **Some FPLC Ministry Suggestions:**

Preschool Clean-up  
Sunday School Help  
Sunday Morning nursery  
Gingerbread House Decorating  
Coffee Hour with a parent  
Usher during services  
Musical contribution during service  
Santa's Workshop

*Watch for opportunities that may come up during the year -- check the Messenger, Welcome, and e-mails that will be sent!*

**To complete your SOP requirements, you will need to turn in this completed form AND your SOP essay.**

To write your essay, please follow these directions:

- 1) On a separate piece of paper, answer the questions listed below for your grade. Include all “touch on” points. Write ONE essay for ALL FIVE SOP’s completed this year. Please talk specifically about ALL SOP’s you completed this year.
- 2) Write your name on both the essay and this SOP form.
- 3) Attach it to your SOP form.
- 4) Turn everything into the “Exploring Faith” kiosk or at Confirmation.

**SOP Essay:**

**7th Graders:**

This year you were one of Christ’s light to the world by serving as Christ would want you to serve through Service Opportunities (SOP’s). In a separate 250-300 word summary, talk about how these experiences changed your faith life.

“Touch On”:

- How did you feel God used your gifts?
- What were some surprises of faith?
- How did these SOP’s change your future faith and life perspective?

**8th Graders:**

Use the guidelines listed for the 7th graders for your 250-300 word summary, and include:

“Touch On”:

- How did you feel God used your gifts?
- What were some surprises of faith?
- How did these SOP’s change your future faith and life perspective?

Also include answers to the following questions:

- Did you feel any differently doing service this year compared to last year? If so, in what way?
- Thinking back over the past two years, was there a service opportunity that surprised you? (Did you become more aware of a need that people have?)