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Evangelism Bread Upon the Waters Committee

SCOPE:

The object of this ministry is to show the Face of God to newcomers and guests as they are welcomed on Sunday morning and then pay a brief visit to their home.

COMPOSITION:

The Committee consists of a minimum of ten adult greeters under the leadership of a chairperson or co-chairpersons. Junior greeters are encouraged to participate.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. The Greeters
 - a. Collect contact information for newcomers and guests. This information is given to the rector and the parish secretary.
 - b. Make a brief visit to the guest's home to deliver a loaf of bread and information about St. Stephen's and the Episcopal Church.
 - c. Become the "Friendly Face" of St. Stephens and remain in touch with the guest for the next four to six weeks.
 - d. Secure a picture of the newcomer and post it on the Newcomers' board in the Parish Hall.
 - e. Coordinate with other ministries to involve newcomers according to their interests.
- 2. To measure our efforts and report to the Vestry
 - a. To evaluate the newcomer/guest into one of six categories–New, Visitor, Interested, Active, Member and Gone. At the end of the calendar year the percentage of guests who are determined to be Active or a Member is determined and reported to the Vestry.