

Christian Service & Campus Ministry Opportunities 2023-2024

At Malvern Prep, we take pride in serving God and serving others. Each student will participate on a journey of growth in helping others. Please see a preliminary guideline below for your reference. We kindly ask that you remind your sons to log all Christian service hours in our online platform, x2vol . Organized retreats and Christian Service opportunities will be offered for all students and they register for all activities on x2vol.

These opportunities will be updated in [X2VOL](#) frequently.

Independent service hours submitted for sports related activities will not be approved unless organized by a MP sports team or pre approved by Mrs. Catania. In addition, one half of required service hours are direct service to the poor.

A monthly [Dress Down Day](#) is also offered to students to enable us to support non profit agencies that need our help. Students learn about the different non profit each month and are invited to contribute a few dollars on the morning of the DDD in their homeroom.

Christian Service Requirements		
<i>Service year runs July 1, 2023 - July 1, 2024</i>		
<i>(If hours/ service trips are scheduled between 5/15/24-6/30/24 Mrs Catania can help you log activity)</i>		
Class	Hours	Completion Date
Freshman	10 Hours	5/15/24
Sophomore: Urban Challenge=10 Hours	15 Hours	5/15/24
Junior: Rustic Pathways=10 Hours Convoy of Hope=15 Hours	20 Hours	5/15/24
Senior: 10 Mile Water Walk=4 Hours	20 Hours	5/1/24

Preliminary Service & Ministry Opportunities:

*Please note this is not an extensive list and is subject to change depending on availability.

All bolded items are classwide experiences.

Month	Christian Service	Campus Ministry
August	St. Augustine Day of Service (Faculty/Staff Service Opportunity)	
September	9/11 Travis Manion 5K Chester County Food Bank Fr. Bill Atkinson Pilgrimage Safe Harbor Lunch Bunch Unite for Her 5K (9/23/23) Seniors: 1/3 class, Water Walk Seniors: 1/3 College Visits	Freshmen: Brotherhood Retreat Day Sep 27 Seniors: 1/3 MECO #1 : Sep 28-Oct 1, 2023
October	Cradles to Crayons Share Food Bank Camilla Hall Oktoberfest Pretty Petals Pottstown Farm CityTeam	AVI & BCoG Oct 20-22
November	Thanksgiving Food Drive Safe Harbor Chester County Food Bank MANNA Food Bank Seniors: 1/3 College Visits Seniors: 1/3 Water Walk	Seniors: 1/3 MECO #2 : Nov. 7-10, 2023
December	St. Patrick's Christmas Party (12/9) Souls for Soles Advent Reconciliation Service Merry Markets Wreaths Across America (12/16) St. Thomas of Villanova Monastery Seniors: 1/3 College Visits Seniors: 1/3 Water Walk	Seniors: 1/3 MECO #3 : Nov. 30-Dec 3
January	Malvern Retreat House Art Show The Lord's Pantry Blessing Bags Comfy Covers PB and Joy	March For Life (1/19) MLK Prayer Service
February	American Cancer Society Blood Drive (2/22/24)	

	Ronald McDonald House- Middle school Tim Tebow's Night to Shine (2/9/24) Lent Fish Fry PB & Joy Lent Fridays	
March	Sophomore Urban Challenge MANNA Food Bank Partners in Outreach Easter Baskets St.Patrick's Easter Dinner Baskets	Lenten Reconciliation Service
April	Good Samaritan Men's Shelter Best Buddies Friendship Walk Caritas Carnival	Junior Ring Day Wednesday, April 10 SAVI Friday, April 12-Sunday, April 14
May	Spikeball for Salvation Believe and Achieve SwimPact Chester County Food Bank Joy Pancoast/Alumni 5K Special Olympics 24 Hour Lily Run Paoli Challenger Baseball	

Students who have NOT completed the required half of the minimum service hours (By December 15, 2023) and near completion will be placed on the AT RISK list which will be published April 1 for Class of 2024 and May 1 for the Classes of 2025, 2026, and 2027. Final transcripts will be withheld from any student who does not complete Christian Service requirements by June 1, 2024.

Middle school students are invited to also participate in service opportunities however do not have an x2vol account for record keeping until Freshman year.

Please email either Andy Goyer (agoyer@malvernprep.org), Campus Minister or Kelly Catania, Director of Christian Service Learning (kcatania@malvernprep.org) with any questions regarding ministry or service opportunities.