

# Light Up a Senior Home for the Holy Season

## DISCIPLE VOLUNTEER FORM

Fill out and return this form to the Parish Office or submit online by **November 17, 2019**. For more information and to submit your form online, visit our Parish Website, under Service Corner: <http://stmarymagdalen.org/>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Diocesan fingerprinted:  Yes /  No  
 Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Language(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email (PRINT): \_\_\_\_\_

List other participating members in your group/family (bring your children age 5 or older):

A Diocesan fingerprinting clearance is required of everyone 15+ years of age. All children must be properly supervised by parent(s)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Diocesan fingerprinted:  Yes /  No /  NA

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When: Check the date(s) that you choose to participate

- Saturday Dec. 7, 2019 from 10AM - 12PM
- Sunday Dec. 8, 2019 from 2PM - 4PM

If you help decorate a house, discuss with your assigned senior of a convenient date/time to come back and take down the decorations.  
 (Latest by January 12, 2020)

Where: TBA, within 5-30 mins drive from the Parish

Suggested Activities: Check the ones you/family/group are open to participate

<input type="checkbox"/> Put up & decorate a Christmas tree <input type="checkbox"/> Put up some Christmas décor <input type="checkbox"/> Clean part(s) of the house <input type="checkbox"/> Tidy up certain room(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Wrap some gifts <input type="checkbox"/> Rake the yard <input type="checkbox"/> Bring Christmas cheer	<input type="checkbox"/> Play board/card games/puzzle <input type="checkbox"/> Read <input type="checkbox"/> Bring some bakery/sweet goods <input type="checkbox"/> Teach an application on smart phone/computer <input type="checkbox"/> Look up information online <input type="checkbox"/> Other (as suggested by the senior)
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By signing this form, I hereby waive any claims against, and release and hold harmless and indemnify, St Mary Magdalen Parish, the Diocese of Orlando, and any of their religious, employees, staff, disciple volunteers, agents and representatives from any liability, claim, loss, damage, cost or expense arising from my participation in this service event. I waive such claims against such organization or any such person, arising directly or indirectly from or attributable in any legal way, to any action or omission to act of any such organization or person in connection with execution of this event.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## Why the **Light Up Project**?

To celebrate the family spirit that Emmanuel blessed us when he became our brother.

## What is the **Light Up Project**?

While Christmas is a joyous season for children and families all around, it could be rough for many seniors living alone or having few family members in town to share the joy of the Season. (We friendly call them our “grand-pals”). As a parish family, we invite our parish families/groups/individuals to come out to visit and perform some light task/activities with our “grand-pals” to help Light Up their Holy Season. Participants are encouraged to team up with their family, friends, co-workers, etc. to form their own group.

## How to participate in the **Light Up Project (volunteers):**

1. Submit Disciple Volunteer Form by November 17.
2. If you are 15 or older and haven't finger printed with our Diocese, call the parish to schedule a fingerprint right away: 407 831 1212.
3. If appointed to be the captain of your group, contact your assigned grand-pal as soon as grand-pal's info is emailed to you. (See \*Notes below)
4. Captains coordinate communication with members of his/her group to share additional information about their grand-pal and, if needed, solicitate additional ideas for the service. Light Up Project Guidelines, group info and grand-pal info will be emailed to captain and adult participants at least a week prior to the visit.
5. At the scheduled time/date, meet at grand-pal's house for the service.

\*Notes: The initial phone conversation is meant to warm up for the group visit. You may briefly introduce your group, get to know the basics about your grand-pal, confirm visit date/time and possible activities. Let your grand-pal know that, within your capacity, your group would like to do something to “light up” their Holy Season.

## How to participate in the **Light Up Project (seniors):**

- Submit a **Light Up** Request Form by November 17 (drop off in office or submit online).
- **Light Up** Facilitator will contact you to confirm details and answer questions.
- **Light Up** Group's Captain will communicate with you to introduce their group and to share any further information on their part.
- “**Light Up** Group” comes to your house on the scheduled date/time.
- Contact us to share your feedback.

# Light Up My Home—Request

Fill out and return this form to the Parish Office by November 17, 2019.

## VISIT DATE:

**EITHER** Saturday Dec 7, from 10AM - 12PM **OR** Sunday Dec 8, from 2PM - 4PM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List language(s) and any special medical or other condition disciple volunteers need to be aware of:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

In case of emergency, please contact: \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUESTING:** Check the services you need and activities that you could possibly enjoy.

<u>Services that you need:</u>	<u>Activities/things that you would enjoy:</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Put up & decorate <b>your</b> Christmas tree that is no taller than six feet	<input type="checkbox"/> Play board/card games
<input type="checkbox"/> Put up <b>your</b> Christmas decorations	<input type="checkbox"/> Work on a puzzle
<input type="checkbox"/> Wrap some gifts	<input type="checkbox"/> Someone to read for you
<input type="checkbox"/> Rake your yard	<input type="checkbox"/> Having children around
<input type="checkbox"/> Clean area(s) in your house, list: _____ _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> A sweet treat
	<input type="checkbox"/> A food treat
	<input type="checkbox"/> Christmas cheer
<input type="checkbox"/> Tidy room(s) in your house, list: _____ _____ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Learn a new application on your smart phone or computer
	<input type="checkbox"/> Look up certain information online
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ _____ _____

To ensure your safety, we strongly encourage you to get the battery-operated Christmas lights. Disciple volunteers will hang *ONLY* new and working lights, with legible safety directions attached.

By signing this form, I give permission for disciple volunteers from St Mary Magdalen Parish to perform the requested service(s) and activities on my property. I hereby waive any claims against, and release and hold harmless and indemnify, St Mary Magdalen Parish, the Diocese of Orlando, and any of their religious, employees, staff, disciple volunteers, agents and representatives from any liability, claim, loss, damage, cost or expense arising from this service event on my property. I waive such claims against such organization or any such person, arising directly or indirectly from or attributable in any legal way, to any action or omission to act of any such organization or person in connection with execution of this event.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_