

Parish Council Member Self Evaluation

How satisfied are you that you:	Not Satisfied			Satisfied			Unsure/ Not relevant
1. Understand the parish's mission?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
2. Support the mission?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
3. Have a good working relationship with other parish council members and with the priest?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
4. Are knowledgeable about the parish's major programs and services?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
5. Follow trends and important developments in the parish's substantive field of interest and work?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
6. Assist in fundraising by, for example, identifying donors, personally asking others to make a gift, or signing thank-you letters to contributors?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
7. Give a significant annual gift to the parish commensurate with your personal circumstances?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
8. Give a proportionate capital gift when asked and willing to consider a planned gift in your estate to the parish?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
9. Read and understand the parish's financial statements?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
10. Act knowledgeably and prudently when making recommendations about how the parish's funds should be invested or spent?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
11. Focus your attention on long-term and significant policy issues rather than short-term administrative matters?	1	2	3	4	5	0	
12. Recommend qualified individuals with relevant skills and experience as possible nominees for the parish council?	1	2	3	4	5	0	

13. Prepare for and participate at parish council and committee meetings, as well as other activities of the parish?	1	2	3	4	5	0
14. Willingly volunteer and use your special skills to further the parish's mission?	1	2	3	4	5	0
15. Complete all assignments in a responsible and timely manner?	1	2	3	4	5	0
16. Take advantage of opportunities to enhance the parish's public image by periodically speaking to leaders in the community about the work of the parish?	1	2	3	4	5	0
17. Respect the confidentiality of the parish council's executive sessions?	1	2	3	4	5	0
18. Speak officially for the parish council only when authorized to do so?	1	2	3	4	5	0
19. Suggest agenda items for future parish council and committee meetings?	1	2	3	4	5	0
20. Advise and assist the priest when your help is requested?	1	2	3	4	5	0
21. Avoid burdening the staff with requests for special favors?	1	2	3	4	5	0
22. Ensure that any communication with staff below the priest does not undermine the relationship between the priest and staff?	1	2	3	4	5	0
23. Avoid, in fact and in perception, conflicts of interest that might embarrass the parish council or the parish and disclose to the council in a timely manner any possible conflicts?	1	2	3	4	5	0
24. Are heard and considered when you give your opinions and views?	1	2	3	4	5	0
25. Find serving on the parish council to be a	1	2	3	4	5	0

satisfying and rewarding experience?

26. Have enriched your spiritual life as a result of serving as a council member?	1	2	3	4	5	0
27. Find no conflict of interest between parish council service and other responsibilities that you may hold in the church?	1	2	3	4	5	0
28. Your expertise and your interests are considered in your parish council and committee assignments?	1	2	3	4	5	0
29. Attend at least 75% of parish council meetings?	1	2	3	4	5	0
30. Assist the parish council to steer clear of non-policy matters better left to staff?	1	2	3	4	5	0
31. Contribute to the development of strategic plans for the parish or strategic intent in meeting discussions?	1	2	3	4	5	0
32. Avoid asking special favors of the staff, including requests for privileged information for personal purposes?	1	2	3	4	5	0
33. Feel the parish council and the priest worked well together during your term of service?	1	2	3	4	5	0
34. Feel that you fulfilled the calling to parish council service with due diligence?	1	2	3	4	5	0
35. Would likely serve again should the opportunity present itself? (satisfied is “yes”; not satisfied is “no”)	1	2	3	4	5	0

Feel free to write any random, inspiring or suggestive thoughts that occur to you:
