I KNOW I SHOULD DO MORE BUT I AM SO BUSY…

Sound familiar? Why not become one of:

Our Lady’s Helping Hands

Our Lady’s Helping Hands is the chance for parishioners to provide Social Ministry to our parish community and to our neighborhoods. This committee will not have regular meetings and will not take up large amounts of time. Our ‘Helping Hands’ will serve when needed in times of crisis, emergency or general necessity. This is your opportunity to use your talents to serve others. If you are interested in contributing a helping hand, please complete this survey and return it to Paula Taylor. You may drop it in the collection basket; mail it to Paula at 104 Buffalo Ave, Fairmont, WV 26554; or email it to her at taylorpj@hotmail.com. If you have questions, please email Paula or call her at 304-288-5060.

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I am willing to: (check all that apply)

\_\_\_\_ Be part of a phone tree to check on shut-ins in bad weather

\_\_\_\_ Coordinate the phone tree

\_\_\_\_ Make regular calls to shut-ins who do not have regular outside contact to make sure they are okay

\_\_\_\_ Coordinate a list of shut-ins who can call and check on each other

\_\_\_\_ Send get well/thinking of you cards (provided by the parish) to parishioners in the hospital or a nursing home

\_\_\_\_ Use my chain saw to cut up trees blocking people’s driveways/causing damage to property following severe weather

\_\_\_\_ Provide transportation to medical appointments for someone who cannot access public transportation

\_\_\_\_ Help someone who needs transportation make arrangements with CENTRA or the Senior Center

\_\_\_\_ Prepare meals in the parish center for those in need of emergency shelter during power outages

\_\_\_\_ Help run emergency shelter facility in the parish center during power outages, etc.

\_\_\_\_ Provide respite for caregivers who need time to run errands or to just have some time to themselves

\_\_\_\_ Other – please specify\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Paula will maintain a file of ‘Helping Hands’ and will only call upon them as needed. Please advise Paula if your contact information changes.