## STELLA MARIS CHURCH MINISTRIES

## **Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Communion**

The primary role of the Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion is to bring Holy Communion to the sick and shut-ins of the Church community. The administration of Holy Communion during Mass is a Ministry bringing the Body and Blood of Christ to the people of God. This Ministry more than any other highlights the dignity and respect that is given to the presence of Jesus in the Eucharist.

The Extraordinary Ministers of Communion assist the Priest at Mass, and are invited to participate in Communion Services. These persons are baptized and confirmed Roman Catholics, who with the consent and on the recommendation of their Parish Priest after being interviewed by him, have attended the course offered at the St. Michael's Theological College.

If you have a burning desire to take Christ in the Eucharist to others, then this ministry for you.