

# Guidelines for Youth Readers

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Beginning in October, St. Paul the Apostle will deliver the Word of God through the readings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday. Each grade level has been assigned a Sunday to read. Your Religious Education teacher will inform you which Sunday your child/youth is assigned. All children/youth should practice at home before their assigned Sunday. Ms. Tasha Anthony will schedule a time to meet with readers for a final practice. Assigned readers must be at church no later than 10:10 after RE class. Your child cannot read if they are not at church immediately following RE class or by 10:10. We are asking that all youth adhere to the following dress guidelines:

## Males

- Must have a collared shirt (a tie is preferred)
- If the pants have belt loops a belt must be worn, pants must be worn on your natural waistline
- No jeans are allowed
- No tennis shoes are allowed
- No flip flops or sports sandals
- No graphic tees are allowed
- No earrings

## Females

- A dress or suit is highly recommended
- No tee-straps can be shown (must be covered with a sweater or jacket)
- No jeans
- No graphic tees
- No tennis shoes
- No flip flops or sports sandals
- No leggings
- When placing your hands by your side your dress must be longer (front or back) than your fingertips. If in doubt, PLEASE have your parents check. Remember you are required to bow before and after you approach the alter, so make sure that your dress or skirt is appropriate.
- Wear comfortable shoes for walking

Feel free to contact Tasha Anthony at (504) 858-1902 if you have additional questions

Yours in Christ,

Tasha Anthony