

Deacon Charles J. Miller



"For many years I sensed a call from God to be a deacon. It is difficult to describe the feeling, call it grace, but I know the Spirit spoke to my heart about ordained ministry."

Deacon Charles Miller and his wife Judy are parishioners at St. Pius X in Reynoldsburg where he is a parish administrator. They have three grown children, Patricia, Colleen, and Brian. He is assigned as deacon to Pope John XXIII in Canal Winchester where he did his internship.

"I believe Judy knew God was calling me for years. She walked this journey with me, both in prayer, and by attending diaconal classes with me. The focus on marriage in the diaconal ministry has deepened our relationship," said Deacon Miller.

Deacon Miller looks forward to visiting the sick, the homebound, feeding the hungry, and those in need of pastoral assistance in marriage, in addition to other diaconal responsibilities.

"There is a need to minister to Catholics who have fallen away from practicing their faith," said Deacon Miller.

Deacon Miller has an M.A. in Theology from ODU and appreciates the deacons and priests who have mentored him throughout his formation.

"I believe God offers graces through the gift of the Holy Spirit to continue our baptismal call to minister to others and to take up our cross and follow in Christ's footsteps."