

The KAIROS Prison Ministry will be offering a fall Christian retreat. Catholic Charities' Prison Ministry needs cookies to offer to the inmates who attend.

Our parish goal is 100 dozen homemade cookies.

Please contact Marilyn Grodek by October 23 at margrodek78@gmail.com or 703-978-5793 to volunteer!

Cookies need to be dropped off at the rectory on either Monday, Oct. 28 or Tuesday, Oct. 29.

Note that, because of the restrictions of the prison, cookies must follow their guidelines:

- Cookie types that are generally acceptable are: oatmeal, peanut butter, molasses, and chocolate chip.
- All cookies must be between 2 and 2½ inches in diameter and no more than ½ inch thick.
- There can be no icing, sugar, or any other type of coating on the outside of the cookies.
- Do not add any type of fruit or nuts to the cookies; chocolate chips are allowed.
- Cookies must be bagged in quart-sized zip-lock bags, one dozen cookies per bag.
- Label each bag with the type of cookie.

Cookies that do not meet these requirements will be rejected.