

Pam Pipas:

Being a new parishioner, I wanted to meet new people and get involved. I was not sure where to start, did not know what ministries to get involved with and be a part of. There was definitely a strong welcoming feeling when I attended Mass.

I joined "Stitching in Faith" and right away I knew I had found a home, but still felt that there was something missing.

At my previous parish, I was a part of a lot of different ministries. Called and Gifted was offered but was not something I thought was for me. When I was asked if I would be interested in being a part of the startup group, I asked friends who had gone through the program and was unexpectedly surprised by their response. The excitement they had when explaining the program to me was something I knew I wanted in my life.

Learning about the charisms, how to use them and what they mean in strengthening my faith journey and my life has been so enriching. Meeting so many wonderful faith-filled people has increased my faith and taught me so much about myself.

Called and gifted is definitely an experience and learning adventure that I think everyone should experience and take a closer look at, not just for yourself but for the way you approach others in your life. Please open your heart and mind to being a part of Called and Gifted.