

Statements from the *Catechism* on the Sacraments at the Service of Communion

Answer Key

1. The Sacrament of Holy Orders

The nature of service described here is the ordained minister's duty to follow Christ's mission.

This sacrament helps to serve the common good of the Church and the world by ordaining ministers who can act in Jesus' name to celebrate the sacraments and bring the Spirit of Jesus to the people they serve.

2. The Sacrament of Holy Orders

The nature of service described here is the ordained minister's commitment to the People of God.

This sacrament helps to serve the common good of the Church and the world by enabling ordained ministers to act in the person of Christ and to remind community members of Jesus' teachings through their words and actions.

3. The Sacrament of Matrimony

The nature of service described here is the married person's duty to love their spouse just as God loves humankind.

This sacrament helps to serve the common good of the Church and the world by encouraging more deeply loving relationships between spouses, which show the world an image of God's love for us through their love for each other.

4. The Sacrament of Matrimony

The nature of service described here is the married person's commitment to parenthood and the education of children.

This sacrament helps to serve the common good of the Church and the world by promoting family life and education and encouraging married people to be responsible and loving partners, parents, and teachers.

