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**For Immediate Release**

**Christ Church of Oak Brook Serves Communities  
with Sleeves Rolled Up**

About 1,000 members of Christ Church of Oak Brook served communities throughout Chicago and the western suburbs working on various projects on Saturday, May 19, 2007. *Project Serve* is an annual event involving members and friends of Christ Church of Oak Brook and their families who come together, with their sleeves rolled up to serve their communities.

The a one-day, high-energy and joyful adventure provided the opportunity for Christ Church of Oak Brook members to express the life-changing love of Jesus through thoughtful, practical, and freely-given acts of service to their neighbors and communities. They were involved in much-needed landscaping and home repair for those lacking the financial means; or cleaning and painting for the less agile. Christ members were also involved in:

- Clean up and yard work for infirmed persons and senior citizens
- Painted buildings/rooms
- Visited and provided activities at nursing homes
- Served families of veterans or active duty soldiers
- Engaged in minor construction projects
- Cleaned up local forest preserves and town parks

*Project Serve* is an integral part of Christ Church of Oak Brook's vision for outreach and service to the community. The event enabled members to demonstrate the love of Jesus Christ, to others in a tangible way. It's also a catalyst for greater awareness of the constant opportunities within our communities to reach out and help others.

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