

## **BRO** – Brothers Reaching Out

Do you ever wonder how you will be able to accomplish some of the tasks around the house that used to be routine, but for one reason or another have become nearly impossible? Maybe you're on your own now, or you're just physically unable to do some of the things you used to. What if you feel that you can't continue to ask family or neighbors for those 'small' favors? Maybe you know someone who could use help but doesn't know how to ask.

St. Edna has formed a brand new ministry to help you. BRO - Brothers Reaching Out — is a group of men who volunteer to donate their time and abilities for our parish neighbors who just don't know where to turn for help with a variety of household maintenance problems.

The aim of this ministry is to perform reasonable home maintenance projects for those that have no other way to get them done. If the job can be finished in 1 day or less and does not require any village inspections, then we are interested. We expect that there are some difficult to reach light bulbs that need changing, heavy loads to be moved, dripping faucets that need to be quieted, and overgrown bush or two, a loose railing or floor tile in need of some tightening up. We aren't your home decorating solution, but if we can make your home a little safer, brighter and take a load off your mind give us a call.

Contact the parish office at 847-398-3362 and ask for Margaret Moser. She will get things started.

Men, if you are interested in joining this ministry, contact Margaret. She will put you in touch with someone who is going to be happy to tell you how you can help. If you have a skill, we'd love to hear from you. Don't feel like you're too handy? An extra pair of hands will do wonders with most projects. This might be YOUR calling and YOUR way to love your neighbor.