

Youth Ministry

Youth Ministry Committee

Youth Ministry is the response of the Christian Community to the needs of young people and the sharing of the unique gifts of the youth with the larger community. This ministry to, with, for, and by young people has three goals:

- To empower young people to live as disciples of Jesus Christ in our world today.
- To draw young people into the responsible participation in the life, mission, and work of the Catholic faith community.
- To foster the total personal and spiritual growth of each young person.

This committee meets the first Tuesday of every month from 6:00 – 7:00 pm. This committee focuses on planning events and activities for the youth of our parish and come up with ideas on how to get youth involved in the life of the parish. This committee is currently in need of more teen and adult members! We need members to represent/help come up with ideas to implement and foster the follow areas:

- Teen's input and ideas (Teen reps)
- Prayer and Worship
- Catechisis
- Social
- Service

VIRTUS Training is required.

Youth Group and Activity Leaders

The SHINE youth group meets the second Sunday of each month from 7-8 pm. in the new youth room! Adults are needed to help lead activities for the youth group. We are looking for adults that can leader special prayer activities, social events, sports games/open gym activities, discussion groups. There are also special youth ministry activities for all the high school faith formation students on Wednesday nights where we could use adults in the planning and doing of these activities: Pumpkin Bash, Christmas Social, Easter Egg Scavenger Hunt, service projects.

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Chaperone

Adults are needed to drive (or take bus) students to day events or weekend retreats. Some of these may include Resurrection Rally Retreat in the Dells, Power of One Concert, St. John Bosco Youth Day, etc.

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Retreat Team

We need people who can lead prayer, small group discussions, serve meals/refreshments, faith sharing, praise and worship music. Training and planning provided!

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Service Projects

Adults are in need to help chaperone and lead service projects such as raking, food drives, trash clean-up, etc.

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VIRTUS: Protecting God's Children

VIRTUS Training is a program to increase awareness of the need to provide children, youth, and vulnerable adults with safe environments. This is a requirement of the Diocese of Madison for anyone volunteering in a position in which they will be working with children.