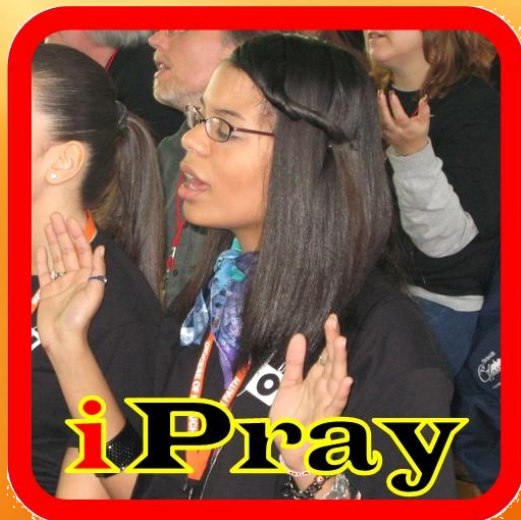


DIOCESAN YOUTH DAY



Sunday

April 6, 2014

St. Helena - Edison

9:30am - 6:00pm

**Registration
deadline
March 24,
2014**

With special guest speaker:

ValLimar Jansen

ValLimar Jansen is especially known for her work with contemporary Christian, gospel, and gospel-jazz styles.



Interactive workshops

Inspiring Prayers



Lively Music

Dynamic Speakers



Open to all high school teens!

Cost: \$25/person

BE A FRIEND... BRING A FRIEND

For more information visit:

www.diometuchen.org/dyd

MOSES



The parting of the Red Sea.. the Burning Bush.. the Plagues...the Ten Commandments...finally.. the greatest Biblical epic of the Old Testament comes to LIFE on the Sight & Sound Theatre

When: Saturday, April 26, 2014

Where: Sight & Sound Theatre, Lancaster, PA

Transportation: Coach Bus

Time/bring: 8:00AM -8:00PM---- **Extra money for shopping!!!**

Package 1: - Rockvale Outlets Mall , bus, dinner buffet at “ Miller’s **NONRefundable**

\$ 70.00p/p before March 28 After March 28th \$ 85.00p/p

Package 2: - bus, Moses, dinner buffet at Miller’s– **Non Refundable**

\$ 135.00p/p After March 28th \$ 145.00 p/p

Yes, I _____ would like to go to this trip.
student’s name/ grade/age

Yes, we _____ would like to go to this trip.
parent’s name & phone #, email address

Total # people _____

Total \$ _____

All checks Payable to: St. Francis Cathedral Youth Group

Any questions call Sister Maria Lan Nguyen 732-770-2506 or 732-548-0100 ext 306

Only 30 Tickets –First Come First Serve!!!



Teen Permission Slip

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Activity: Diocesan Youth Day Location: St. Helena Parish, 950 Grove Ave., Edison, NJ 08820 Date: 4/6/2014

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Parish Name: _____ Town: _____

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

DOB: _____ Sex: M ___ F ___ School: _____ Grade _____

Mode of Transportation: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Health Insurance Company: _____ Policy & Group Number _____

Family Physician: _____ Phone: _____

Medical Conditions to be aware of: (Circle) Seizures, Asthma, Migraines, Diabetic, other: _____

Allergies: Peanut, Latex, Dyes, Other: _____ Medication Allergies: _____

List all current medications and reason: _____

List Dietary Restrictions: _____

Are immunizations up to date? Yes No Date last tetanus immunization: _____

Choose three (3) of the following prayer sessions: P# _____ P# _____ P# _____

P#101 – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

P#102 – Taizé

P#103 – Lectio Divina

P#104 – Imaginative Prayer

P#105 – Guided Meditation

P#106 – Modern Stations of the Cross

P#107 – Tuning in: The God Song

P#108 – Praise & Worship

Choose two (2) of the following workshops: W# _____ W# _____

W#101 – Catholic Legacy

W#102 – Faith & the Information Age

W#103 – Living a Double Life: Online vs. Offline

W#104 – Who do you follow? Overcoming Peer Pressure

W#105 – Pope Francis: Living Discipleship

W#106 – Christ Has No Body but Yours

W#107 – Relationship, with God?

W#108 – Knowing Ourselves

For full description of the above prayer sessions and workshops, please visit: www.diometuchen.org/dyd

Parent /Legal Guardian’s Signature: _____

Date: _____



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Parent/Guardian: Please read carefully and sign below.

I/we consent to my child, _____ (“my child”), participating in the above described activity and consent to the mode of transportation as indicated.

I/we specifically waive and release any and all claims of any nature which I/we may have now or in the future against the above named parish and/or school, the Diocese of Metuchen, their representatives, employees, agents and assigns (including, but not limited to, staff and adult supervisors) arising out of, related to, or connected in any way with the above described activity including, but not limited to, claims that may be derived from any accident or injury sustained by my child or damages or loss to property in route to, during, and/or returning from the activity.

AUTHORIZATION FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT

Should emergency medical treatment be necessary and I/we cannot be reached immediately, I/we authorize the delegated agents of the above-named parish to consent to medical or surgical treatment of an emergent or non-emergent nature, including in-patient or out-patient hospitalization, to be rendered to my child under the general or special supervision and advice of a physician, surgeon or dentist. Such consent may include, but it not limited to, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment, diagnostic tests, blood tests, x-rays, transfusions, intravenous treatments, administration of medication or anesthetics, and any related procedures that may be deemed advisable or necessary. It is understood that this authorization is given in advance of any specific diagnosis, treatment or hospital care being required, but is given to provide authority and power to the delegated agents of the above-named parish to give specific consent to any and all such diagnosis, treatment, or hospital care which the aforementioned physician, surgeon or dentist, in the exercise of his/her best judgment, may deem advisable. I/we understand that I/we assume all financial responsibility for the delivery of such care at the time that such care is provided by the agency, hospital, or facility. I/we further understand that Diocesan and/or parish representatives are NOT permitted to dispense medication. In the event that my child requires medication during the above described activity, I/we understand that my child must be trained to self-administer medication or have a parent in attendance to administer medication.

PHOTO RELEASE

I/we hereby grant to the Diocese of Metuchen and its parishes, schools and assigns, the irrevocable and unrestricted right to use, reproduce and publish photograph(s) or video(s) of my child, including their image and likeness for Diocesan, parish or school publications, advertising, or website(s), or any other purpose and in any manner and medium; to alter the same without restriction; and to copyright the same. I/we hereby release The Diocese of Metuchen and its trustees, officers, employees, agents, legal representatives, and assigns from any and all claims, actions, and liability of whatever nature and relating to the use of said photograph(s) and/or video(s).

DISCIPLINE / TRANSPORTATION OR DAMAGE COSTS

I/we agree that I/we have read and fully understand the *Office of Youth & Adult Ministry’s Policies and Rules of Conduct* (available at www.diometuchen.org/dyd) and I/we agree to adhere to them. I/we agree to respect the rights and property of others and further understand that vandalism, stealing or insubordination will not be tolerated. I/we assume all responsibility for any and all financial obligations that result from any such behavior or the violation of the Policies and Rules of Conduct. Should it be necessary for my child to return home due to medical reasons, disciplinary actions or otherwise, I/we assume all responsibility and transportation costs.

In witness thereof, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound hereby sets their hand and seal the date written below.

Parent/Guardian Name (Print): _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Phone: _____



Workshop Descriptions

- W#101 – **Catholic Legacy:** Did you know that the Catholic Church is responsible for the founding of hospitals and universities? Did you know that the Big Bang Theory was first proposed by a Catholic priest? Our Church – the living Body of Christ – has been a pioneer in many fields and thus it has transformed the world in unimaginable ways. Learn about our history and find out how you are invited to continue this legacy.
- W#102 – **Faith and the Information Age:** What is the information age? How is faith experienced in an era where Facebook, Google, and Apple products dominate mainstream popular culture? Come listen to some of the factors in modern times that affect how we see faith. Find out how these trendy agents can be used to nurture faith, and what to watch out for in order to not be lured by the media.
- W#103 – **Living a Double Life:** Does it matter if you are the same person online as you are offline? Do the things you like, share and post online match the person you are called to be? Do you know people who have multiple online profiles? Does integrity matter in the virtual world? Come and discuss.
- W#104 – **Who do you follow:** Today, technology has opened doors to follow people in an unprecedented way. Many times we follow people due to pressure from others. This pressure to fit in, look good, or be liked may often lead us down the wrong paths. There is an old adage that says: “show me your friends, and I’ll tell you who you are.” In this workshop you will learn how to deal with peer pressure and go after the only one who’s worth following.
- W#105 – **Pope Francis:** The election of Pope Francis has gotten the world buzzing about the Catholic Church. In his short tenure as pope, Francis has impacted the world and people in ways that others have not done in the past. What makes Francis so special? Come and learn how this man’s relationship with Christ is impacting our world, and how you can follow his example.
- W#106 – **Christ Has no Body but Yours:** ever wondered how you can put your gifts and talents at the service of God? While God, the almighty, can do wonderful works through miraculous events, His preferred method for doing things is through us. As his children, we are called to be His hands and feet in the world. Find out how you, as the body of Christ, are invited to carry out His work each day.
- W#107 – **Relationship, with God?** What does it mean to have a relationship with God? What does it look like? For a lot of us it’s a hard thing to fully understand. And what about Jesus? He said he came to give everyone life in its fullest. He came to show us how to live. Maybe it’s through trusting Jesus and living the kind of life he taught us to live, that we have a relationship with God? Maybe the way we live every day, every single choice we make, determines how in tune with god we are.
- W#108 – **Knowing Ourselves:** We all compare ourselves to others. We spend our lives wondering what others think and say about us. Some of us even wish we were someone else. We question why we are the way we are and not the way we wish we could be. Some of us have let the expectations of others dictate who we’ve become. Why are we so concerned with what others think, say, or look like? What does that say about us? Maybe if we really knew our true selves, we wouldn’t give so much attention to other people’s lives and live more in tune with the life God wants for us.



Prayer Session Descriptions

- P#101- **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:** Spend some time with our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. This will be an opportunity to enjoy soft music and be in an intimate presence with our Lord.
- P#102- **Taizé** is a sung and silent participatory prayer service designed to lead you into a contemplative state through music, song, and silence. The short chants, repeated over and over again, give this prayer service a meditative character.
- P#103 – **Lectio Divina** or “divine reading” is a traditional Benedictine practice of scriptural reading, meditation and prayer intended to promote communion with God and increase the knowledge of God’s Word. This prayer style will help you see Scripture as God’s Living Word.
- P#104 – **Imaginative Prayer**, in the Ignatian Tradition, places great emphasis on the power of the imagination to help you deepen your relationship with God. This prayer style will allow you to walk, talk, and be with Jesus in a way that only you can conceive.
- P#105 – **Guided Meditation** will invite you to enter into a state of contemplation. Soothing sounds and a gentle voice will guide you to an Encounter with our Living God.
- P#106 – **Modern Stations of the Cross** will invite you to see the Stations of the Cross with a new perspective. Christ’s suffering was not an event that happened only once. Christ continues to suffer through His people today.
- P#107 – **Tuning in: The God Song** is an interactive prayer where you are invited to bring your iPod/iPhone/mp3 player and share with others your God Song. Learn how others have encountered God
- P#108 – **Praise & Worship**, following the example of King David, will invite you to praise Our Lord through dance and music.