

Diocesan Youth Committee

Nominations Sought for 2007-09 Term

Note: May 1, 2009 Nominations are Due

WHAT IS THE DIOCESAN YOUTH COMMITTEE?

The Diocesan Youth Committee (DYC) is made up of 30 youth and adults representing six regions that make up our Diocese (*Monroe County East, Monroe County West, Monroe County Urban, Genesee Valley, Finger Lakes and Southern Tier*). The mission of the DYC is to assist in the creation, development, implementation and evaluation of Diocesan events offered for youth.

WHAT IS EXPECTED FROM A DYC REPRESENTATIVE?

The primary responsibility of a representative is to help develop and/or assist at the following programs:

- ☺ **Junior High Youth Rally**
- ☺ **Hands of Christ**
- ☺ **Parent Pilgrim Meetings for NCCYC 2009**
- ☺ **Run for the Young 5K**
- ☺ **Convention 2011**

In addition, each DYC representative is expected to:

- Represent the parishes in their region
- Be an active and involved presence in their own parish and regional activities
- Peer lead or attend a Diocesan youth retreat each year
- Attend all DYC meetings

WHO CAN BE A DYC REPRESENTATIVE?

- Nominees must **currently be in 9th or 10th grade** and able to serve a two-year term (*7/2009 – 7/2011*).
- Must possess obvious leadership gifts and be a positive Christian role model to peers.
- Must be able to speak to and lead large groups of young people.
- Must be in touch with the needs, issues and gifts of the young people in their region.
- **MUST BE ABLE TO CONSISTENTLY ATTEND MEETINGS.**

HOW ARE NOMINATIONS DONE?

Step 1: Decide on all the youth who meet the criteria listed above and develop a process to select **one** for nomination. **NOTE: Only one person per parish can serve on DYC in any given year.**

Step 2: Approach the youth selected with a copy of this form and review the expectations required with the person to see if he/she can accept the responsibilities outlined.

Step 3: Complete the form and send it to the Diocese by **May 1st, 2009**

Step 4: Final selection will occur May 4th, 2009

There Are Two Openings in Each Region for the 2009-2011 Term:

- Monroe County East
- Monroe County West
- Monroe County Urban
- Genesee Valley
- Finger Lakes
- Southern Tier

Diocesan Youth Committee Nomination Form 2009-20011 Term

Please Note:

Each Parish May Only Nominate One Current 9th or 10th Grader

Parish: _____ **Location:** _____

Check the region your parish is located in:

- Southern Tier Genesee Valley Finger Lakes
 Monroe County East Monroe County West Monroe Urban (All Rochester city parishes)

Name of Nominee: _____

Address: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ E-Mail: _____ Current Grade: _____

Parent's Names: _____

This Portion To Be Completed By Nominator

This nominee has been informed of all duties, responsibilities and expectations expected of a DYC Representative as outlined on the reverse side of this form and has agreed to fulfill them should he/she be selected for this service.

Signature of Nominator: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____ Daytime Phone: (_____) _____

**All nominations need to be in the Youth Ministry Office
no later than May 1, 2009**

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