

## **DIOCESAN YOUTH COMMITTEE 2012-2014 YOUTH ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

### **PURPOSE:**

The purpose of the Diocesan Youth Committee is to assist in the creation, development, implementation and evaluation of certain Diocesan events for youth by sharing their gifts of time and talent.

- **Diocesan Youth Convention 2012**
- **Junior High Retreats**
- **NCYC Year – Post-pilgrim Gathering**

The Diocese of Rochester provides training for youth on an ongoing basis through our overnight meetings, our day meetings.

Because of Diocesan Policy, youth will need to arrange for transportation to and from the meetings which are scheduled around the Diocese.

DYC is an opportunity for youth members to use the gifts and talents they recognize and to develop gifts and talents yet to be discovered. Young people will work in the areas of music, both vocal and instrumental, as dancers, artists, actors, photographers, speakers, lectors, liturgical ministries, computer skills, electronic tech and more too!

### **YOUTH ROLE:**

- The role of the youth members is one teamwork, leadership and model of Catholic Faith.
- Young people work with the Adults to advertise and spark interest in Diocesan Youth events.
- DYC members are expected to try new roles, use creativity, and learn more about leadership and their skills.
- DYC members are also expected to assist with the smooth running of the Diocesan events listed. Sometimes that means being the star on stage as well as folding t-shirts or sweeping floors.
- Each young person is assigned a program committee. These committees will brainstorm, create, design, carry-out and evaluate the program they are responsible for.

**Eligibility:** All Diocesan Youth Committee members must have completed the Foundations: Catholic Leadership Development prior to being nominated by your Parish Youth Minister.