

# **St. Joseph Catholic Community - Youth Ministry Calendar for 2023-2024**

***(dates are subject to change, please watch the bulletin and emails)***

## **SUMMER PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE:**

**June** – Programming on 4, 11 and 25

June 16-24 – Youth in Theology (YTM) at St. John's in Collegeville

June 18 – No programming (Father's Day)

**July** – Programming on 9, 16, 23 and 30

July 2 and 9 – No programming (Independence Day)

July 2-7 - High School Mission Trip to Leech Lake, MN

July 9-14 - Middle School Damascus Catholic Youth Summer Camp

**August** – Programming on 6, 13, 20 and 27

**September** – Programming on September 10

September 3 – No programming, Labor Day weekend

## **SCHOOL YEAR PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE:**

**September** – September 17 - Program Orientation for Middle and High School, 6pm-7:30pm, High Hall

September 24 - School Year Kick-Off, 6pm-7:30pm | All "Programming" is at the Parish Center

**October** – Programming on 1, 8 and 29

October 15 – No programming – Fall Festival is October 14 – Sign up to volunteer!

October 20 - Sleepout for Homelessness, starts at 8pm Friday and ends 7am Saturday

October 22 - No programming

**November** – Programming on 5 and 12

November 18-19 - Winter Retreat at Camp Friendship

November 26 – No programming (Thanksgiving weekend)

**December** – Programming on 3, 10 and 17

December 3 - Advent Begins | December 24 or 31 - No programming (Christmas Break)

**January** – Programming on 7, 14, 21 and 28

**February** – Programming on 4, 18 and 25

February 14 - Ash Wednesday – the Beginning of Lent

February 10-11 - Confirmation Retreat, Camp Friendship

February 18 - Grade 10 Rite of Entrance Mass

February 28 - First Confirmation Special Session (1) with Candidates and Sponsors, 7-8:30pm, Room A

**March** – Programming on 3, 10 and 17

March 6, 13 and 20 - Confirmation Special Sessions (2, 3 & 4) with Candidates and Sponsors, 7-8:30pm, Room A

March 24 – No programming (District 281 Spring Break March 25-29)

March 31 – No programming (Easter Sunday)

**April** – Programming on 7, 14 and 21

April 28 - Rite of Sending, 10am Mass | April 28 Confirmation Dinner, 6pm, Room A

**May** – Programming on 5 and 19

May 2 – Rite of Confirmation Mass, Thursday, 7pm, Basilica of Saint Mary (arrive by 6:30pm)

May 6 – Grade 9 NET Retreat, 5-9pm (Dinner Included)

May 26 - No programming (Memorial Day Weekend)

**June** – Programming on 2, 9, 23 and 30

YTM, Mission Trips & Camp dates for 2024 to be announced