

Teen Faith News

February 2012

Check out our website for social events, service opportunities, retreats, scholarship opportunities, calendars and lesson plans

www.holyfamilyparish.org

Click on the Teen Faith Tab!

You can also find information on FACEBOOK! Ask to Join the Group "The Official Page of Holy Family Teen Faith" or request Denise Logan and Owen Walsh as friends. This is another place where we communicate teen faith happenings!

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Are you wondering what we do on Sunday nights in FLAME and Ignite? Click on the links below to see lessons that we covered in teen faith last month!

[1/8 Stations of The Cross \(Ignite\)](#)

[1/8 Adolescence Becoming an Adult \(FLAME\)](#)

[1/22 How to Pray\(Ignite\)](#)

[1/22 Respect Life \(FLAME\)](#)

[1/29 Parables \(Ignite\)](#)

[1/29 Saints \(FLAME\)](#)

Start a discussion with your teens at home!

Goodbye and Congratulations on your Retirement Eileen! We will miss you! Please join us Sunday, February 12 at the 4pm mass for a special blessing for Eileen. Bring a snack to share at 7pm in the teen center after FLAME and Ignite to say Goodbye and wish her well!



Just one of the crazy things Eileen did as part of Teen Faith!

Catholic Heart Work Camp Teen Summer Mission Trip June 24-30 Farmington MI

We had such a positive experience last summer we are going again! Don't miss out!

The Catholic Heart Work Camp mission is to revitalize communities and beautify homes for the elderly, disabled and those who cannot afford needed repairs This experience will empower participants to live as disciples of Christ through serving others and foster the spiritual growth of each participant through the sacraments, Catholic faith sharing and prayer. We have reserved Space for 20 teens! If you are going into 8th grade or higher in the fall of 2012 this trip is for you! For more information check out the link <http://heartworkcamp.com> or contact Denise Logan 907-3431 dlogan@holyfamilyparish.org. The cost of this trip is approximately \$425 per person (but we will be doing fundraising). We still have spots available. A \$75 deposit will hold your spot and planning meetings will start in late February. 50% of balance due March 31 and balance due May 1

PARENTS OF TEENS...Now more than ever a seminar just for you!

How to Be Married and Stay Engaged

A marriage enrichment seminar with Dr. James Healy

Friday, April 13, 2012 6:00-9:00 pm

It takes three types of intimacy for a marriage to thrive. Happily, these are also the basis for our three Christian marriage vows. In down to earth and sometimes humorous ways, Dr. Healy will help couples discover again what it takes to live out these vows fully and joyfully.

Whether you are newly married or celebrating your fiftieth wedding anniversary, whether you are flourishing or struggling, this day can be the next step for YOUR marriage. Call Mary Whiteside 847-907-3450 for more info and to register!

Applications Due March 1st!

Peer Ministry Meeting 7pm February 26



*Scholarship recognizes outstanding members of
Holy Family Parish in the areas of
Parish Service, Community Service and Academic Achievement*

*Two \$750 Scholarships Awarded June of 2012
Can be used at any accredited institute of higher learning.
Financial need is not a consideration.*

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FLAME 2 Confirmation News

RETREAT We had a wonderful time this past weekend at Techny Retreat Center for our overnight Confirmation retreat. The teens really opened up in their small groups and gained a better understanding of themselves, each other and their relationship with God. Thanks to all of the catechists, peer ministers and especially Laurie and Kevin Lavin who made this retreat possible!

Teen Sponsor Mass February 26 at 4pm. Please invite your sponsors to join us at Mass for a special blessing. They will also receive a Sponsor booklet. If a sponsor can't attend, parents can stand in for him or her. Please make sure your sponsor forms are turned in to Teen Faith before this date.

Confirmation Name Worksheet This form is also available online and should be filled out completely and turned in to Teen Faith by April 1. Please spend some time choosing your name and write why you have chosen it on the form.

Confirmation RSVP Form due April 22. Each family is allowed up to 10 people in Church for the Confirmation Liturgy (including the Confirmand)

Confirmation Liturgy and Rehearsal Rehearsal 7-8:30 pm on Wednesday May 16. At least one parent must attend with Confirmand (Other parent and sponsor welcome!) Liturgy 1:30pm on Sunday, May 20.

Need to Makeup Lesson Plans, Retreat Hours, or Pizza with the Pastor? Contact Denise for more info!



Friday nights during Lent...starting Feb 24, We will be meeting in the teen center at 6:15 and going to the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, followed by Stations of The Cross at 7:30. All teens welcome! Bring a friend!

Need service hours? The Knights always could use help setting up and serving! Contact Denise if you can help!

*You're braver than you
believe, and stronger than
you seem, and smarter than
you think.*

-Christopher Robin To Pooh

