



St. Catherine Labouré VENTURE Youth Group
Middle School | High School
110 Bray Avenue
Middletown, NJ 07748

2019-2020 REGISTRATION FORM

Complete this form to register for the VENTURE 2019-2020 Year! One form is required for each Member being registered. We need some pertinent information so that we can keep you informed of all the exciting events we have planned for this upcoming year! Please submit this application and you're all set! Questions? No Problem, just send an e-mail to leader@youth-groupstcath.com or text 732-419-8298.

VENTURE *MEMBER (MEMBER) INFORMATION*

Member Name: _____ Preferred Name (if different): _____

Member Birth Date: ___/___/___ Member E-mail: _____

Member Phone Number: _____ Text Updates (circle) Yes / No

Member School & Grade: _____

Member Address: _____

Where did you hear about us (circle all)?

Friend or current member | Facebook | Instagram | Parish Bulletin | Previous Member

PARENT CONTACT INFORMATION

Parent #1 Name: _____ Parent #1 E-mail: _____

Parent #1 Phone Number: _____ Text Updates (circle) Yes / No

Parent #2 Name: _____ Parent #1 E-mail: _____

Parent #2 Phone Number: _____ Text Updates (circle) Yes / No

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

In the event of an emergency and we are unable to contact a parent, please list 2 additional adults who may be contacted.

Emergency Contact #1 Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact #2 Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

MEMBERSHIP RULES

Please Check this Box Below after reading with your YG Member and agreeing to the following statement

___ I (YG Member) agree to always remain with our group during meetings, events, fundraisers, or other. If I am leaving for any reason, I will let a leader know. I am never to go off alone or with another YG Member in any area of the School or Property I am not permitted.

Please Check this box after reviewing our Condensed Code of Conduct with your YG Member Below

___ YG Member and Parent have read, understood, and accepted the CONDENSED CODE OF CONDUCT below, and understand the YG Member and Parent must still sign a copy of the COMPLETE CODE OF CONDUCT

CONDENSED CODE OF CONDUCT

WE ARE BUILT ON RESPECT We expect 3 key areas of respect from our YG Members and Leaders.

- 1.) Respect Yourself (EVERY PERSON deserved to be respected. Start with yourself)
- 2.) Respect Others (Respect their ears, their eyes, their being. Think before speaking...Is it TRUTHFUL, Is it HURTFUL, Is it NECESSARY???)
- 3.) Respect Property (Yours, Ours, & Others...this means CLEANING UP AFTER YOURSELF...throw our your trash!)

THERE IS NO PURPLE /PDA Pink+Blue=Purple. It has been a long-standing motto within the former CYO and the current YG Leadership that There is NO PURPLE/PDA. We do not condone romantic relationships between teens. Our group maintains the philosophy that social relationships formed and maintained during our weekly meetings will end at that...social. We will not allow Public Displays of Affection (PDA) during our events and meetings, including, but not limited to, romantic hugging, kissing, cuddling or touching. If you have a girlfriend/boyfriend, considering yourself "just friends" during our group activities. Socialize with others and then re-engage your boyfriend/girlfriend status after our amazing YG events if desired and permitted by your parents/guardians.

NO-TOLERANCE on issues including alcohol, drugs, weapons, violence, sexual misconduct, discrimination, bullying..these are NEVER to be part of our group.

CONFLICT RESOLUTION The Youth Group believes strongly in dealing with conflict in a Christian manner based on Matthew 5:23-25, which tells us to handle matters quickly and directly with the person in question. If a parent or guardian has an issue with another YG Member, or if two members are having difficult times, parents are asked to speak to the youth group director who will then arrange for parents to speak to parents to solve the matter at hand. A parent with an issue in the group should never approach a minor youth group member without first going to the youth group director who will then advise and arrange for parents to speak to parents not children.

DRAMA-FREE ZONE Your Leaders are ALL VOLUNTEERS. We ask all YG Members to realize that and understand that we like to keep drama to a minimum. If you have an issue with another member, keep it out of the group and go back to rule #1...RESPECT...regardless of what your feelings are.

The above is a condensed Code of Conduct, the Full Code of Conduct will be sent home for both YG Members and their parents to sign and return within 2 meetings.

IT TAKES A VILLAGE

We are a Team who works together to create a fun, safe, motivational, faithful, and social environment for our Members. We are asking you to let us know how you might be able to help. This does not commit you to anything, just gives us the opportunity to reach out when we are scheduling or in need. It takes a village to raise our future generation, and we are villagers...are you?

YG Member: _____

Our family can help by

- Being a Carpool Driver
- Providing Snacks and/or Drinks on occasion
- Special Event Setup/Cleanup
- Assist during Retreats or other YG Events
- Paperwork Coordinator / Permission Slip Liaison

YG Member is interested in (Check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Team Leadership Board | <input type="checkbox"/> Bake Sales | <input type="checkbox"/> Car Wash |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Christmas Caroling | <input type="checkbox"/> Bible Study | <input type="checkbox"/> Movie Nights |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Living Stations of the Cross | <input type="checkbox"/> Living Nativity | <input type="checkbox"/> Beach Nights |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Faith on Friday Events & Gym | <input type="checkbox"/> Basketball | <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Skating | <input type="checkbox"/> Paintball | <input type="checkbox"/> Bonfire Nights |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single Day Retreats | <input type="checkbox"/> Karaoke | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Trips |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Camp Veritas Week Long Retreats | <input type="checkbox"/> Fearless Ministry Weekend Retreats | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service Projects (Soup Kitchen, Food Pantry, Food Bank or similar) | | |

Once you submit your completed application, you are all set! If we require any additional information, we will contact you. You will be required to submit a signed copy of the Emergency Medical & Release Form for our Group.

Thank you!