

# Youth Day

## TO HELP PREPARE FOR THE DAY

The Readings for Youth Day 2010 are  
Exodus 32:7-14 and John 5:31-47

### I'M JUST SAYIN'...

Our theme for Youth Day can seem a little bizarre at first glance, but after reflecting on the readings for the day it makes perfect sense. In our first reading Moses pleads with God to not punish the people that have been brought out of Egypt. Moses emphasizes that God's actions will be remembered as either harsh or kind, and it is as if the prophet is remarking, "I'm just saying you might want to be remembered as a God that is kind!" The Gospel for the day emphasizes a similar call to action from Jesus as he reminds the people that there have been many signs that have testified to God's love, but they have chosen to not believe. Jesus encourages them by implying, "I'm just saying you might want to follow the signs that lead to God and stay away from the ones that lead you astray."

Throughout our lives we are gently reminded by God in similar ways when we make decisions. It's important to realize we have free will, but we can always sense God's encouraging words, "I'm just saying you might want to choose life ... to choose love ... to trust me ... to make healthy decisions ... to be happy." Whether we listen to God's encouragement or not is up to us, but God's loving support remains around us no matter what we do.

Finally, we are each called to be that same gentle voice for others. We can encourage friends, family members, and even strangers by using our theme as a tool for evangelization and catechesis. It's as easy as remembering, "I'm just saying that God loves you" when dealing with ourselves and with others. Our theme empowers us to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with the rest of the world and that's exactly what Youth Day is all about!

### ADULT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Religious Education Congress staff would like to invite any adult who is not chaperoning a group from a parish or school to be a volunteer for Youth Day. Youth Day volunteers are assigned to a variety of positions throughout the day. To volunteer for Youth Day 2010 an adult needs to have been trained in accordance with their Diocesan Youth Protection Program and have had the appropriate diocesan required background check. For more information about volunteering or to submit your name to be part of our day please contact Erin Avila by email at [emavila@sbcglobal.net](mailto:emavila@sbcglobal.net), by cell phone at (559) 259-8232 or toll free at (800) 453-8945. This is a great way to experience Youth Day without the duties of being a chaperone. Come join us!



### YOUTH DAY REGISTRATION:

All high school students (9th-12th grades ONLY) are invited to register for Youth Day. Students must register with an adult Chaperone who will be attending with them. Two adult Chaperones must accompany the first group of 1-10 youth and then one adult with each additional group of 10 youth. Chaperones must stay with their group throughout the entire day. Each group chooses which workshops they would like to attend. Make a first, second and third choice from the following 14 workshops. Please note that four workshops (clearly marked in **bold**) are not repeated – two in the Arena and two in Hall B. All other workshops are offered twice: once in the morning and once in the afternoon. We try to accommodate first choices for workshops, but sometimes they fill up and we must move you to your second or third choice.

NOTE: YOUTH DAY OFTEN FILLS UP BEFORE THE FEBRUARY 5th FEE INCREASE!

There is a limit to the number of people we can register. If Youth Day fills to capacity before the February 25, 2010 deadline, we will close the day and return your registration. Please try to register as soon as possible. There are no exceptions.

## A MESSAGE FROM THE ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR



Dear Friends,

On behalf of the Youth Day Coordinating Team it is my honor to welcome you and the young people in your ministry to Youth Day 2010.



This exciting event begins our annual Religious Education Congress and welcomes over 15,000 high school students and their chaperones to the Anaheim Convention Center. This is a wonderful day of energetic workshops, great music, good friends, and Spirit-filled Eucharistic celebrations. Youth Day is an opportunity for young people to experience the love of God through the larger Church community and to be empowered for their journey of faith. Thank you very much for your willingness to share this opportunity with those in your ministry. The Youth Day Coordinating Team is working hard to create a day that will compliment the work done in your parish or school. Please take time to look at the readings of the day and the theme reflection we have offered. It will be a great tool to assist you in preparing your group for our event.

We look forward to celebrating God's

abundant love at Youth Day 2010!

Mike Norman  
Associate Director  
Office of Religious Education

## COLLECTION FOR LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

In an effort to enhance the work of the Office of Religious Education in developing youth leaders across the archdiocese and to support the outreach of the Catholic Youth Foundation USA, there will be a collection during liturgies at Youth Day. Catholic Youth Foundation USA serves the National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry by providing financial resources at the local, diocesan, regional and national levels to promote effective and innovative ministry with adolescents in order to assure a faithful future. We ask that you share this information with young people and adults coming to Youth Day and emphasize how their contribution can continue the formation and education of others. Thank you in advance for your support!

## YOUTH DAY SCHEDULE

### 8:30 AM – OPENING EVENTS

Youth Day begins with two wonderful Opening Events: In the Arena we will have the inspirational music of John Angotti and will be empowered to enter the day with open minds and open hearts by our youth MCs. Our second opening this year will take place in Hall B and we welcome Jacob and Matthew with their music to get us going. Young people from across the Archdiocese will be on hand in both rooms to lead us in prayer and help begin our day.

### 9:45 AM – MORNING WORKSHOPS

Immediately following our Opening Events, participants will be able to attend one of the 14 workshops (listed on the following pages) that will inspire and challenge them in new ways! We suggest that you share the list of speakers with your young people and allow them to choose (in groups of 10 with a chaperone) those topics that interest them. PLEASE note that all workshops are repeated for both sessions EXCEPT the workshops in the **Arena** and **Hall B**.

### 11:00 AM – EUCHARISTIC LITURGIES

Our day continues with Spirit-filled Liturgies in three different rooms. Cardinal Roger Mahony will be celebrating with us in the Arena, with music provided by youth from across the Archdiocese and beyond, under the direction of Ed Archer of St. Monica Parish in Santa Monica. Our second liturgy will take place in Hall B and will feature Fr. Tony Ricard as presider and the music of Jacob and Matthew. The Grand Ballroom Liturgy (on the third floor) will have Fr. Mark Strader as celebrant and will feature music under the direction of John Vasellina of St. Raphael Parish in Goleta.

### 12:15 PM – LUNCH

Following our Eucharistic celebrations we invite your group to enjoy lunch and make new friends, along with spending time with old friends.

### 1:30 PM – AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS

The workshops in the afternoon are a second chance to hear some of the best speakers from across the nation. Most of these are repeated workshops from the morning session (except the ones in the **Arena** and **Hall B**).

### 2:45 PM – CLOSING RALLIES

Youth Day 2010 ends with two energetic Closing Rallies, one in the Arena and one in Hall B. These powerful events help us to close our day with music, inspirational stories and prayer – all offered by speakers and artists from our day, as well as young people from across the Archdiocese. Come be renewed in your faith journey as we are dismissed to return to our parish and school communities.

### 3:30 PM – YOUTH DAY CLOSING

Our day will end at 3:30pm, at the end of our Closing Rallies.





## REGISTER FOR YOUTH DAY ONLINE!

New this year, you can register online for Youth Day and pay by credit card. Visa, MasterCard or American Express are accepted. Links and information at [www.RECongress.org/YD](http://www.RECongress.org/YD). There is a limited number of people we can register; please register as soon as possible.

## A WHO DO YOU WANT TO BE RIGHT NOW?

Our “calling” is not just about who we are to become, the job we are going to have someday, if we are going to be married, or if we are going to become a priest, brother or sister. We are called to be the light of Christ in every choice we make and how we interact with our friends and family. Join Gene and Brad as they explore (in only the way they can) what it means to understand that we are gifted and called to use those gifts in our everyday life. (**Afternoon Hall B session only.**)



### APeX Ministries

*APeX Ministries – aka Gene Monterastelli and Brad Farmer – is a nationally known comedy duo. They travel North America using a style they define as “Christian Vaudeville.” This includes death-defying juggling, humor, sketch comedy, storytelling, audience participation and personal testimony. They have been throwing things at each other (professionally) since 1996. Gene one day hopes to compete in the Olympics in synchronized swimming. Brad is very strong!*

## B ONE LOVE, ONE WORLD ... LET'S REALLY GET TOGETHER AND BE ALL RIGHT!

God invites us to live in right relationship with each other ... as *one human family*. Honestly admitting and living that reality is more challenging than what we may perceive. Join staff from Catholic Relief Services (CRS) in exploring God’s call to live and love as one world. Meet and listen to Thomas Awiapo as he shares his story of survival and success while growing up in Ghana, West Africa. Through his presence and personal story of hunger and hope, he brings to life God’s invitation to live as one human family.



### Thomas Awiapo

*Orphaned before the age of 10, Thomas Awiapo survived bleak poverty and hunger in his small African village. His search for food led him to school at age 12 where he eventually won scholarships to attend college and later earned a master’s degree from California State University, Hayward. Awiapo is currently the Global Solidarity Coordinator with*

*Catholic Relief Services, Ghana, West Africa, and participates in speaking tours and hosting delegations in Ghana.*



### Ted Miles

*After serving two years in Belize and Guatemala, Central America 20 years ago, Baltimore native Ted Miles worked in parish ministry, Catholic high school education and archdiocesan leadership development. Since 2005, he has worked for Catholic Relief Services as the Relationship Manager for Religious Education and coordinator*

*of the agency’s youth outreach in the United States. Miles has presented at numerous regional and national conferences.*

## ATTENTION GROUP LEADERS:

### Order Your Official Youth Day T-Shirts

T-shirts for Youth Day 2010 are available for pre-order. Orders with payment must be received by February 26, 2010 and will be available for pick-up starting at 8 a.m. on Youth Day at the Seraph7 booth in the Grand Arena Lobby (south side) of the Convention Center Arena.

Customize your Youth Day shirt with your youth group/parish name on the back for just an additional \$5 per shirt.

### Special Discount Pricing for Pre-Orders:

T-shirts: \$15, Sweatshirts: \$37  
Adult sizes: S, M, L, XL, 2XL

On Youth Day, shirts will be \$18, Sweatshirts: \$40  
Youth sizes, 3X, and sweatshirts are also available in limited supply.

Please pre-order to ensure you get yours!

Place your order online at [www.Seraph7.com](http://www.Seraph7.com).



## C TEARS IN HEAVEN: COPING WITH HARD TIMES

Losses happen because of illnesses, changes in relationships, a family change or a death, etc. Participants will hear stories about teens who have experienced loss and learned to cope with the changes in life that loss brings. Everyone should come willing to share briefly (2 minutes) a loss they have experienced and who helped them cope with the loss.



**Dr. Carole Goodwin**

*For nearly 30 years, Dr. Carole Goodwin has served in parish, teaching and diocesan ministry. She is presently Director of Youth and Young Adult Ministry for the Archdiocese of Louisville, Ky. For the past 25 years she has focused on ministry to teens and the adults who accompany young people on their journey. She has presented at the L.A. Congress (for 10 years), has presented at youth ministry conferences (for over 15 years), and has presented at National Youth Ministry Conferences (for over 10 years).*

## D SCRIPTURE: IN THE WORD WE LIVE AND MOVE AND HAVE OUR BEING

What are the many different ways we can encounter the Word of God each day? Come and experience ValLimar and Frank Jansen as they present Scripture through proclamation, poetry, song, story, dance and more! Amp up your passion for our faith and your thirst for the Holy Word of God. Learn a variety of ways to “hide the Word” in your heart, for “out of the fullness of the heart, the mouth speaks” (Mt 12:34).



**ValLimar & Frank Jansen**

*ValLimar Jansen is a well-known singer, composer and recording artist. She is also an experienced college professor, a leader of worship and prayer and a workshop presenter at conferences across the United States and abroad. Frank Jansen has been a professional musician for over 30 years. He is a highly regarded pianist as well as composer/arranger in both live and studio settings. This award-winning couple has performed together at countless events and concerts, and has their own CDs.*

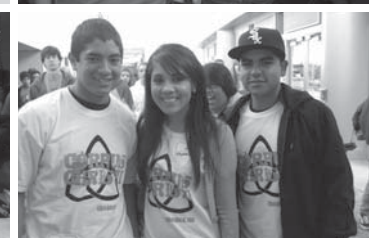
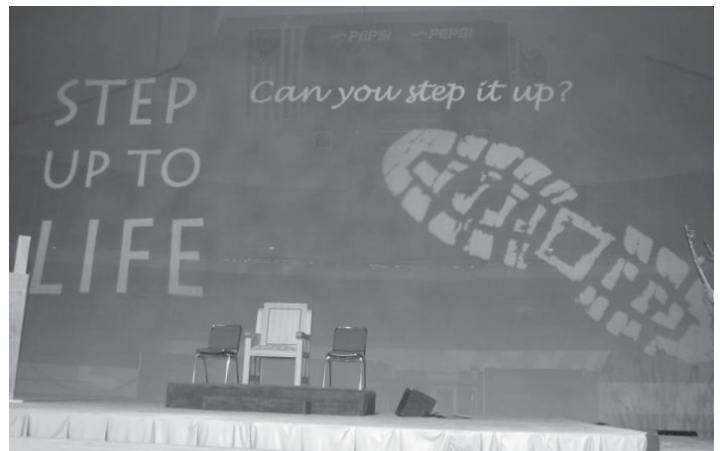
## E DISCIPLESHIP ... IT'S ABOUT EVERYDAY PEOPLE

Discipleship is not about fame and glory; it's about faithfulness. Explore the numerous possibilities for your life in being faithful to God's call. Discover the “Incredible Abundance” God will shower upon you as you live each day in faithfulness. You can do anything! You can live the dream! Now is the time to “just do it.”



**Colette A. Kennett**

*Colette Kennett is Director of Youth Ministry for the Diocese of Belleville, Ill, where she has been employed in professional youth ministry for over 30 years. Kennett has been a keynote or presenter at numerous diocesan events and many national youth conferences, including four World Youth Day events. Recently she was invited by the St. Louis Cardinals to participate in their on-field ceremonies for the 2009 All Star Game in St. Louis.*



## H FAITH BEYOND CONFIRMATION

Confirmation ... not graduation from faith, not a rite of passage, and definitely way more than a ritual event! Welcome to the deeper waters of life and faith. No more dipping into the holy water, but rather a powerful plunge and deliberate dive into the life of Christ – welcome to the crazy adventures of loving service, sacrifice and celebration. Not for the faint of heart! Life is difficult and faith is thriving in the middle of it all! (**Afternoon Arena session only.**)



**Jesse Manibusan**

Self-labeled “Catholic Lay Evangelizer and Undercover Catechist” Jesse Manibusan is co-founder of 2 by 2 Ministries. With experience as music minister, catechist and youth worker, he travels throughout the United States, Canada and beyond, with numerous appearances at the L.A. Congress, four World Youth Days (Denver, Toronto, Cologne and Sydney), and various parish missions, Catholic schools and diocesan events. Manibusan also has recorded several CDs.

## K LIVING IN BALANCE

Being a saint at your youth group, then going home and fighting with your loved ones is not what it’s all about. Come explore real Catholicism with a real Catholic comedian.



**Judy McDonald**

Judy McDonald has been a professional comedian for the past 15 years and a Catholic all her life. She has been funny on TV, on military bases, conferences, comedy clubs and parishes all over America and in Europe. McDonald has performed comedy and spoke in Ireland, Germany, Belgium, Italy as well as countless universities, parishes and dioceses. Her professional comedic experience includes an appearance on “The Dennis Miller Show” and opening for comedians Paula Poundstone, Mark Curry and Dat Phan.

## L ROSARY RAP: TRADITIONAL PRAYER WITH HIP HOP FLAVOR

Rosary Rap builds a bridge between hip-hop culture and traditional prayer. This workshop aims to inspire new forms of prayer especially through rap music. The guided meditation of Rosary Rap allows the listener to go deeper into the complete mysteries of the rosary. Through stimulating sounds, soothing beats and moving lyrics, Rosary Rap has become a revolutionary form of prayer for youth across the world! Come on out ... learn to rap the rosary, and “bob” your head with Jesus and his Blessed Mother!



**Joe Melendrez**

Joe Melendrez is Pastoral Associate/Religion Teacher at Chaminade College Preparatory for both the Middle School and High School campuses in Southern California. The hip-hop artist, graduate of the University of Dayton, Ohio, earned the nickname, “Chipotle Joe,” by using contest winnings of over a 1,000 burritos to feed the homeless in the greater Dayton community. He has spoken to confirmation and retreat groups, Rotary clubs as well as presented at Theology on Tap.

## M DO YOU HAVE THE NETWORK BEHIND YOU?

Twitter. Facebook. Skype. Messenger Live. MySpace. All of these are ways to stay connected. But when it comes to *faith*, who are you connected to? And *how* do you stay connected?



**Mike Patin**

Mike Patin is a “faith horticulturist” who lives in Lafayette, La. He spent six years as a high school teacher and coach, and has worked in youth ministry since 1990. Patin now travels around the country speaking to more than 800 teen and adult groups in over 80 dioceses. He continues to lead youth and adult retreats, parish missions and leadership institutes.

## P DEALING WITH PEER PRESSURE – OR – IF EVERYONE JUMPED OFF A BRIDGE ... GERONIMO!!

If everyone jumped off a bridge, would you? Well, depends on what was under the bridge. This session will teach you how to know if your friends are building you up or tearing you down and what to do about it. With special guest appearance by “Kazoo Boy,” the peer-pressure ninja.



**Popple**

Dan Harms (left) and Kyle Heimann together have formed the band, Popple, a Catholic, two-man “acoustic, humor, rock” ministry that evangelizes youth and young adults through inspirational talks and high-energy concerts. The duo has appeared at camps, retreats, rallies, concerts and many parish and diocesan events, including the National Catholic Youth Conference, and the National Conference on Catholic Youth Ministry. Popple has produced three CDs.

## S OH FREEDOM: THE CONFIRMATION EXODUS

African-American slaves once sang about freedom: freedom from the bondage of slavery, freedom from spiritual oppression, freedom from the sins of this world. Many modern-day young people between the ages of 13 and 21, also long for freedom: freedom from the bonds of their parents homes, freedom from the confines of religious education programs, freedom from the long sermons of their priests. Well, just as the Emancipation Proclamation put the African-American slaves on the pathway to freedom, it seems that the sacrament of confirmation puts the teenager on a similar path. This workshop will focus on life after confirmation – a time of true freedom! (**Morning Hall B session only.**)



**Rev. R. Tony Ricard, MTh, MDiv**

Fr. Tony Ricard, a priest of the New Orleans Archdiocese, currently serves as Pastor of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish in New Orleans and as one of the Core Instructors for Church Doctrine at Xavier University’s Institute for Black Catholic Studies. Fr. Ricard is also Director of Knight Time Ministries and Chief Editor for Two Knights Publishing Co. He is author of “I Still Believe: A Testimony of Faith After The Storm” and “Don’t Be Stupid! Lessons You Should Already Know.”



## T THIS AIN'T YO MAMA'S VOCATION!

For most of our life, faith has been placed in the hands of our parents and guardians. At what point does my faith become my responsibility? How do I even begin to own my faith? Where will it lead me? Join these young seminarians as they tackle these questions in this Spirit-led, interactive and inspirational multimedia presentation that will discuss the importance of forming a life of faith and will provide practical applications to discerning God's will. Now is the time to let go of our doubts and fears and grab hold of that Catholic identity which Christ challenges each of us to embrace!



Clockwise, from top: Raymond Marquez, Jonathon Meyer, Christopher Felix, Michael Pericho, Tam Nguyen, Juan Cano, Andrew Chung, and Raymont Medina.

### Seminarians of the Los Angeles Archdiocese

The seminarians presenting at Youth Day currently attend St. John's Seminary in Camarillo, Calif. Combined, the group represents 50 years in youth ministry. Christopher Felix (one of the primary presenters) has ministered extensively to youth through evangelization outreach for the last five years; Jonathon Meyer has been involved in youth ministry for over seven years and has given talks to high school students in several states throughout the country. They are both in their second year of formation at St. John's and received their bachelor's degrees in 2008.

## X WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME? THE REASONS SERVICE IS IMPORTANT IN REAL LIFE

Want to know why service is important? In addition to understanding the Church's standpoint, this interactive workshop will explore the impact of service on you. We'll look at why service is important, why volunteering is good, and why it's good for you. You may be surprised to see how far-reaching the service and volunteering you are doing now can be!



### Vikki Shepp

As Director of Volunteer Services for the Girl Scout Council of Orange County in California, Vikki Shepp works with a volunteer group that is 5,000 strong. Additionally, as a ministry consultant, she has been involved in many aspects of ministry with volunteers, staff, youth and diocesan leaders. Shepp has spoken at diocesan events and national conferences, including the L.A. Congress and World Youth Day, Toronto in 2002.



## Z PURE SEX: LIVING THE THEOLOGY OF THE BODY

God calls us all to be *pure*. Sex is an amazing gift from God! Pope Benedict confirmed that sexual love in God's plan is so glorious that it is meant to provide a small foretaste of the eternal joys that await us in heaven. But beware the counterfeits. "An intoxicated and undisciplined eros," as the Holy Father observes, "is not an ascent in 'ecstasy' toward the Divine, but a fall, a degradation of man." We will look at the plan of God for sex and marriage, and the damage that can be done when we choose to do it our way! (**Morning Arena session only.**)



### Pam Stenzel

For years, Pam Stenzel was on the "front lines" as Director of Alpha Women's Center, until her appearance requests were so numerous that she became a full-time speaker. Since then, as founder of Enlighten Communications, she has presented abstinence assemblies to private, parochial and public schools around the world. Stenzel, with five videos in 11 languages, now travels both domestically and internationally. She has also made guest appearances on numerous national TV and radio programs.

## WHO MAY ATTEND?

All students from public and Catholic high schools, grades 9 through 12, are invited to our annual YOUTH DAY on Thursday of the Congress weekend. STUDENTS BELOW THE 9th GRADE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS EVENT AND WILL BE REFUSED ADMISSION.

## WHAT IS THE COST?

Registration to attend Youth Day is \$20 per person. After February 5, 2010, fees increase to \$25 per person.

## CHAPERONES & CONTACT PERSON

For each group of up to 10 students, there must be one Adult Chaperone. However, there must be two Chaperones listed in your first group registration. Groups must stay together throughout the day, all attending the same workshops. Students are not to be dropped off at the Convention Center without a Chaperone.

The **Adult Chaperone** should be at least 21 years of age and must stay with and supervise his or her group throughout all of Youth Day. Chaperones should participate in the events of the day – youth find it more difficult to participate if the adults are off to the side. Understanding that it is often difficult to sit together as a large group, we ask that Chaperones divide up and stay with those they brought.

The **Contact Person** is responsible for providing the Adult Chaperone with all the necessary forms and emergency information for each student in the group. All Youth Day tickets will be mailed to the Contact Person. The Contact Person may also be one of the group Chaperones or registrants.

It is the responsibility of the **Contact Person** to make sure that ALL Chaperones have been trained in accordance with their Diocesan Youth Protection Program and the appropriate diocesan-required background check has been completed. Please contact your Diocesan Youth Ministry Team for fulfilling this requirement.

## HOW DO WE REGISTER?

Registrations can be made by mailing in the Youth Day Registration Form along with a check for the proper amount. A maximum of 10 students and one Chaperone can register per form. There must be two Chaperones listed in your first group registration. Forms and information are available online at [www.RECongress.org/YD](http://www.RECongress.org/YD).

## REGISTRATION DEADLINE

We recommend that you register early. Once Youth Day fills to capacity, it is CLOSED to further registrations. This sometimes happens BEFORE THE REGISTRATION FEE INCREASE ON FEBRUARY 5, 2010. If we receive your registration after Youth Day has closed, it will be returned to you. SORRY, THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS GUIDELINE.

## TICKETS AND NAME TAGS

Each ticket must be issued to a specific person. Registrations will NOT be processed if only one person's name is used in all the spaces on the form. In order to gain admission into the Convention Center, each person must have tickets and be wearing the official Youth Day name tag. If needed, you may substitute people. We will not be able to print out new name tags or workshop tickets.

Due to the large number of people who attend and unpredictable weather, we strongly encourage that **tickets and name tags be passed out before you leave your parish or school or before leaving the bus**. Those who become separated from their group are not allowed entry to workshops or the Arena. Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Tickets will be mailed after **February 10, 2010**, to the Contact Person. Please check your packet to verify that each Chaperone and each student has his or her own tickets.

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

1. The Youth Day Registration Form is provided on the next page. Please feel free to duplicate the form.
2. No more than 10 students with one Chaperone can register per form, with the group attending all the same workshops. The first group must include two Chaperones. PLEASE do not register more people on the form than will be attending.
3. Once registration has been sent in, additional students CANNOT be added. To add students, a new form (with another paid Chaperone) must be filled out and sent in.
4. All youth need to remain with their Chaperones throughout Youth Day. No one can be dropped off at the Convention Center without an Adult Chaperone.
5. Remember to list the name of the Contact Person on each form used and indicate if he/she will attend. If the Contact Person plans to attend, his/her name **MUST appear again as a Chaperone or registrant**.
6. Indicate your choice of workshops and send the form(s) with the total fee of \$20 per person (U.S. dollars only) postmarked by February 5, 2010 to: LOS ANGELES RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONGRESS, PO BOX 76955, LOS ANGELES, CA 90076-0955.  
Make checks payable to: Religious Education Congress.  
Total fees must accompany registration form. All incomplete registrations will be mailed back. We cannot accept registration forms by phone or fax.
7. See [www.RECongress.org/YD](http://www.RECongress.org/YD) for online registration info.
8. After February 5, 2010 (postmarked), the Youth Day Registration fee will be \$25 per person.
9. Refunds must be requested in writing by February 5, 2010. There are NO REFUNDS after that date. There will be a \$10 per person refund processing fee.
10. THERE IS NO REGISTRATION ON YOUTH DAY.
11. Questions? Call (213) 637-7348 or (213) 637-7346.

## WORKSHOP REGISTRATION & ASSIGNMENT

Print the letter of your first-, second- and third-choice workshops plainly on the spaces provided. All workshops are repeated in the afternoon session, unless otherwise noted.

**WORKSHOP ASSIGNMENT:** Our registration computer will assign your first choice for the morning session and your second choice for the afternoon. If your first choice is full, then the computer will assign your second choice first and your first choice second. The third is when the first and second choices are full.

## FOOD SERVICES

During the brief, scheduled lunchtime, there will be food concessions at the Convention Center. Lines are always long, so you may prefer to have your group bring lunches. You can bring ice chests and other supplies in your vehicles (**to be brought in at lunchtime only**). We ask that you not use the nearby restaurants.

**NOW**  
REGISTER ONLINE  
BY CREDIT CARD  
RECongress.org/YD

# YOUTH DAY REGISTRATION FORM

THURSDAY, MARCH 18, 2010 – 8:30 am - 3:30 pm

ARCHDIOCESE OF LOS ANGELES – OFFICE OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

THERE IS NO REGISTRATION ON YOUTH DAY

1. A maximum of 10 students per form can be registered **with each paid Adult Chaperone** – all attending the same workshops.
2. Once the Registration Form has been mailed in, additional students cannot be added to it. Additional students require a new form AND another **paid Chaperone**.
3. YOUTH DAY FEE: \$20 per person (U.S. dollars only). After February 5, 2010 fee increases to \$25 per person.
4. NOTE: YOUTH DAY USUALLY FILLS TO CAPACITY AND CLOSES BEFORE THE DEADLINE DATE. Youth Day Registration deadline is February 25, 2010. All registrations received after this date – **or after Youth Day fills to capacity** – will be returned.
5. Mail checks payable to: **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CONGRESS**, PO Box 76955, Los Angeles, CA 90076-0955.
6. Total payment **must accompany this form**.
7. Tickets will be mailed after **February 10, 2010**. Please check your packet when you receive it, verifying that each Adult Chaperone and each student has his or her own tickets. Students must remain with their Adult Chaperones throughout the day.
8. Refunds must be requested in writing before February 5, 2010. Note: There is a \$10 **per person** refund processing fee.
9. REGISTRATION QUESTIONS? CALL (213) 637-7348 or (213) 637-7346.

**PLEASE PRINT. INCOMPLETE FORMS WILL BE RETURNED.**

Diocese \_\_\_\_\_

Parish \_\_\_\_\_

School/Org. \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

– For Office Use Only –	
Stamp Number	_____
Date Received	_____
Total Registrants	_____
Check Number	_____
Total Amount	_____

**CONTACT PERSON** (If attending, please also include your name below as Chaperone or Registrant, whichever is applicable.)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Day Phone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Eve. Phone ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**SERVICES** • Will anyone in your group require special services?  Sign Interpreter  Oral Interpreter  Deaf-Blind Interpreter  
 Assistive Listening Devices (ALDs) • Name of student/adult requiring assistance \_\_\_\_\_

**ADULT CHAPERONE**

	\$20	\$25
First Name _____ Last Name _____	<b>By Feb. 5</b>	<b>After Feb. 5</b>
<b>REGISTRANTS (print clearly; check if Adult)</b>		
Adult? <input type="checkbox"/> First Name _____ Last Name _____	<b>\$40</b>	<b>\$50</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$60</b>	<b>\$75</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$80</b>	<b>\$100</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$100</b>	<b>\$125</b>
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$140</b>	<b>\$175</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$160</b>	<b>\$200</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$180</b>	<b>\$225</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$200</b>	<b>\$250</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>\$220</b>	<b>\$275</b>

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