



Diocese of Southeast Florida

Narrative of Youth and Young Adult Ministry Program Plan

All programs operate under the authority of the Diocesan Bishop

The Youth and Young Adult Ministry program of the Diocese of Southeast Florida is evolving and changing.

Deanery Plan

The Dean of each deanery is the supervisor and administrator for youth and young adult programs and events. It is suggested that each deanery appoint or elect a deanery coordinator.

Diocesan youth events are planned with the support of Mary Cobiella, the Diocesan Youth Coordinator and the members of the Youth Commission. Ms. Cobiella is also the contact person for the deanery coordinators.

Mandatory Requirements for Youth and Young Adult Coordinator

1. Safeguarding God's Children
2. Background Screening

*Recommended: Multicultural Training

Distribution of Funds

The funds that supported a diocesan staff position for Youth and Young Adult Ministry have been re-directed to the deanery level. These funds are to be used to plan, implement and fund youth and young adult events and programs. In order to obtain these funds, each deanery must submit a fund request form to the diocesan office.

After the form is received, reviewed and approved, a check will be issued to the deanery.

Accountability

It will be the responsibility of the Deanery Coordinator to submit a Post Event Profile within two weeks of the event. At the end of each year, the Dean or Coordinator must submit an End of the Year Report.

Diocesan Support and Resources

The Diocese will continue to coordinate diocesan, provincial and national information. Upon approval, the following will be provided:

- Deanery Responsibility List
- Pre-event check list
- Post Event Profile
- Post Event Profile – financial report
- Insurance procedures for events
- End of the Year report form
- Scholarship Request Form
- Holy Ground Covenant
- Medical Release Forms

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