

Holy Cross . . . a place where YOUth belong

Youth Ministry News

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Holy Cross Youth Ministry Commission is committed to empowering the youth of our parish by nurturing and affirming their gifts, talents and self-esteem.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

January Sessions

There are two Confirmation Sessions this month:

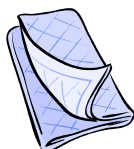


Sunday, January 10
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
and
Sunday, January 31
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

- Year 1 teens attend with parent
- Year 2 teens attend with sponsor or stand-in
- All teens bring their Confirmation journals

Meet in Parish Hall

Apostolic Service



Blanket and Poncho Drive

Help distribute blankets, or just bring some . . . Participate in this outreach for the poor and needy in our community.

Souper Bowl of Caring

Watch for information on a service blitz on February 6, 2010, as part of the Souper Bowl of Caring weekend. A collection for the Soup Kitchen and Holy Cross Food Pantry will be taken up at all Masses that weekend.



Remember . . . All Confirmation candidates are to be involved in at least three apostolic service activities: home, parish and community. Three reflection sheets are to be filled out and returned to the Confirmation coordinator each year. Additional sheets are available from Mary Sue.

Check out January Saints on the January calendar on the back of this page.

OTHER EVENTS

Nelson Gonzales Returns

Sunday, January 24
6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
Parish Hall



You won't want to miss internationally known Youth Ministry performer and workshop speaker, Nelson Gonzales, when he returns to Holy Cross for an evening of music, fun, and witness. Start off the New Year with a recharge to your spiritual life . . . Invite your friends ~ all teens are welcome.

LA Youth Day / Disneyland **March 17 -21, 2010**

Initial deposit of \$50 was due December 13.
Second payment of \$100 to confirm your space is due January 24.
Final balance is due February 21, 2010.
For more information call the Youth Ministry Office.

I'm just sayin'...

Super Bowl Sunday is February 7

Get ready for

Super Bowl Take 'n Bake Pizza Sales

- Order forms will be available at the January 10 Confirmation Session.
- Take orders from friends and family.
- We will be taking orders after Masses January 16 - 31.
- All pizza orders are due Jan 31.
- Sign up to help make pizzas the morning of February 7
- For each pizza you sell, you get \$10 in Youth Ministry Bucks which can be used to pay for LA Youth Day/Disneyland, Confirmation Retreats, and other youth ministry related fees or events.
- This is our only general fund-raisers for Youth Ministry activities.

