

▶ YouthServe Highlights

Service and Discipleship....

- Service as an integral part of Christian discipleship
- Exposure to Catholic social teaching

Active, Relational, and Experiential...

- Hands-on service involvement
- Creative learning activities
- Youth-friendly prayer experiences
- Supportive community life

What Youth are Saying

- Jesus doesn't like us judging people, he wants us to accept and help the poor. I thought "wow" there were some things I didn't know like the seven themes if Catholic social teaching.
- I've grown ten feet taller spiritually. I can make a big difference in other people's lives.
- I can be really caring and teach others. I'm cool and I care about other people more than myself. Sometimes I take things for granted.



YouthServe

Is a way to get involved in a creative approach to service and provides opportunities to impact the lives of others and understand the important justice issues in our Omaha community.



Why YouthServe?

YouthServe builds on young adolescents' capacity for service to others. Young people hunger for meaningful experiences in helping others.

YouthServe provides engaging learning activities based on the life of Jesus and Catholic Social teaching, and introduces adolescents to service as an integral part of Christian discipleship.



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Who is it for?

YouthServe is designed for teams of young adolescents going into 8th and 9th grades and their adult leaders from Catholic parishes. Only 8 youth and 2 adults from each parish may attend the weekend, so register early to guarantee your place.

What is it?

YouthServe offers an integrated approach to service learning from a Catholic perspective. A 3-day program, **YouthServe** assists young disciples in responding to their call to serve others by combining learning with hands-on experience at local work sites.



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**Sunday through Tuesday
June 27-29, 2010 or
July 11-13, 2010**

Accommodations:
St. Columbans Retreat House
In Bellevue, NE
Service Sites—Omaha area

▶ \$125 per person

For Youth Entering 8th & 9th Grade

Registration Form for **YouthServe**

A Young Adolescent Adventure in Christian Service.

I am registering for (pick one) June 27-29 or July 11-13

Participants Name _____ Phone _____
I will be in Grade 8 9 for the 2010/11 School Year (check one)

Parent Name(s) _____

Address _____

Parent's Email Address _____

If you are interested in attending YouthServe, fill out the above information and attach your \$125 registration (check payable to St. Wenceslaus Youth Ministry) to reserve your spot. Return this portion to the Youth Ministry Office by May 1 or as soon as possible to guarantee a place. Questions: 330-9620 or poulincc@stwenc.org