

Teen Summer Service Week 2019



Who: Teens from rising 9th graders through current 12th graders.

When: July 29 - August 2, 2019

Times: Mon - Thurs (8:15am - 4:30pm); Friday (7am - 10 pm at Hershey Park)

WHAT DOES THE DAY LOOK LIKE?

Each morning, we will meet at Our Lady of the Fields for morning mass, introduction activity, a faith talk, and announcements before going to the service sites. Since the program is limited to eight teens, we will all work at the same site. Each day the group will visit a different service site. The group will eat lunch together (bring a bagged lunch), discuss the morning's experiences, and then do a fun afternoon activity. The week concludes with a trip to Hershey Park on Friday.

WHAT TYPES OF SERVICE WILL MY CHILD DO?

A variety of service sites are arranged to allow your child to experience aspects of Catholic Social Teaching and the Corporal Works of Mercy. Sites might include senior centers, assisted living facilities, soup kitchens, homeless shelters, cemetery clean-up, environmental care, needed work at our parish, assisting independent seniors with care of their home, helping social agencies, etc. They may be working indoors and outside. Your child will visit a different site each day.

WHAT IS THE COST?

The \$150 fee covers all activities, two shirts, administrative costs, and admission to Hershey Park and lunch. You will need to pack a bagged lunch for Monday - Thursday and bring money for dinner and spending at Hershey Park.

For more information and registration details, please contact Kathleen at kath@olfparish.com or visit our website at www.olfparish.org

Parent Volunteers are also needed. Contact Kathleen at kath@olfparish.com for more information.

Middle School

SUMMER MADNESS



WHAT IS SUMMER MADNESS? The “mad” in Summer Madness is for [Make A Difference!](#)

Summer Madness is a joined effort with Our Lady of the Fields (Millersville), St. Joseph (Odenton), and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Crofton) parish youth ministries. OLF will be the “home base” for drop-off and pick-up each day. There are a limited number of slots available on a first come basis.

This is an awesome opportunity for current 6th-8th graders from the 2018-2019 year to do some community service, make new friends, and have fun! It’s all about giving middle schoolers a chance to **put their faith into action.** It is a service camp, but we have a lot of fun as well! Students that sign up should be willing to serve and do work in a variety of settings each morning. It is also a great way to earn service hours for school. Please note, there is limited space.



WHAT ARE THE DATES & TIMES?

August 12-15, 2019

8:00 am - 4:30 pm

August 16, 2019 (Hershey Park)

7:00 am - 8:00 pm

WHAT DO THE DAYS LOOK LIKE?

****NEW**** This year, **Monday** will be spent entirely at OLF. Monday morning will consist of icebreakers, catechesis, morning Mass, team building, an explanation of service in the Catholic Tradition, and instructions for the week. Monday will include an on-site service preparing bagged lunches for Lighthouse Shelter. In solidarity with those we serve, our Monday lunch will be the same bagged lunch we prepare. The day concludes with a fun activity in the afternoon. **Tuesday-Thursday** consists of warmers, prayer, a faith talk, and announcements before going to the service sites. Teens will work in groups of 5 or 6, depending on the site and transportation. Each day the groups visit a different service site. The groups gather back together for lunch (bring a bagged lunch Tues-Thurs), discuss the morning’s experiences, and then do a fun afternoon activity. The week concludes on **Friday** with a trip to Hershey Park.

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