

Saint Mary's Youth Group Fall 2024 Events & Activities

Events

PARISH FESTIVAL

CELEBRATING "THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY"

Saint Mary's Parish Festival

Saturday, September 14th from 5pm-9pm Outside & Hall

Our 4th annual Parish Festival is new and improved, but it cannot be done alone! The Youth Group has been asked to assist in leading different activities. Youth can help in one-hour shifts or longer.

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SERVICE SOCIAL

September Service Social

Sunday, September 29th Meet up at the 10:30am Mass, then 11:30am to 1:30pm Classroom 105/106

A clever way for service while hanging out with friends! Change can occur at the beginning of any school year, and it did for the Service Social. We'll now start by meeting up at the 10:30am Mass as a group, then go directly to the Hall for our event. Get to meet old and new friends while planning what we want to do for the rest of the year.



Boscov's Friends Helping Friends Table

Before/After 5pm & 10:30am Mass, October 12th, 13th, 19th & 20th Church

The Youth Group is here to help OUR Church! We will sell \$5 Boscov's shopping passes (good for up to 25% off a purchase) at Church. All pass proceeds go to Saint Mary's. Pass valid 10/22 at any store.

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October Service Social

Sunday, October 27th Meet up at the 10:30am Mass, 11:30am to 12:30pm in the Hall, then 12:30pm to 1:30pm at "The Residence" at 1979 Route 70 E, Cherry Hill

A clever way for service while hanging out with friends! We'll start by meeting up at the 10:30am Mass as a group, then go directly to the Hall for our social. At 12:30pm, we'll meet our senior friends at "The Residence" and work on a project with them. Carpool help is needed.

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November Service Social

Sunday, November 24th Meet up at the 10:30am Mass, then 11:30am to 1:30pm Hall

A clever way for service while hanging out with friends! We'll start by meeting up at the 10:30am Mass as a group, then go directly to the Hall for our social. This time, we'll make peanut butter and jelly sandwiches for Cathedral Kitchen, along with other items they may need.



The Christmas Shop Fundraiser Table

Before/After 5:00pm & 10:30am Mass, December 7th, 8th, 14th & 15th

Our Christmas store in the form of a table! We have small gifts, religious Christmas cards, sacramental gifts, festive shipping supplies, decorations and more. We will need Youth Group members to run the table before and after Mass so we can sell these items to fund our events.

Activities

Mass Ministries

Fr. Mike has called upon our group to help at Mass. There are plenty of opportunities, some of these things you do every day! Greeters (saying "hi"), lectors (reading aloud), altar servers (fetching items), cantors (singing) are all leaders in the Mass and comes naturally to many. Talk to Fr. Mike or Stanley to try one out.

Pollinator Garden

As the Season continues then comes to a close, gardeners are needed to take care of our garden located outside the Hall double door classroom exit. Watering, cutting and weeding are necessary for great garden looks, and it doesn't take too long. Talk to any of our adult volunteers or Stanley at sthompsoniii@aol.com to get started.

Social Media Post

We need a few good posts throughout the year, and YOU can make one! Take a photo of one of our activities, or make a graphic in PowerPoint, Canva, Paint, or any program of your choosing to promote the Youth Group on Saint Mary's social media. Send project to Stanley at sthompsoniii@aol.com