

Saint Michael Youth Ministry Registration

(Grades 9-12)

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_      Age: \_\_\_\_      Male/Female

Grade: \_\_\_\_      School: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_      Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_/\_\_/\_\_      Age: \_\_\_\_      Male/Female

Grade: \_\_\_\_      School: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_      Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE:

I agree to share my information with the Office of Faith Formation. I additionally grant permission for my son/daughter to participate in this parish Youth Ministry program. All Youth Ministry activities will take place under the guidance and direction of Parish employees and/or volunteers for Saint Michael Catholic Church who have undergone Safe Haven training and have been screened by the Diocese of Charleston's office of Safe Environment.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT:

As parent/legal guardian, I remain legally responsible for any personal actions taken by my son/daughter named above. I agree on behalf of myself, my son/daughter named herein, our heirs, successors, and assigns to hold harmless and defend Saint Michael Catholic Church, its officers, directors, agents, and the Diocese of Charleston from any liability for illness, injury or death arising from or in connection with my son's/daughter's attending Youth Ministry events, and I agree to compensate the parish, its officers, directors and agents, and the Diocese of Charleston, or representatives associated with the event for reasonable attorney's fees and expenses arising in connection therewith.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PERMISSION TO COMMUNICATE WITH STUDENT VIA TEXT/EMAIL:

Throughout the year the Office of Faith Formation may reach out to teens to extend personal invitations for them to return to youth group if they have been absent, to check in after prayer requests, to invite on retreats, etc. Communication with students will be done through Flocknote and/or group chat with the supervision of multiple Adult CORE Team Members, such as GroupMe or SMS. New policies from the Diocese of Charleston require written permission from a parent before contacting a student.

I grant permission to contact my student via text/email.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE:

Photos or Videos will periodically be taken at events. As parent/legal guardian, please choose whether or not you permit us to use photos for marketing and social media.

- I release any photos and/or videos of my child to be used for marketing and social media purposes.
- I do NOT release any photos and/or videos of my child to be used for marketing and social media purposes.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

RELEASE OF INFORMATION:

To the best of my knowledge, my child is in good health, and I assume all responsibilities for the health of my child. In the event of an emergency, I give permission to Saint Michael Catholic Church to transport my child to a hospital for emergency treatment. I wish to be advised prior to any further treatment by hospital or doctor.

I hereby grant medical personnel permission to release medical information to the Diocesan Director and/or the Parish employee/volunteer in the event that my child becomes ill or injured.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

CODE OF CONDUCT:

- Every youth must know the appropriate rules and behavior during any youth ministry activity. The Code of Conduct acknowledgment must be signed by both the youth and parent/guardian in order to attend youth group and or any activities.
- A parent consent liability waiver is required for any and all off-site or overnight youth activities.
- The purchase, possession, consumption or use of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs will not be tolerated. Anyone found in possession of these items will be sent home immediately, and the police will be notified.
- Any form of bullying will not be condoned or tolerated.
- Youth must be dropped off and picked up at appropriate times.
- Youth will not be allowed to have possession of or on their person any form of weapons (gun, knife, etc.). Persons carrying a weapon will be dismissed immediately to the custody of the police and the parents will be notified.
- No minors are permitted to drive from parish facilities to off-site, parish-sponsored youth events unless written permission is granted by the parents.
- Inappropriate behavior, including the use of offensive language and inappropriate attire, will not be tolerated. Inappropriate touching and kissing will not be tolerated.
- If youth violate the Code of Conduct, they may be asked to leave and risk not being allowed to come to future events.

Parent or Guardian, sign and date:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Student, sign and date:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_