

Holy Family Youth Ministry News

December 2009



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Upcoming Events

12/1	HS PREP
12/5	Adoration & Breakfast
12/8	Immaculate Conception (HDO) NO HS PREP
12/12	Holiday Hayride And Party
12/15	HS PREP
12/19	St. Ed's Lock In
12/25	No Meeting

Advent Adoration and Breakfast



Saturday, December 5. We will begin with 9:00 a.m. Mass followed by 9:30 Adoration. Then we will go to IHOP for breakfast. This is an easy way to do something special for your Advent preparations.

Free Breakfast for all Youth Group participants that attend both Mass and Adoration.

2nd Annual Youth Group Christmas Hay Ride Caroling and Holiday Party



Saturday, December 12th
6:00— 10:00 p.m.
Must RSVP by 12/10
Cost is \$5
Flyer on parish website



Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Tuesday, December 8, 2009 (holy day of obligation) Masses to be held on 12/7 at 7:30 p.m. and 12/8 at 8:00 a.m.

Parish Advent Reconciliation Service

Monday, December 14, 2009 7:30 pm

Do You Know the Word? We can help, join us for High School PREP

Tuesday Nights from 6:45 - 7:45 p.m.

To register, visit the parish webpage and click the link for Religious Education.

There is no cost for this program. All are welcome.

VENTURE PROGRAM

Calling all youth ages 14-20.

Are you looking to take part in high adventure activities like backpacking, kayaking, canoeing, shooting, archery, rappelling or climbing?

Then Crew 1249 in Bowie, MD is looking for you! Meetings are held the first Friday of each month at St. Matthew's Church in Bowie (next to Bowie HS) from 7:30 -9:00 p.m.

For more information, contact Howard Ettinger at theease@verizon.net

TEEN LOCK IN

At St. Edward's in Bowie, MD
December 19-20th.

All interested youth should contact Pam at 301-249-1167 or holyfamilyprep@msn.com

Our 2009-2010 Calendar is available on the parish website visit www.holyfamilywoodmore.com and click on the Youth ministry page

The Power of Prayer

Someone you know in need of prayer? Are you? This space is for your prayer requests. To include your "need" email me at holyfamilyprep@msn.com

Pray for:

- ✝ For teens that are on the streets and have no place to call home.
- ✝ For peace in the Middle East and around the world.
- ✝ Poor People everywhere
- ✝ For all who will travel for the holiday.
- ✝ That we share our abundance with those who have less
- ✝ For our parish - may it always be a place of welcome and support.
- ✝



In Memoriam

- Julia Rapczynski
- Joseph Harley (friend of Fr. Joe)
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December Birthdays

Sydni Williams	12/10
Alex Peltier	12/16
Kevin Kelleher	12/19
Kourtney Mayes	12/23

Christmas Prayer

God of love, Father of all, the darkness that covered the earth has given way to the bright dawn of your Word made flesh. Make us a people of this light. Make us faithful to your Word, that we may bring your life to the waiting world. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Have blessed Advent and Christmas everyone!

Interested in helping with the monthly newsletter?

Contact Pam at holyfamilyprep@msn.com