



2017-2018 MS Youth Ministry Events

Save These Dates!

Sept. 24 ~ 6th Grade Parent/New MS Crew Parent Meeting, 11:45am-12:15pm

Oct. 27-29 ~ Luke 18 Retreat (7th and 8th graders only)

Nov. 17 ~ Friday Night Alive (FNA), 5:30-8:30pm

Dec. 15-16 ~ Winterblast Lock-In

Jan. 19 ~ Friday Night Alive (FNA), 5:30-8:30pm

Feb. 23-24 ~ Genesis Retreat

Mar. 2 ~ Friday Night Alive (FNA), 5:30-8:30pm

Apr. 13 ~ Friday Night Alive (FNA), 5:30-8:30pm

May 11 ~ Friday Night Alive (FNA), 5:30-8:30pm

***Look for the MS Crew Summer Schedule in early Spring 2018. In the meantime, save the date for Extreme Faith Camp 2018, which is June 23-27! This is a week your middle schooler won't want to miss!*

What is the Luke 18 Retreat?

Luke 18 is a weekend-long retreat for 7 & 8 grade teens put on by dedicated, faithful high schoolers. The goal of this retreat is to empower middle schoolers to live as disciples of Jesus Christ today. How? No gimmicks, real faith sharing, fun talks, great small groups, authentic relationships and an entire weekend for middle schoolers!

What is Friday Night Alive (FNA)?

Similar to last year's "Fun Nights," FNA is an evening for middle schoolers to get to know each other through fun activities and to grow in their relationship with Christ through prayer and listening to relatable talks given by our high school core team.

What is Winterblast?

Winterblast is a lock-in for grades 6-8 that starts with Mass at St. Vincent de Paul and continues all night at the Maple Grove Community Center. Join nearly 1,000 other youth from Catholic parishes throughout the Archdiocese for swimming, ice skating, arcade, movies, inflatable games, Adoration and prayer rooms, sports, crafts and more!

What is the Genesis Retreat?

Genesis is a two-day retreat for grades 6-8 put on by dedicated, faithful high schoolers. The goal of this retreat is to empower middle schoolers to begin living as disciples of Jesus Christ today. How? Through faith sharing, fun talks, great small groups and authentic relationships.

Parents are always needed as chaperones! Contact Ashley if you are interested and available to help at any of these events: acermak@hnoj.org | 763-233-0251.