Growing in Ministry with Youth

Course:
Principles of
Youth Ministry
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Join us for the next Certificate in Youth Ministry Studies course to network with others working with adolescents, and learn the latest techniques and strategies needed for successful ministry. This course specifically addresses:

• A vision for comprehensive youth ministry.
• Resources of your community and how they can support and guide youth to discipleship.
• Creative models for effective and dynamic youth ministry.
• Renewing the Vision: A Framework for Catholic Youth Ministry (USCCB, 1997).

Date:       June 28-29, 2012 (Thu - Fri)
Thursday, 9am-6pm and Friday, 9am—4pm

Location:  Don Bosco Hall
1831 Arch Street
Berkeley, CA 94709

Instructor:
Cheryl M. Tholcke,
Coordinator of Youth Ministry
Services Project
Center for Ministry Development

Cost:        $250 Individual (tuition and course materials)
$500 Parish Team of up to three participants (includes only one set of books)
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- Planning in youth ministry by involving the whole community and utilizes everyone’s gifts.
- Working toward long-term goals that will build a strong ministry with youth.
- Planning seasons of ministry which engage youth and their families with the whole parish community.

Date: June 30 – July 1, 2012 (Sat – Sun)
Saturday, 9am-6pm and Sunday, 9am—4pm

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Service Projects
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Practices of Youth Ministry explores the development of comprehensive youth ministry through the collaborative sharing of the resources in the community. Rooted in a theological and pastoral vision of community life, this course develops foundational understandings that will assist leaders in setting and implementing a vision for dynamic ministry with youth. This will include skills for advocacy, planning and organizing youth ministry efforts. Methods for collaborative leadership among ministries and within ministry teams will also be developed.
Course: Foundations for Ministry Leadership
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• Empowering others to take on tasks and share in ministry.
• Following Jesus' example to become a servant leader in your community.
• Envisioning a leadership model for youth ministry that involves the many unique gifts and resources of your community.

Date: July 26-27, 2012
Thursday, 9am-6pm and Friday, 9am—4pm

Instructor: Ann Marie Eckert,
Coordinator
Youth Ministry Services Project
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Foundations of Ministry Leadership explores the theology, principles, and practices of effective leadership in Christian ministry. Participants will explore current leadership concepts and approaches, as well as Christian perspectives on leadership. Participants will also learn how to empower individuals and teams of leaders for ministry with youth. The course combines theory presentation with experiential learning as participants explore (a) leadership theory and an assessment of styles for effective leadership; (b) theological and pastoral foundations for understanding leadership and empowerment; and (c) processes and tools for creating leadership positions then inviting, preparing, and nurturing adult and youth leaders in ministry.
Skills for Christian Leadership
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• Practical skills for working with other leaders in youth ministry.
• Personal leadership styles and how we best work with others.
• Strategies for communicating with youth and adults.
• Spiritual practices and theological reflection as essential elements of ministry.

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Skills for Christian Leadership addresses the theories and skills needed for principle centered leadership in ministry. Participants will develop a practical, working understanding of leadership process and skills and the experiential ability to use the skills. The course stresses the application of leadership skills to various ministry settings, problems, and issues.
Local Accommodations in Berkeley

Don Bosco Hall
1831 Arch Street
Meals are provided for the Program
Private Beds with shared bathroom
2 or 3 persons per suite
$30.00 per day

Space at Don Bosco Hall is limited (20 rooms) and will be reserved on a first-come basis. Meals are already part of the registration fees at Don Bosco Hall, so accommodations are additional for those planning to stay in the Berkeley area. Contact Fr. John Roche at JRochesdb@aol.com or at (510) 204-0801

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Local Hotels and Motels
Varying price ranges
Vehicle will be needed for transport.