



May 16, 2011

Dear Parents and Students,

Thank you so much for an amazing year! Between the group sessions, youth nights, worship nights, trips, and retreats, it is hard to imagine everything that happened this year. You are an awesome group of individuals and families and I am very much looking forward to the next year of youth ministry together.

While most, if not all, of you will be receiving the sacrament of Confirmation next year, we hope you see your high school years with us as more than just sacramental preparation. Because our program is comprehensive, Confirmation is only a part of what we do. Weekly youth group meetings mingled with special events and activities provide our students with opportunities to engage in community life, prayer and worship, leadership and development, justice and service, and evangelization. This program will give you a chance not only to gather in an atmosphere of faith, trust and joy to explore our own stories together, but to participate in every aspect of the youth ministry program.

Enclosed in this letter are the forms necessary for registering for your second year of the program. Please fill out the forms and return them along with the registration fee to the parish office by August 1st. The 2011/2012 calendar will be emailed out at the beginning of June. There will also be a mandatory parent meeting on Sunday, September 11th from 4- 5pm in the parish hall.

** Please make a special note that the required Confirmation retreat will be on the weekend of February 17th- 19th. If your child will not be able to attend this weekend from beginning to end please contact Liesl by October for alternative retreat arrangements early**

Thank you for taking the next step in your faith journey with us. This next year is going to be amazing and I am looking forward to the many memories that will be created together.

Please feel free to contact me at any time!

Sincerely,

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YEAR TWO CONFIRMATION REGISTRATION
REGISTRATION FORM 2011-2012
Mission 3:16 Youth Ministry

1. Student Information:

Last Name:

First Name:

Student E-mail address:

Cell Phone: ()

Grade in Fall 2011:

School:

Complete Mailing Address of Church where student was baptized:

Mothers maiden Name:

*Following Confirmation we send this Church a "Notice of Confirmation". Please be sure to fill out this section fully**

Sponsor Name:

2. Parent Information:

Mother Name:

Cell Phone: ()

Father Name:

Cell Phone: ()

Parent E-mail address:

Home Phone: ()

Address:

3. Release From Liability

The San Diego Diocese requires that parents/guardians sign the following *Release From Liability*:

I hereby release, both individually and collectively, Saint Gregory the Great Parish, its catechetical teaching staff and volunteers, from any and all liability arising from the care and supervision of my child.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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4. Be a Part of the Process by Volunteering!

Comprehensive Youth Ministry is a ministry to, by, with and for young people that involves their families, their parish community, and the larger community. At the heart of ministry with young people is the presence of caring, supportive relationships where youth experience the love of God.

In order for our program to work we ask each family to please volunteer for one area. Check the area/s that interest you and we will contact you with more information.

Parent Board Member: _____

The Parent Board meets monthly and advises the youth minister on a variety of issues that concern the ministry. Such topics include: budget, curriculum and activities.

Retreat Volunteer: _____

Retreat volunteers help organize attendance, transportation, and weekend activities for the retreat. Retreat volunteers get to attend an amazing weekend at beautiful Oakbridge Camp in Ramona!

Service Coordinator: _____

Service coordinators organize and attend opportunities for students to serve in their community. Service coordinators are comfortable leading a group of students.

Small Group Facilitator: _____

Small Group leaders facilitate discussion and foster community at the 10 confirmation small group sessions. Small group leaders are good listeners, sincere in their faith and have great senses of humor. Each group leader is assigned a trained teen from the leadership team to help lead discussions.

Hospitality Volunteer: _____

Hospitality volunteers help by serving at least one serving pizza dinner to the Confirmation classes that meet immediately following the 5pm Youth Mass.

Tree Lot Volunteer: _____

Tree lot volunteers help with the sales, orders and payments for Christmas trees. Also, tree lot volunteers help run the tree lot!

Registration Check List

- Registration Form (#1-5)**
- Volunteer Request (#4)**
- Registration Fee (#5)**
- Medical Release Form**
- Baptismal Certificate (if not submitted last year)**

5. Registration Fees

2nd Year Confirmation

Option 1: \$200

Resource Book & Sponsor Guide, Sponsor Events & Optional Activities, Weekend Retreat

Option 2: \$265

All the above plus pizza, salad, breadsticks, water and a cookie at each session (\$5 per session with 13 sessions total)

Please make checks payable to "Saint Gregory the Great". Registration fees can be paid in total or in increments. No family is ever denied enrollment due to an inability to pay fees. Please see Fr. Nick for special consideration. Thank you.

St. Gregory the Great- Confirmation COMMUNITY SERVICE FORM

Conversion and formation are ongoing responsibilities of the mature Christian. Candidates preparing for the Sacrament of Confirmation are required to complete 10 hours of service each year. At the end of the each year the candidate will be required to write a letter to Fr. Nick describing his or her service experiences. Use the space below to document your hours and reflect upon your experiences.

Student Name: _____

Date Performed	Hours Worked	Name of Agency/ Place where Performed	Type of Work performed	Supervisor's Name	Reflection Questions: What did you learn from this project? How did you grow in your relationship with Jesus through this project? What have you learned about Christian life from this project? What have you learned about yourself?

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Medical Release Form

Mission 3:16 Youth Ministry

TEENS NAME _____ PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME _____

MEDICAL MATTERS: I hereby warrant that to the best of my knowledge, my child is in good health, and I assume responsibility for the health of my child. Of the following statements pertaining to medical matters, sign only those in accordance with your wishes:

Emergency Medical Treatment: In the event of any emergency, I hereby give permission to transport my child to a hospital for emergency medical or surgical treatment. I wish to be advised prior to any further treatment by the hospital or doctor. In the even of any emergency, if you are unable to reach me at the above numbers, contact:

NAME & RELATIONSHIP: _____ Phone: () _____

FAMILY DOCTOR: _____ Phone: () _____

Family Health Plan Carrier: _____

Policy Number: _____

1.) Signature: _____ Date: _____

Other Medical Treatment: In the event it comes to the attention of the parish, its officers, directors and agents, and the Diocese of San Diego, chaperones, or representatives associated with the activity that my child becomes ill with symptoms such as headache, vomiting, sore throat, fever, diarrhea, I want to be called collect (with phone charged reversed to myself).

2.) Signature: _____ Date: _____

Medications: My child is taking medication at present. My child will bring all such medications necessary, and such medications will be well labeled. Names of medications and concise directions for seeing that the child takes such medications including dosage and frequency of dosage are as follows:

3.) Signature: _____ Date: _____

No medication of any type whether prescription or nonprescription may be administered to my child unless the situation is life-threatening and emergency treatment is required.

4.) Signature: _____ Date: _____

I hereby grant permission for nonprescription medication (such as aspirin, throat lozenges, cough syrup) to be given to my child, if deemed advisable.

5.) Signature: _____ Date: _____

Specific Medical Information: The parish will take reasonable care to see that the following information will be held in confidence.

Allergic reactions (medications, foods, plants, insects, etc.) _____

Immunizations: Date of last tetanus/diphtheria immunization: _____

Does child have a medically prescribed diet? _____

Any physical limitations? _____

Is child subject to chronic homesickness, emotional reactions to new situations, sleepwalking, bedwetting, fainting? _____

Has child been exposed to contagious disease conditions, such as mumps, measles, chickenpox, etc.? If so, date and disease or condition: _____

You should be award of these special conditions of my child: _____

2011-2012 Calendar

= 1st Year
 = 2nd Year
 = 1st & 2nd Year
 = Optional

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September 2011

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Tues. 13, 20, 27 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 11. **Mandatory Meetings** Parents Only
 2nd Year Registration 4-5pm (Hall)
 1st Year Registration 6:30-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 18th 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 25- 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

February 2012

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Tues. 7, 14, 28 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 12- 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Fir 18- Sun 20- 2nd Year 2 Retreat (Oakbridge Ramona)
 Sun. 26- 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

October 2011

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Sun 9th- Community Life Night (Years One and Two) 6:15-8pm
 Tues. 4, 11, 18 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 16- 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 23 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun 29th- Youth Haunted House
 Sun. 30 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

March 2012

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Sun. 4- 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Ha;)
 Tues. 6, 13, 27 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 11 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 18 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Thurs 22- LA Youth Day
 Sun. 27 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

November 2011

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Tues. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Fri 4- Sun 6- Year One Retreat (Whispering Winds)
 Sun. 13 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 27 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

April 2012

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Sun. 1 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Easter: April 8th Poway and Scripps Spring Break
 Sun. 15 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Tues. 17, 24 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 22 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

December 2011

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Tues 6 7-9pm Drop In Night
 Fri. 3-Sat. 4 – Christmas Tree Lot (Parking Lot)
 Sun. 5 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Tues. 7 – Drop In 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 12- 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Tues. 13 – Christmas Party 7-9pm (Youth Room)

May 2012

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Sun. 6 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Tues. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Drop In's (Youth Room) 7-9pm
 Sun. 13 Mothers Day
 Sun. 20 – Community Life Night 6:15-8:00pm (Hall)
 Sun. 27 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8:00pm (Hall)

January 2012

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Tues. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 – Drop In's 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Sun. 8 – Community Life Night 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 15 – 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 22 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)
 Sun. 29- 2nd Year Session 6:15-8pm (Hall)

June 2012

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Sun. 3 – 1st Year Session 6:15-8:00pm (Hall)
 Tues. 5 – Drop In 7-9pm (Youth Room)
 Tues. 12 – End of the Year Party 7-9:00pm (Youth Room)

*** Confirmation Date TBA**