

Office of Youth Ministry
Diocese of Victoria
1505 E. Mesquite
Victoria, Texas 77901

The Foundations Certificate Program seeks to enhance the formation and training of people who minister to adolescents (ages 12 -18). This training is for coordinators of youth ministry, as well as junior high and high school religious education teachers. IT IS A REQUIREMENT FOR ALL YOUTH MINISTRY LEADERS AS OUTLINED IN THE PROMULGATED DOCUMENT: POLICY AND PROCEDURE RESOURCE MANUAL FOR YOUTH MINISTRY AND PARISH CATECHETICAL PROGRAMS.

Location: The Diocese of Victoria Chancery Office, 1505 E. Mesquite, Victoria, TX

Format:

Seven Sessions

9:00 a.m. –12:00 noon & 12:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. on Saturdays

Cost:

\$10.00 per individual session or \$50.00 if all sessions are paid in advance. Scholarships are available.

Requirements:

Registration in advance

Commitment to the full process

A Certificate of Completion is awarded following:

- Attendance and active participation in all sessions
- A reflection paper, of one to two pages after each session, will be due at the beginning of the next session.

Certificate Program in Youth Ministry Studies

Sponsored by the Diocese of Victoria

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Regarding those who catechize:

"They should be able to lead and guide young people to grow in the knowledge of the Catholic faith, and in the practice of that faith in light of the principles of Christian morality and social justice, in the celebration of the sacraments, and in the development of their spiritual lives."

- National Directory for Catechesis

Please check the individual date(s) you are planning to attend or the entire course.

Entire Course
September 22, 2012 – Renewing the Vision and Advocacy (Morning)
September 22, 2012 — Pastoral Care (Afternoon)
November 3, 2012 – Leadership Development— Planning and Programming (Morning)
November 3, 2012 – Prayer and Worship (Afternoon)
February 23, 2013 – Justice and Service (Morning)
February 23, 2013 – Ethics and Crisis Management – Policy and Procedure (Afternoon)

April 13, 2013 — Retreat Formation (Morning)

FOUNDATIONS Certificate in Youth

Ministry Studies Registration Form

(please print clearly)

First Name	Last Name	
Address		
CityZip	Parish City:	
Parish		
Phone (hm)()	Phone (cell)()	
E-mail address:		
Position in the Parish:		
□ Paid □ Volunteer □ Youth Director □ Youth Ministry Team Member □ Religious Ed Teacher Other:		
Please return this form to:		
The Office of Youth Ministry		
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Or fax to 361-573-5725		

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