# S.T.O.R.M. YOUTH MINISTRY 2023 - 2024 CALENDAR

(Calendar Updated As of 09/9/23)

Meetings are from 6:30 - 8:30 (or 9:00 p.m. when noted) at St. Scholastica Parish

There will be a social time before meetings from 6-6:30 pm in the Youth Room.

\*Indicates a variation in time (from 6:30-8:30 pm) and / or place.

There is NO Registration Fee this year. Collection will be taken on Mass Nights for STORM. For more information contact Jennifer Olson: Cell) 630-885-6439 (Calls or Texts) W) 630-985-2351×138 7800 Janes Avenue; Woodridge, IL 60517 E-mail) <u>youthministry@stscholasticaparish.org</u>

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#### SEPTEMBER, 2023

- 10 \*Fall Kickoff Alpha: Life: Is This It? Pizza & Lights Out Dodgeball (6:30-9 pm)
- 17 Small Group Night: Alpha: Jesus: Who Is He?
- 20 \*Mission Trip Informational Meeting (Teens & Parents) (8:00 9:00 pm)
- 24 \*Evening Mass & Small Group Night: Alpha: Cross: Why Did Jesus Die? (6:30-9 pm)
- 27 \*Visit the Relics of St. Therese & Her Parents at the Shrine in Darien (6:30-8 pm)

#### **OCTOBER**, 2023

- 1 \*10 am Teen Mass & Confirmation Inscription Mass (Be there by 9:30 am)
- 1 Small Group Night: Alpha: Faith: How Can I Have Faith?
- 8 \*Haunted Corn Maze & Moonlight Campfire to Heap's Farm (6-10:30 pm)
- 14-15 \*Fall Retreat at St. Scholastica: Alpha Weekend (12:00pm Saturday 6:30pm Sunday)
- 22 \*Evening Mass & Social Night: (6:30-8:30)
- 24 \*Discovery Team Meetings Start (Tuesdays 7:30-9 pm)
- 29 Small Group Night: Alpha: Bible: Why & How Do I Read the Bible?

#### NOVEMBER, 2023

- 4 \*Trivia Night Fundraiser (Saturday 5:30-9 pm)
- 5 Small Group Night: Alpha: Telling Others: Why & How Should I Tell Others?
- 11 \*4:30 pm Mass Join us at Mass (Be there by 4 pm)
- 12 Small Group Night: Alpha: Healing: Does God Heal Today?
- 19 Small Group Night: Alpha: Church: What About Church?
- 26 \*Evening Mass & Small Group Night: Alpha Wrap Up (6:30-9)

#### DECEMBER, 2023

- 3 \*Teen Mass at 12 pm Mass (Be there by 11:30 am)
- 3 XLT Praise and Worship Adoration, Reconciliation & Social Time
- 10 Christmas Party & White Elephant
- 17 \*Chicago Street Ministry Experience (8:15 am 7:30 pm)
- 24 No Meeting Christmas
- 31 No Meeting New Year's Eve

## JANUARY, 2024

- 7 \*Evening Mass & Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: Why Be Catholic? (6:30-9)
- 13-14 \*Discovery Retreat 1 (9:30 am Saturday 6:30 pm Sunday at St. Scholastica)
- 21 Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: Learning How to Love from the Bible
- 28 Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: The Power of Prayer

## FEBRUARY, 2024

- 4 \*Evening Mass & Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: The Meaning of Suffering (6:30-9)
- 10 \*Trivia Night Fundraiser (Saturday 5:30-9 pm)
- 11 \*Teen Mass at 12 pm Mass (Be there by 11:30 am)
- 11 No Meeting Superbowl Sunday
- 16-18 \*Winter Retreat at Five Pines Michigan: (5 pm Friday 6:30 pm Sunday)
- 25 Small Groups: Fr. Mike: Do Catholics Worship Saints?

## MARCH, 2024

- 3 \*Evening Mass & Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: Mastering Love & Relationships (6:30-9)
- 8 \*Teen Stations of the Cross (Friday 6:30 pm Readers, 7:00 pm Starts)
- 10 \*Teen Mass at 10:00 am Mass (Be there by 9:30 am)
- 10 Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: Talking About Suicide
- 17 Pot Luck Seder Meal & St. Patrick Celebration
- 24 No Meeting Spring Break
- 26 \*Feed My Starving Children Aurora (Tuesday 6:00 9:15 pm)
- 28 \*Holy Thursday Pilgrimage (Thursday 7-11 pm)
- 31 No Meeting Easter Sunday

## APRIL, 2024

- 6-7 \*Discovery Retreat 2 (9:30 am Saturday 6:30 pm Sunday at St. Scholastica)
- 14 Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: What You Should Know About Purgatory
- 21 Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: Catholic Teaching on Contraception Explained
- 28 Small Group Night: Fr. Mike: What Does God Want Me to Do?

## MAY, 2024

- \*Closing Mass, Pizza & Life Night: Celebrate Seniors, Welcome 8<sup>th</sup> Grade (5:30 -8:30 pm)
  Fr. Norbert
- 19 \*Car Wash in Upper Parking Lot (7:15am Setup, 8am Mass, 9am-1:30pm, clean up & pizza)

# JUNE, 2024

- 1 \*Steubenville One Day in the Diocese of Joliet
- 2 \*Senior Graduation Liturgy & Breakfast (8:00 am Mass also Teen Mass)
- 23-29 \*Mission Trip with Catholic Heart to Nashville (Sunday-Saturday) (Tentative)

## July, 2024

12-14 \*Steubenville Conference (Friday -Sunday) (Tentative - Could be July 5-7)