



2009 NDDI

NEW DIOCESAN DIRECTORS INSTITUTE

May 27-30, 2009 ♦ Washington, DC

Information and Registration Form

What Others Have Said About NDDI...

"Rarely does a day go by that I don't reference something we discussed at NDDI. The resources and contacts I made at the conference have proven to be invaluable to me in my work in the Diocese."
Jan Von Handorf, Covington

"I feel like I've been treading water in the middle of the ocean for the past 15 months and have just been thrown a life preserver!"
Joan Root, Lexington

"This was truly an excellent program. The fellowship and information were PRICELESS"
2008 Participant

"I think I'm going to quit and then get rehired ...so I can go again next year."
John DiGiovanni, Washington, DC

As part of its mandate to educate, train, and support diocesan leadership, the National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry sponsors an annual institute for new diocesan directors and leaders of youth ministry. NDDI programming includes introduction to national Catholic Church resources, training in management skills, insight into personal spiritual development, as well as ongoing visioning and planning.

This experience is designed for professionals who have served in diocesan youth ministry for less than three years.

Sponsors

The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry is grateful for the sponsorship of Saint Mary's Press for the New Diocesan Directors' Institute. NDDI also receives a grant from the Catholic Youth Foundation USA.



Together, these sponsorships cover program registration fees, accommodations, and most meals. The registration deposit is refunded upon completion of the program. Participants are responsible for transportation to/from Washington, DC as well as dinner out on Friday.

Program Date

Wed., May 27 – Sat., May 30, 2009

Program Location

Washington Theological Union
6896 Laurel Street, NW
Washington, DC 20012
800-334-9922
Website: <http://wtu.edu>

Wednesday

2:00 P.M. Prayer/Welcome/Overview
3:30 P.M. Diocesan Leader as Keeper of the Vision
5:15 P.M. Small Group Dialogues
6:00 P.M. Dinner at WTU
7:00 P.M. Leadership Training and Formation
8:30 P.M. Evening Prayer
9:00 P.M. Evening Social

Thursday

8:00 A.M. Breakfast at WTU
9:00 A.M. Internal Functions of Diocesan Leaders
Noon Small Group Dialogues
12:30 PM Lunch at WTU
2:00 P.M. Liaisons and Networks
4:00 P.M. Spirituality of Diocesan Leaders
6:00 P.M. Dinner at WTU
7:30 P.M. Evening Monument Tour

Friday (Held at USCCB and NFCYM)

9:30 A.M. Inclusivity/Cultural Appreciation
11:30 Group Picture
Noon Mass at USCCB
12:45 Lunch and USCCB Ministries Fair
2:30 P.M. Diocesan Events and Gatherings
4:00 P.M. NFCYM Tour & Ice Cream Social
7:00 P.M. Tour of National Shrine and Dinner Out/Evening Free

Saturday

8:00 A.M. Breakfast at WTU
9:00 A.M. Morning Prayer
9:15 A.M. Providing Parish Support
11:00 A.M. Summary, Evaluation and Next Steps
11:30 A.M. Prayer and Commissioning
Noon Lunch at WTU/Program Concludes
Depart for Home or Stay for Sightseeing

Registration Deadline:

Space is limited to 25 participants, or those received by April 15, whichever comes first. Preference will be given to Diocesan Directors. Forms must include a \$75 deposit which is refunded upon completion of program. Further details and transportation directions from DC area airports to WTU will be sent to registrants in April.

For Further Information Contact:
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NDDI REGISTRATION FORM

Name _____ (Arch)Diocese: _____

Job Title: _____

Address _____

City, State, ZIP Code _____

Office Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail Address _____

Date of Hire: _____ Years in Church Ministry: _____

1. What are three critical areas of concern you wish to address in your position as a diocesan leader?

A.

B.

C.

2. List your learning needs as a Diocesan leader around the following responsibilities of a Diocesan office:

- The Vision of Youth Ministry
- Leadership Training and Formation
- Internal Functions of the Diocesan Office (budget, administration, supervision)
- Developing and Maintaining Liaisons, Networks and Collaboration
- Personal Spirituality and Prayer Life
- Ministry in Culturally Diverse Settings
- Planning Large Gatherings and Events
- Providing Support for Parishes and Schools

Return this registration by April 15 with a deposit check for \$75 made payable to NFCYM
This check will be returned to you upon completion of the Institute.

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