



SUMMER IN THE CITY

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Pillars of the Program

- Service
- Spirituality
- Community
- Social Justice

The Summer in the City Program is a week-long immersion project where the participant is given the opportunity to live and work the gospel of service and social justice through the gift of self. The combination of service at multiple work sites and reflection sessions gives young people the chance to use their talents and abilities to help their neighbor, and increase their awareness and understanding of the importance of the rights and dignity of the human person. Service sites are generally located within 25 minutes of the host facility, typically closer. In recent years, agencies have included housing rehabilitation sites, soup kitchens, food pantries, community gardening programs and senior care centers among others.

When selecting service sites, safety is always our first priority. All service sites are managed by agencies with which we have developed a previous working relationship. Our second condition is that they serve poor or needy populations. While many sites work with those who are economically poor, we also work with sites who serve those poor in spirit, loneliness, etc. and fulfill our call to serve through the Corporal Works of Mercy.

- Participation is open to any student who is in high school in 2019. All levels of experience are welcome, whether the participant is a service veteran or has never done service of any kind before!
- Registration is on a first-come, first served basis—preference will be given to first-time participants.
- Registration fee of \$160 covers, meals, lodging and program materials.
- This experience may be used for service hours at your high school.

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 Kairos Retreat Center @
 Holy Spirit High School,
 500 S. New Road

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 Sunday, August 11—
 Saturday, August 17, 2019

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Summer in the City Registration Form

Name: _____ Female/Male: _____
Age: _____ Address: _____

T-shirt size please circle small medium large ex-large 2x
Home Phone #: _____ Parent Cell #: _____

Parent Work #: _____

Participant Email Address: _____

Parent Email Address: _____

Parish/Youth Group/High School: _____

Parish Youth Leader: _____

Please send registration and payment to
Diocese of Camden Youth Ministries
631 Market Street
Camden, New Jersey 08102

Make payment of \$160 payable to the Diocese of Camden