St. John Bosco Project

DIOCESE OF BURLINGTON

For parish pastoral staff and internal use of parish

Please fill out the following information to the best of your ability.

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Name: ______________________________________________________________

Address: __________________________________________________________________

Number of registered families: __________

Number of teens registered in parish: __________

Number of youth (under 13) registered in parish: __________

Do you currently have a youth ministry program? (yes/no) _________

Is there money budgeted every year for youth ministry and youth outreach (outside of religious education)? __________

Do you have a paid staff position for youth ministry and youth outreach? ____________

If no, have you ever considered this? (please explain) _____________________________
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Do you have a parish mission or vision statement? ____________________________________

If so, what is the mission statement? ______________________________________________
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How well known is this vision statement among the members of your parish?
Please list the current ministries in your parish that involve youth or young adults:

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Do you have a team for implementing Youth Ministry outreach in your parish? ________________

How are youth incorporated or involved in liturgy at the parish? ____________________________
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Do you have any special liturgical celebrations that involve youth? Living stations, children’s liturgy, etc.? ____________________________________________________________________________
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On a scale from 1-10, how active would you say your youth and young adults are in the life in the parish? ________________

How do you publicize upcoming events for youth? Check all that apply:

- Social media
- Flyers
- Postcards
- Inserts in bulletin
- Announcements from pulpit
- Mailings
- Texting
- Phone
- Email Blasts
- Other ________________

What are some historical or local factors that make youth ministry and youth outreach particularly challenging in your area?
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_________________________________________________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________________________
What kind of retreats or longer ‘immersion’ experiences have you offered in the last couple years to either your youth or your young families?

Are there other ideas not listed above that you have considered but not implemented?

What service opportunities do you currently offer to your youth and/or young families?

How has your parish worked with other local parishes in developing youth ministry programs? How?

How are volunteers recruited to work in youth ministry and work with young people? Does your parish offer opportunities for spiritual enrichment for catechists, youth volunteers, etc.?

Other comments: