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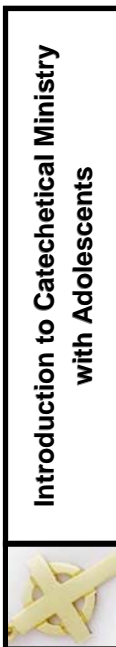
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*Developing Leadership for Youth
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Introduction to Catechetical Ministry with Adolescents

*Forming Young Disciples
in the Catholic Faith*

- The Vocation and Ministry of the Catechist
- Catechetical Process
- The Creative Catechist
- Catholic Identity

A mini-course of
four 2-1/2 hour sessions
on 4 consecutive Wednesdays
in Fall 2009

For Youth Ministers,
Parish Catechists of Grades 7 - 12
and other youth-serving Adults

St. Susanna Parish, Mason
Oct. 21, 28, Nov. 4 and 11



Presented by the
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“Under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, catechists **powerfully influence** those being catechized by their **faithful proclamation** of the Gospel of **Jesus Christ** and the transparent **example** of their **Christian lives.**”

—National Directory for Catechesis, USCCB © 2005, Article 29 E

For all adults who have responsibility to hand on the Catholic faith to youth through their witness and example in youth ministry settings and parish schools of religion

Introduction to Catechetical Ministry with Adolescents*

Oct. 21 Session I: The Vocation and Ministry of the Catechist *Explore the importance of the Catechist's role and its relationship to the mission of the Church.*

Oct. 28 Session II: Catechetical Process *Develop effective session plans that hit the mark every time.*

Nov. 4 Session III: The Creative Catechist *How to use age-appropriate resources, activities, techniques and ideas to create effective learning experiences for younger and older adolescents.*

Nov. 11 Session IV: Catholic Identity *Develop a sense of what is foundational and unique to the Catholic faith and how to help young people embrace Catholicism as a way of life.*

This series fulfills requirements for:

- Catechist Certification — Office of Evangelization and Catechesis.** For information on Catechist Certification, contact your regional OEC: Cincinnati at 513.421.3131; Dayton at 937.223.4075; North at 937.498.1192; or visit www.CatholicCincinnati.org/oec.
- Volunteer & Professional Youth Ministry Certificate Programs — Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry.** For information on Youth Ministry Certificate Programs, contact your regional OYYAM (see back panel).

**ICMA replaces the previous training for catechists and youth ministers called Leading Teens to God. If you have already taken LTTG for catechist certification or youth ministry certification, you do not need to register for this series.*

General Information

Cost: \$10 per session; \$40 for the series

Time: 1:00-3:30 P.M. each afternoon

Location: St. Susanna Parish (Ursuline Hall)
616 Reading Rd.
Mason, OH 45040

Go to www.stsusanna.org for directions to the church.

We will be in the small conference room. Once there, go to the Undercroft Entrance on the 'left' side of the church as you are facing it (if you prefer, it's the north side). Immediately inside that entrance to the left, there are stairs down to the undercroft. Follow the hallway around to the left until you reach the small conference room on the left. If anyone should need to use the elevator, they would go through a set of double doors just inside the church undercroft entry and turn to the left.

Registration Info:

- *Registration Deadline: 2 business days prior to the workshop.*
- *Workshops are open to all adults and are not limited to those seeking a certificate.*
- *Workshops require a minimum of five participants.*
- *A refund will be issued only if your cancellation is received before 4:30 p.m. two business days prior to the workshop — both for payments made in full and billing requests.*

3 Ways to Register

Mail this completed form to:

Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry,
100 East Eighth St., Cincinnati, OH 45202

OR

FAX this completed form to 937-421-1582

OR

Register online at:

www.catholiccincinnati.org/youthmin

Each session in this series builds on previous ones. To get the most out of this training, you'll want to sign up for all four sessions. Place a check mark next to the sessions) you will attend:

- Session I: The Vocation and Ministry of the Catechist
- Session II: Catechetical Process
- Session III: The Creative Catechist
- Session IV: Catholic Identity
- All four sessions

Name: _____

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Method of Payment

- Check Enclosed Amount \$ _____
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- Bill Parish/School - ATTN: _____