

T.A.C.K.L.E.

An Immersion Retreat

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Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry
Catholic Social Action Office
Archdiocese of Cincinnati
100 East Eighth Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202-2150

Name _____ E-mail _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Age _____ Sex _____ H.S. Graduating Class: 2010 -11 -12 -13 (circle one)

Parish _____ School _____

Your Registration Should Include:

\$50 non-refundable registration fee (NRF), payable to: "Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry"

Early Registration Deadline is May 7, 2010: \$150.00 (includes NRF registration fee)

Late Registration Deadline is May 19, 2010: \$175.00 (includes registration fee)
(limited space available - ask your parish for possible financial support)

Your response to this question on a separate sheet of paper: What do you expect to gain from T.A.C.K.L.E.?

Mail to: T.A.C.K.L.E., Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry, 100 East Eighth St., Cincinnati, OH 45202-2150

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June 20 - 25, 2010

An inspiring and challenging week that develops youth into strong, justice-focused leaders.



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**Teens Advocating
Change through Knowledge
Leadership Experience
includes...**

- community building
- daily prayer and journaling
- learning directly from the people of the inner city
- a day trip to a rural community
- a one-day service project
- team building
- meeting with people working for peace and justice
- sponsoring a neighborhood picnic



“We spent the week learning, interacting... with the realities the poor face right here in Cincinnati.”

T.A.C.K.L.E. will call you to...

- Explore the root causes of poverty and injustice and learn how YOU can make a difference.
- Develop the courage to act with justice, charity and solidarity within the larger community.
- Challenge yourself and others to live simply, breakdown stereotypes, and be peacemakers.
- Build community and friendships with a group of adults and teens from across the Archdiocese.



“It showed me the things I take for granted in my everyday life.”

Who: Youth in the high school graduating classes of 2010-2013

When: Sunday, June 20, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. through Friday, June 25, 2010 at 3:00 p.m.

Where: Home base is St. Bernard's Parish in Spring Grove Village, 745 Derby Ave. Cincinnati, OH. Participants will visit a variety of sites during the week - drivers and chaperones are provided.

Cost: \$150 – Covers food, lodging, materials, and transportation to the various sites (a late fee will be charged after May 7, 2010)

Questions: Please contact T.A.C.K.L.E. Director Joanie Schaffer at (513) 574-7147 – Send email to jmschaffer6@earthlink.net



“T.A.C.K.L.E. showed me how one person could make a difference.”

“Meeting a wide array of people broadened my perspectives and inspired me to do more.”



T.A.C.K.L.E. Is Led By:

Joanie Schaffer went to Denver, CO to observe the S.P.L.U.N.G.E. retreat in 1987. Upon her return she gathered a team to create a similar experience called T.A.C.K.L.E. for Cincinnati and has directed this retreat every summer since. She was a youth minister from 1988-1993 and continues a ministry of availability through mentoring for the Lay Pastoral Ministry Program, and being of assistance to her six children and eleven grandchildren. Joanie is also a member of the Archdiocesan Social Action Commission, and board member of the Office of Peace, Justice & Integrity of Creation.

Greg Niehaus has been working for the Archdiocese of Cincinnati since 1979, and was a missionary volunteer in Colorado with his wife Lisa from 1982-1983. Since 1986, Greg has been a theology and social studies teacher at McAuley High School. He has been a T.A.C.K.L.E. team member since its inception in 1989.

Joanie and Greg are assisted by a team of dedicated youth ministers and volunteers of varying backgrounds from all over the Archdiocese.