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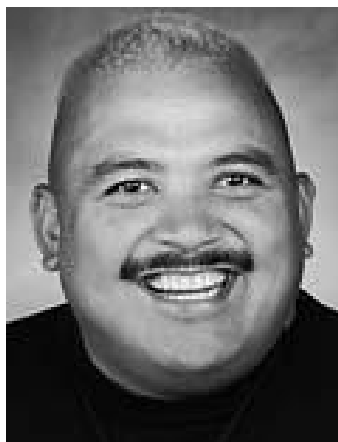
Youth Ministry News

January
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SPREAD THE WORD... JESSE'S COMING!!!

Tell your youth group, announce it after Mass, put it in your bulletins! Jesse Manibusan is coming to a church near you in less than a month. These nights for youth and their families are a chance to see an incredible musician and humorous storyteller. Fill the pews for an awesome evening of wholesome family fun. Price is only \$5 per person or \$20 per family!



January 31—February 3, 2005
7:00 p.m.

Monday, St. Patrick of Heatherdowns, Toledo
Tuesday, St. Joseph, Fort Jennings
Wednesday, St. Francis Xavier, Willard
Thursday, St. Mary, Defiance

CONGRATULATIONS

Great News!!!

Michelle Swan, secretary for Youth, Young Adult & Campus Ministry, gave birth to Madison Sue on New Year's Eve at 7:42 p.m. Mom and Daughter are both home and doing great. Madison came into the



world weighing
7 pounds
7.25 ounces
and 21
inches long.

Please keep them
in your prayers!

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I t e m s o f I n t e r e s t

Jan. 31 – Feb. 4, 2005	Catholic Schools Week - Jesse Manibusan
Jan 31	St. Patrick of Heatherdowns, Toledo
Feb. 1	St. Joseph, Fort Jennings
Feb. 2	St. Francis Xavier, Willard
Feb. 3	St. Mary, Defiance
February 16, 2005	Wacky Wednesday- Sandusky
February 21, 2005	YM Training / Conference Packet Meeting – Willard #12 "Praying with Youth"
February 24, 2005	YM Training / Conference Packet Meeting – Kalida #12 "Praying with Youth"
March 5-6,2005	Escape II – Young Adult Retreat – Lial Retreat Center
March 7, 2005	YM Training / Conference Packet Meeting – Toledo #2 "Working w/ Families & the Community"
March 10, 2005	YM Training / Conference Packet Meeting – New Riegel #2 "Working w/ Families & Community"
March 16, 2005	Wacky Wednesday - Lima
March 25, 2005	Walk for Life
April 20, 2005	Wacky Wednesday - Fremont
April 23, 2005	Youth Minister's Conference - Fostoria
May 11, 2005	Wacky Wednesday - Toledo
June 14, 2005	Cedar Point Day
July 8-10, 2005	Youth Conference
August 14-22, 2005	World Youth Day – Cologne, Germany
October 27-30, 2005	National Catholic Youth Conference



YOUTH CONFERENCE PACKET MEETING! 7:00 P.M.

February 21	Willard, St. Francis
February 24	Kalida, St. Michael
February 28	Defiance, TBD
March 7	Toledo, St. Pats
March 10	New Riegel, St. Bonafice
March 14	Fremont, TBD

Come find out the scoop for this years Youth Conference! This will be an informational meeting to pick up materials and hear the latest news so you can start planning with your group.

WACKY WEDNESDAYS

We are still making our way around the different Deaneries each month on our Wacky Wednesdays. Sandusky, Lima, Fremont and Toledo are still to come! If you have something going on, please let us know so we can come, or if you have a time of day that works better for us to pop in and say hello, just let us know. We look forward to seeing you and are excited to hear about all that is going on with you and your ministry.

Around the Diocese

Walk for Life—March 25, 2005
Join youth from across the diocese in a walk to support life! We will have a Good Friday service and walk from Frenchtown to Carey. All you need to bring is your lunch and your walking shoes. See you there!



Teens Encounter Christ (T.E.C.)

Upcoming dates:

Girls:	Boys:
Feb. 5-7	Jan. 29-31
March 5-7	Feb. 19-21
April 9-11	April 2-4

For more information and forms go to www.cyss.org. The cost for the experience is only \$80

★ ★ ★ ★ ★
★ Heartland/Back To Earth Jr. High Gathering:
★ Sunday, February 20, 2005, @ Willard Middle
★ School (955 S. Main St. Willard).
★ Check out www.backtoheartland.com!



Formal Tag Sale: Saturday, February 5, 2005, @ St. Francis Xavier, Fr. Nardecchia Hall (25 Perry St., Willard- Behind the church in the school building). For more information contact Sheila Hershiser (419-935-1149 / sfxsheila@juno.com).



Eagle Eye Summer Institute

July 23—July 31, 2005

Sponsored by the Diocese of Toledo & Community of St. John

Youth age 16-18 throughout the Toledo Diocese are invited to participate in an eight day Catholic summer camp! The week will be scheduled around the monastic life and will offer chances to seek God through prayer, study and friendship. The first two days will be spent camping and hiking. If you would like more information contact Ann Barrick at toledoeye@hotmail.com or 419-866-2131. Information will also be posted to the Youth website as we receive it.



NCYC... We are planning a trip to the *National Catholic Youth Conference!* This conference will be held in Atlanta, Georgia, October 27 - 30, 2005. We have spots reserved for 45 people to attend. This is a great conference that gathers over 20,000 High School age youth from around the country. This year's theme is "*Winds of Change*". Quad occupancy is only \$475 and double occupancy is \$580. Pricing includes bus transportation, registration, some meals and some type of Diocesan wear. There is a flyer posted on our website and you can download the promo video from www.nfcym.org. Please let us know if you have any questions or if we can be of help!

Diane and Jason will be out of the office January 25-29 at the Membership Meeting for the National Federation of Catholic Youth Ministry. Their week will include an in-service as well as planning for future events and giving aid to development on the national level. They will be checking messages and email during the week if you need anything.



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