



WORKCAMP 2022

SUPER IMPORTANT DATES

****In order to attend WorkCamp, you MUST participate in ALL of the events above for the duration of the event.****

If there is a schedule conflict with anything, you *must* let Jeanne know no later than February 6th.

If possible, we will try to make accommodations for you, however, no accommodations will be made after February 6th.

Friday, January 7 th	Sign- Up Deadline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$100 Deposit due: make check payable to <i>St. Raymond's</i> • Youth Apostolate Info. Sheet due • WorkCamp Application due • Commitment to Parish form due
Friday, February 25 th (7-9pm)	WorkCamp Prep Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be present for the ENTIRE session
March 5 th (8:30am-8pm)	Tool Day & Rock Climbing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be present for the duration of the day both the Tool Day part as well as Rock Climbing • \$150 due
April 23-24 (ALL Masses)	Raffle Weekend	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must be present before & after ALL Masses • Final payment due (\$100)
February 5-6 March 12-13 April 9-10 May 7-8 June 11-12	Bake Sale Fundraiser after ALL Masses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must participate (baking and/or selling) for <u>each</u> of the monthly bake sales. • Option to participate in Bake Nights to earn \$15 off total cost of WorkCamp for each Bake Night you help with. • Bake Night Dates: (Jan. 7, March 11, April 8, May 6, June10)
June 18-24 th	WorkCamp 2022 Winchester, VA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meet at St. Raymond's: 3pm Saturday, June 18th • Return to St. Raymond's: 5pm Friday, June 24th

- Please do not let money deter you from coming. Scholarship money is available. Ask Jeanne for details.
- **Scholarships are also available for families with more than one child who would like to attend. Ask Jeanne for details!**
- **Teens from Other parishes:** We would be more than happy to have you join St. Raymond's for WorkCamp, however, we are unable to offer scholarships or discounts for non-parishioners. You are still welcome to join us, however, we ask that you pay the full price of \$525. You are still strongly encouraged to participate in helping with the bake sale fundraisers, as the total cost/person ends up being much more than \$525 when we add rock climbing, vans, shirts, chaperones, etc. The raffle weekend is a requirement for everyone, as this is a time of fellowship and commradery amongst our WorkCamp group & our last time together before camp!

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Cost:

- St. Raymond's Parishioner: \$350/person. Non-Parishioner: \$525/person.
- The total cost is actually \$525 /person but when you include the cost of rental vans, gas, food, preparation etc. it ends up costing close to \$850/person. Your participation with our fundraising efforts (bake sales & WorkCamp Raffle) is critical to keeping your total cost to \$350.
- Please do not let money deter you from coming. Scholarship money is available for St. Raymond's parishioners. Ask Jeanne.

Fundraising:

- Fundraising helps to keep the parish informed of what we are doing and who is doing it.
- It also helps to cover the expense of our chaperones, rental vans, t-shirts, as well as other expenses, such as our team building day at Sportrock, supplies for our tool day, and much more.
- Most of the participant fee goes into purchasing the materials for home repairs. Some provides breakfast & dinner for the week & evening program costs.

Community Building:

- WorkCamp is intended to be and to foster an intentional Christian community, modeled after Acts 2:42-47, *"They devoted themselves to the teaching of the apostles and to the communal life, to the breaking of the bread and to the prayers...all who believed were together and had all things in common...they ate their meals with exultation and sincerity of heart, praising God and enjoying favor with all the people. And every day the Lord added to their number those who were being saved."*
- This intentional community is to be fostered not only while at camp, but also amongst the domestic church (our families) as well as within our parish community here at St. Raymond's. It is a community not only comprised of those who go to WorkCamp, but that of our whole parish family.
- WorkCamp is not its own community, but rather, a part of the larger community, and so **all teens attending WorkCamp are strongly encouraged to get involved in some aspect of the Youth Apostolate to continue to get to know one another.**
 - Four suggestions of ways to get involved are to participate in:
 1. CCD/Youth Group on Sunday Nights
5:30-7pm CCD
7-8:30pm High School Youth Group
 2. Sons of Thunder Guys Group (Meets in Maurer Room 2nd and 4th Tuesdays from 7-8:30pm)
 3. Talitha Koum Girls' Group (Meets in parish hall 1st & 3rd Mondays from 7-8:30pm)
 4. Friday Morning Mass & Breakfast Club (Meet for 6:30am Mass on Fridays followed by breakfast in the parish hall-done with plenty of time to get to school on time...and we can even drive you if you RSVP a week ahead!)

Questions: Contact Jeanne youth@straymonds.org 571-334-9890