

The Alaska Catholic Youth Conference 2019 - *The Joy of Our Faith*

Pope Francis writes, "A Christian is never bored or sad. Rather, the one who loves Christ is full of joy and radiates joy." Today's world often does not reflect such joy. People are in dire need of it. It is up to modern day disciples to strive for it in our own lives and in-turn, pour it out to others through our actions and words.

Sunday, June 2 - Pre Conference Activities – Lumen Christi School

1:00 – 7:30 p.m. On-Sight Registration & Check-In
5:00 – 7:30 p.m. Dinner on your own.
7:30 p.m. Social & Game Night Gymnasium

Monday, June 3 - St. Patrick Parish

7:30 a.m. Doors Open
9:00 a.m. Welcome Activities in Deacons Hall
10:00 a.m. Buses Depart for Prayer Chain
10:30 a.m. Holy Family Cathedral Prayertime
11:30 a.m. Holy Cross Parish Prayertime
12:15 p.m. Lunch at Holy Cross Parish
1:45 p.m. Holy Spirit Retreat Center Prayertime
3:30 p.m. St. Anthony Parish Prayertime
4:45 p.m. Choir & Music Practice in Worship Area
4:45 p.m. Concluding Prayer Activity in Deacons Hall
5:30 p.m. Opening Mass
6:30 p.m. Dinner & Welcome Activities in Deacons Hall
8:00 p.m. Evening of Entertainment with Oddwalk Ministries
9:00 p.m. Departure from St. Patrick Parish

Tuesday, June 4 – St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

7:30 a.m. Doors Open
8:00 a.m. Choir & Music Practice for Mass
9:00 a.m. Mass
9:45 a.m. Keynote Address with Sister Josephine Garrett
11:00 a.m. Session 1 Workshops
12:15 p.m. Lunch & Lunchtime Activities
1:30 p.m. Vocational Discernment Prayer & Sharing
2:45 p.m. Session 2 Workshops
4:00 p.m. Session 3 Workshops
5:30 p.m. Dinner & Dinnertime Activities
7:00 p.m. ACYC Communal Reconciliation Service
9:00 p.m. Departure from St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish

Wednesday, June 5 – Visit to the Mat-Su Valley

7:30 a.m. Doors Open at Lumen Christi School, Anchorage
7:45 a.m. Buses Depart Lumen Christi School
8:00 a.m. Optional Choir & Music Practice – Sacred Heart Parish
9:00 a.m. Morning Mass at Sacred Heart Parish, Wasilla
9:45 a.m. Morning Keynote Address with Maryknoll Lay Missioners
10:30 a.m. Buses depart Sacred Heart Parish, Wasilla
10:45 a.m. Service Work
(Bring work gloves, hat, water bottle, rain gear, sun block)
12:15 p.m. Lunch at Service Sites
1:45 p.m. Buses Depart for Afternoon Social Activities
5:15 p.m. Buses Depart Mat-Su Valley to return to Lumen Christi School
6:30 p.m. BBQ/Picnic Dinner at St. Benedict/Lumen Christi School
7:30 p.m. ACYC Tonight Show in Lumen Christi Gymnasium
9:00 p.m. Departure from Lumen Christi School

Thursday, June 6 – Lumen Christi School & St. Benedict Parish

7:30 a.m. Doors Open at St. Benedict Parish, Anchorage
8:00 a.m. Good Morning Welcome Activities
8:30 a.m. Mission Disciple Sending Prayer in the Gymnasium with Maryknoll Lay Missioners
9:30 a.m. Morning Keynote Address with Oddwalk Ministries
10:05 a.m. Quick Choir & Music Practice for Mass
10:30 a.m. Sending Forth Mass
11:30 a.m. Departure from St. Benedict Parish

Lunch on your own

Optional Kenai Extension – Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, Soldotna

2:00 p.m. Departure of Tour Bus from Lumen Christi School
5:00 p.m. Choir & Music Practice for Friday's Mass in worship area at OLPH Parish, Soldotna
6:00 p.m. Dinner & Dinnertime Activities in Fireweed Hall
7:00 p.m. Evening of Entertainment with Oddwalk Ministries in Fireweed Hall
8:00 p.m. Evening Prayer
9:00 p.m. Official end of evening programmed activities

Departure from Our Lady of Perpetual Help by local participants

Teens and chaperones from outside of Soldotna will sleep in sleeping bags on the floor in classrooms at the parish hall.

Friday, June 7- Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish

7:30 a.m. Doors Open
Continental Breakfast in Fireweed Hall
8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
8:30 a.m. Wake Up/Social Activities in the Fireweed Hall
9:00 a.m. Session 4 Workshops
10:15 a.m. Morning Keynote Address with Maryknoll Lay Missioners
11:15 a.m. Depart for Service Sites
11:30 a.m. Service Work
12:15 p.m. Sack Lunch at Service Sites
1:30 p.m. Depart Service Sites
1:45 p.m. Service Wrap Up in Fireweed Hall with Maryknoll Lay Missioners
1:30 p.m. Optional Choir & Music Practice for Mass
2:30 p.m. Mass
3:30 p.m. Departure of local participants from Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish
4:00 p.m. Tour Bus departure from OLPH Parish

Bus will stop briefly at Fred Meyer in Soldotna, teens can buy snacks and something to drink for the ride home to Anchorage.

~ 7:00 p.m. Arrival at Lumen Christi School, Anchorage

Register Online Today

<http://bit.ly/2019ACYC>

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