

# Parents for Life Newsletter

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Here we are into our Winter?? And we never know what the days will bring us weather wise!

At Life Teen our Core Team of adults just finished putting together all the second semester topics and Life Nights/Afternoons. We are excited to have your teens each week.

We do have a request . . . To please encourage your sons/daughters to come to Life Afternoons or Life Nights. Each week is a different area of important information, discussion, or experiences about what it is to be Catholic.

Our second semester covers Sacraments in a very special and interesting way. There will be guest speakers, opportunities for Service, a retreat, and yes, a night for you, the parents!

**Trees and Treasures:** As you know we do not charge a registration fee for the Life program. We do need monies from our only fund-raiser. Unfortunately we were \$3,000 short of what we needed for the year. We are having a parent meeting on Thursday, February 21 from 7:00-8:00 P.M. in the Life Teen rooms of the Randel House. Please come and join us as we look ahead to November and the support Life Teen needs to operate.

**Refreshments:** We try to provide a snack each week for our teens. We thank Mrs. Stephanie Mower for handling this ministry. If you can help in any way, please call 722-7700 ext. 110 or 111 and we'll send your name to Mrs. Mower who will get in touch with you. The teens say thanks!





**Steubenville: We are pleased that 25 teens are going with four adults to this summer youth conference on June 15-17, 2012. We still have a few openings. Call the PSR office immediately if your teen is interested. We'd like to fill a bus to have teens experience this awesome weekend.**

**Drop In Nights for February and March: Friday, February 10 from 7:00-9:30 P.M. at the Randel House. Then Friday evening March 9 - 7:00 P.M. in Church for Stations of the Cross then over to the Randel House from 7:30-10:00 P.M. Games, movies, snacks, and fellowship (even ping-pong with Father Lee) make up a fun night to chill out. Core members are also in attendance each night as we enjoy getting to know better our teenagers.**

**Spring Retreat: We offer the teens a great experience of awareness of Social Justice Issues and a chance to become aware of Homelessness: Cardboard Weekend is April 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>. Consider encouraging your teen to spend 24 hours on the different needs of those less fortunate! Yes, they do sleep outside in large cardboard boxes and also collect monies after all Masses for organizations. Last year we collected \$3,500.00.**

**Parents: Welcome to Life! On April 22, we are working on a plan on having our parents attend a Life Night. More info to follow.**

**Wishing you and your family a very meaningful Lenten Season.**

**Blessings,  
Sue Rohe-Brooks, Father Stock, and the Core Team**