

Goals and Responsibilities of the Youth Advisory Council and Adult Advisory Council

Youth Ministry seeks to draw young people to responsible participation in life, mission, and work of the faith community. The Youth and Adult Advisory Councils are teams of committed individuals that assist the Director of Youth Ministries to provide the vision, direction, planning, and implementation of the youth programs for the Diocese of Little Rock.

The goals of the Councils are:

- ❖ To further Christian growth through a balanced program centered on the 8 components of youth ministry.
- ❖ To function as a community of prayer and to support youth ministry efforts within the Diocese.
- ❖ To give advice to the Director of Youth Ministry
- ❖ To plan and promote youth participation on the Diocesan level.
- ❖ To make the needs of the youth known

The responsibilities of the Councils are:

- ❖ Attend YAC/AAC meetings
- ❖ Provide support by being present at youth ministry events sponsored by the Diocese of Little Rock as well as local parish events.
- ❖ Build a sense of faith community among the YAC/AAC and among all the young people involved in the Diocese of Little Rock.

Members of the YAC/AAC exhibit the following qualities:

- ❖ Leadership
- ❖ Good Ambassador
- ❖ To guide and influence the direction of the program
- ❖ Visible leadership
- ❖ Enthusiasm
- ❖ Being prepared
- ❖ Creativity
- ❖ Inclusive
- ❖ Take charge attitude
- ❖ Set a good example
- ❖ High energy
- ❖ Self-confident
- ❖ Friendliness
- ❖ Humility
- ❖ Courage to stand up for the Catholic faith
- ❖ Collaborative
- ❖ Helpfulness and supportive of the Diocesan team