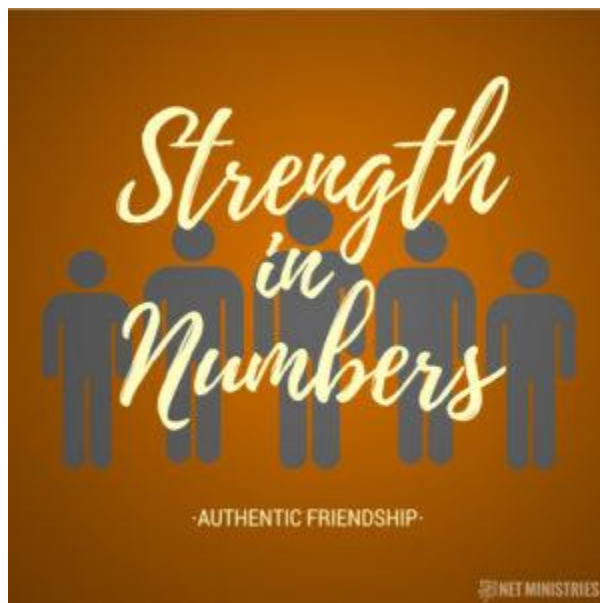


Middle School Students – Grades 6, 7 and 8



Middle School Students – Sunday, January 20, 2019

10:30am to 4:00pm

Begins with 10:30am Mass in the Church

All students will sit together with reserved seating in the front of the church. The retreat is planned and lead by the NET Team which is the National Evangelization Team of Catholic young adults, from around the United States.

The theme of the retreat is “Strength in Numbers” (Authentic Friendship and Greatness), where true friends walk together through their weakness. Betrayal, gossip and scandal: these traits often characterize friendships portrayed in the entertainment industry. What if our friendships, were instead marked by support no matter the circumstances? This theme explores the role of authentic friendships and their ability to empower us to greatness.

The afternoon will include snacks, a late lunch, games, skits, scripture, uplifting prayer, and moving dramas. The retreat is a great way for your son/daughter to have fun and grow in their faith. All 6th, 7th and 8th grade faith formation students are expected to attend this retreat, as part of their Christian Formation Program.

The retreat is FREE for students who are currently attending the Faith Formation Program at St. Mary Parish! A FEE of \$15 is asked from those who may want to attend and are not in the Faith Formation Program at St. Mary Parish. You are welcome to bring a friend! We are grateful that the parish is taking care of the cost this year, and we appreciate your support and commitment to this retreat. This is a valuable and unique experience that we are happy to incorporate into our Middle School Program this year.

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