



Youth Ministry Workshops at the Atlanta Catechist Conference

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Renaissance Waverly Hotel & Convention Center

Bring your Youth Ministry volunteers for training and networking. Participants may register for any of the over 50 workshops offered. Youth Ministry workshops (full description on the back) include:

- **2-02 Empower the People-Adult Core Teams and Youth Leadership Teams** – Mike Sylvester
- **3-02 The New Face of Youth Ministry** – Joe Chernowski and Kelly Simpson
- **4-02 Rethinking Confirmation** – Panel discussion
- **5-02 Leading Successful Small Groups with Youth** – Mike Sylvester
- **5-06 The Movement of Lifeteen** – Randy Raus
- **2-04 Clarity & Charity: Understanding the Church's Teaching on Sexual Identity and Same Sex Attraction** – Fr. Philip Bochanski
- **3-03 Welcoming and Accompanying Catholics Who Experience Same Sex Attraction or Gender Dysphoria** - Fr. Philip Bochanski
- **3-06 Helping Young Disciples Live Their Faith; Service Ideas that Make a Difference** – Nancy Bird

REGISTRATION IS OPEN NOW! BRING YOUR WHOLE TEAM!

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2-02 Youth Ministry: Empower the People-Adult Core Teams & Youth Leadership Teams—Mike Sylvester— Join us for a discussion on the best ways to recruit core members and catechists for Youth Ministry and how to start and empower youth leadership teams.

5-01 Youth Ministry: Leading Successful Small Groups with Youth—Mike Sylvester— Join us for tips, tools, and a few ‘things not to do’ while leading a small group. Learn about concrete ways in which we can improve as small group leaders and improve the overall small group experience.



2-04 Clarity & Charity: Understanding the Church’s Teaching on Sexual Identity and Same Sex Attraction—Fr. Philip Bochanski— Explore the fundamentals of Christian Anthropology that are necessary to understand human identity, the purpose and plan for human sexuality, and the Church's teaching on same sex attraction and questions of sexual identity.

3-03 Welcoming & Accompanying Catholics Who Experience Same Sex Attractions or Gender Dysphoria— Fr. Philip Bochanski— How do we provide welcome and accompaniment that the Church calls its ministers to provide to people who experience same sex attractions or gender dysphoria? Particular emphasis will be on the virtue of chastity, the importance of authentic friendship, and the centrality of motherhood and fatherhood to our understanding of sexual identity.



3-06 Helping Young Disciples Live Their Faith: Service Ideas That Make a Difference—Nancy Bird—The mission of the Church makes clear that service is integral to Catholics. You will learn about easy ideas for service projects that will help all learners embrace service as a way of life.



3-02 Youth Ministry: The New Face of Youth Ministry—Joe Chernowski & Kelly Simpson— Learn key components to youth ministry, how to execute them, and how youth ministry has adapted over the years.



4-02 Youth Ministry: Rethinking Confirmation—Youth Ministry Panel—A multi-parish panel discussion with ideas about how Confirmation preparation can be fun and engaging for teens.



5-06 Youth Ministry: The Movement of Life Teen—Randy Raus & Mario Trujillo—Learn about Life Teen or to learn how to more effectively implement it. Find out how to navi-gate through and maximize benefit from Life Teen re-sources.