

Holy Name of Jesus-St. Gregory the Great Parish

YOUTH GROUP FALL FEST

All teens (8th - 12 grade) are invited for
food, fun, and fellowship.

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16TH
FOLLOWING THE 6PM MASS
(7PM - 9PM)**

School Building, 3rd Floor
Dinner will be provided

New to Youth Group? No problem! Register with a
parent/guardian using the following QR Code:



*Please bring 1 non-perishable food item to the meeting, to benefit refugees in
our neighborhood.*

Questions? Contact Anthony & Kate Bonini at youthgroup.hnj.nyc

HNJ-ST GREGORY PARISH YOUTH GROUP!

WHAT IS YOUTH GROUP?

Youth Group is a welcoming place for all teenagers at any point in their personal faith journey. We offer a variety of events and activities that are geared to help young people develop a deeper relationship with Christ, make new friends, and have positive, confidence-building experiences. In addition to our monthly group meetings, we will offer community service opportunities, outings, and retreats. Our focus is on faith, fellowship, service, and FUN!

Youth Group provides a unique space outside of school and home. There is no pressure and no expectation to be anyone other than yourself. It is a place to be comfortable, ask questions, and get to know other young people in your community.

WHO IS YOUTH GROUP FOR?

8th - 12th graders (13-18 years old).

WHEN AND WHERE DOES YOUTH GROUP MEET?

Our monthly meetings will take place on the following Sundays from 7-9PM, immediately following the 6PM Mass:

- Sunday, October 16, 2022
- Sunday, November 13, 2022
- Sunday, December 11, 2022
- Sunday, January 22, 2023
- Sunday, February 12, 2023
- Sunday, March 19, 2023
- Sunday, April 23, 2023
- Sunday, May 21, 2023
- Sunday, June 11, 2023

We have a furnished and dedicated space on the third floor of the school building next to the church.

HOW CAN I JOIN YOUTH GROUP?

No formal commitment to Youth Group is needed - our door is open any time, to any teen! A parent/guardian must complete a one-time, online permission form for their child to participate. It's easy!

See here: <https://forms.office.com/r/pxLwfCPv57> or use the following QR code:



WHAT SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES DOES YOUTH GROUP OFFER?

Each month, we will participate in a different service event. For October, we're asking all youth group members to bring 1 non-perishable food item to our meeting. All items will go to refugees in our neighborhood.

We are also partnering with youth at Ascension Parish (221 W 107th St.) to staff a food pantry!

The food pantry occurs the third Saturday of each month, from 9AM - 12PM, at Ascension. If you're a teen and are interested in volunteering, contact us!

HOW CAN I STAY UP-TO-DATE ON YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES?

Join Flocknote! There is a dedicated page in our Parish's Flocknote for Youth Group. Please sign up here: holynamenyc.flocknote.com/YouthGroup. We will also include messaging in the bulletin.

I'M A PARISHIONER. HOW CAN I SUPPORT YOUTH GROUP?

If you'd like to volunteer with or support youth group, please contact youthgroup@hnj.nyc. Most importantly, please pray for this ministry!

QUESTIONS? WANT TO LEARN MORE?

CONTACT ANTHONY AND KATE BONINI AT YOUTHGROUP@HNJ.NYC