

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the CYE?

CYE is officially the NEW archdiocesan youth gathering for all the high-school aged Catholic youth from parishes and schools within the Archdiocese of Hartford. It is a one-day event filled with music (from a band), talks from an inspirational speaker, prayer and adoration, games, food, cool exhibits, time for confessions, and a closing mass with the Archbishop.

Why have a CYE?

1) Every diocese across the country hosts a one-day event for their bishop to gather with the Catholic youth from all over their diocese. Hartford needs/should have that kind of gathering as well! 2) Youth need to see other young people at a large and local faith event. These kinds of events are impactful for their faith. Don't let the youth from your school or parish miss out!

When and where will it be held?

CYE will take place on Sunday September 30, 2018 from 10am-5:30pm. September is considered a "kick-off" month, with schools open and parish programs up and running. It is the perfect time for a large youth gathering so that your young people can start the year off with a bang! The CYE will be held at St. Paul High School in Bristol, CT. We will spend most of the day in the gymnasium as well as in the field & auditorium.

Who can attend?

Catholic high-school-aged youth and their adult chaperones from parishes and schools of the Archdiocese of Hartford. Clergy and religious are welcome

What will the day be like?

Prayer, live music, inspirational talks, games, food, exhibits, activities, adoration, mass.

Who are adult chaperones?

Anyone over the age of 18 who is "leading" or "chaperoning" a group of young people. High school seniors who are 18 years old and attending as participants are **not** chaperones.

What does the cost cover?

Food, speaker, facility, and surprises.

Have a question that is not on here? Send an email to <u>Miriam.Hidalgo@aohct.org</u> Most frequently asked questions will be posted on here. Thank you!