

## **SERVE 2023: JUNIOR HIGH WORK CAMP**

July 5, 6:00pm-8pm; July 6-8, 8:30 am-8:00 pm

Pick up is always at 8pm.

**Who:** Any **rising 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> graders** interested in participating in a local service experience. Participants will join us from the parishes of St. Leo the Great, St. Mark, St. Mary of Sorrows, St. Paul Chung, and St. Veronica.

**Where:** All activities will begin and end at:  
**ST. MARK Catholic Church**  
**9970 Vale Rd.**  
**Vienna, VA. 22181**

Forms and payment due by **June 16!**

No late registrations will be accepted.

**What:** This is an opportunity for middle school students to grow closer to Jesus Christ while serving our local community. The camp will include daily Mass, Confession, Eucharistic Adoration, inspiring talks, engaging small group discussions, and impactful service projects. Service projects include: a food drive, mulching, curb painting, and various parish projects.

*Participants are expected to remain in attendance each day from start to finish. Early dismissals, late arrivals, or doctor appointments are not permitted throughout the duration of camp.*

**Attire:** Do where comfortable, modest work clothes, shorts that are fingertip length, sneakers; Don't wear tank tops, skintight clothes such as yoga pants or leggings, flipflops, or crocks.

**Bring:** A bag lunch (no nuts or sesame please), sunscreen, water bottle, basic tools according to site, and a good attitude.

**Cell Phone:** **Students must turn in cell phones at the beginning of each day. Cell phones and electronic devices, including smart watches are NOT allowed, and are grounds for dismissal.**

**Meals:** Breakfast, dinner, and snacks are provided.  
Please bring your own bag lunch for Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

**Fee:** The cost is \$75 for each participant (Checks made out to **ST. MARK** Catholic Church. A T-shirt is included. Each youth will be asked to bring donations for a couple of the service projects. Details will be emailed out to everyone at a later point.

**Parents must attend the Parent Info Night on Wednesday, July 5, 2023 at 6:00pm at **ST. MARK**.**

**Questions?** Contact Kevin Flores at [kflores@stmark.org](mailto:kflores@stmark.org)

Parent Orientation  
Wednesday, July 5, 6 pm

Parent Program  
Saturday, July 8 at 6:45 pm

(Join us for the Vigil Mass at **ST. MARK** at 5:30pm followed by dinner and a presentation at 6:45pm.)