

# SEPTEMBER

**Saturday, September 10**  
**10:00 a.m.**  
**Parish Office**

## **Planning Meeting**

This meeting is for the planning team and any adult who would like to assist in planning.

**Saturday, September 10**  
**11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**  
**Youth Room**

## **Service Day.**

*Looking for service hours or just want to help out?*

We will be making crafts for Santa's castle, sandwiches for a homeless shelter and helping take care of the church gardens. Everyone is asked to bring a loaf of bread and a jar of peanut butter.

Wear old clothes. We will meet in the youth room.

**Saturday, September 17**  
**Sunday, September 18**

We will be selling Chicken Dinner and 50/50 tickets following all of the masses. Volunteers are needed. Email Mr. Rich if you can help.

**Sunday, September 18**  
**6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**  
**Youth Room**

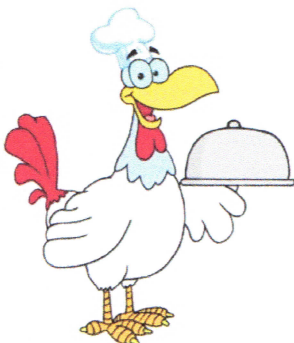
## **Topic Night: Kodak Kaper Results / Open Gym**

Even if you couldn't join us for Kodak Kapers you will want to see the pictures and what team takes home the prize. We will also discuss upcoming events and have open gym & game time. Chicken dinner and 50/50 tickets will be available. The night will end with make your own ice cream sundaes.

***Bring a friend!***



**Saturday, September 24**  
**4:00 – 8:00 p.m.**



## **Chicken Dinner Fundraiser**

This is an important event and will be our main fundraiser for the year. All of the proceeds will go to support our youth ministry program. A flier with more details is included. ***What do we need from you?***

1. Invite your family and friends to the dinner. Tickets will be available at the topic night, at the parish office or by contacting Mr. Rich.
2. Sell the 50/50 tickets. Tickets will be available at various youth group events for you to take home.
3. Volunteer to help at the dinner. We will need help setting up, serving and cleaning up.

# OCTOBER

**Saturday, October 1**  
**10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**



## **Gunpowder Nature Walk & Lunch**

Join us as we take a hike on a nature trail around Gunpowder Falls. We will be going to the trail that is right off of Belair Road. Following the hike we will have lunch at the Gunpowder Lodge. You can choose from a hamburger/cheeseburger, corn dog or pork barbeque. Your lunch will come with fries or mac-n-cheese and a drink. We will meet at the youth room at 10:00 a.m. and return approximately 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$10.00 and permission slips are required. To attend you must sign up by September 27. You can sign up at a youth group event or by emailing Mr. Rich. Parent drivers are needed.

**Saturday, October 1**  
**1:00 p.m.**  
**Parish Office**

## **Planning Meeting**

This meeting is for the planning team and any adult who would like to assist in planning. We will meet immediately following our hike & lunch. We will be brief.

**Sunday, October 9**  
**6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**  
**Youth Room**



## **Topic Night: Election 2016**

Who would you vote for in the presidential election? What issues are important in this election? What is right and wrong with our political process? How does our faith play a part in our decision? Join us for a talk show format as we look at Election 2016. This should be an interesting and active topic night. We are looking for youth volunteers to help organize and lead this discussion. Please contact Mr. Rich if you would like to help. Permission slips and money for Beachmont Corn Maze will be collected.

# OCTOBER

**Saturday, October 15**  
**6:00 – 9:30 p.m.**



## **Beachmont Corn Maze**

Join us and your favorite super heros for an adventure in the 6-acre interactive corn maze with over 2 miles of pathways. The theme this year is Super heros. This is located at Beachmont Christian Camp on 6433 Mount Vista Rd. in Kingsville. In addition to the corn maze there will be a bonfire, hayride and other fun activities. The cost is \$11.00 per person. Additional money may be needed for concessions. We will meet at the youth room at 6:00 p.m. and return at 9:30 p.m. Permission slips are required. Permission slip and money are due by October 9. Parent drivers needed.

**Friday, October 28**  
**6:00 – 8:30 p.m.**  
**School Gym**



## **School/Parish Halloween Party – Trunk or Treat**

We will be planning and hosting a Halloween party for the school and parish children. Volunteers are needed to decorate, set up, serve food, organize games, give out candy and do a haunted house. Everyone who attends is asked to bring a dessert and/or snack for the kids. This is a service project for our school and parish. More details will be given. Please sign up in advance.

## **Baltimore Youth Catholic Conference**

**November 18-20**

**Ocean City, Maryland**

**\$275.00**

Join us and youth from all over the archdiocese for a weekend at the beach filled with faith, friendship and fun. Specific details will be available shortly and a meeting will be held for all interested people. Our 50/50 raffle this year will go to subsidizing some of the cost. Please email Mr. Rich if you are interested in participating. Space is limited and this is on a first come basis. **Hope you will consider being part of the BYCC!**

## How to deal with social issues in High School

Always work on your self esteem

Focus on the future, not past mistakes

Accept disappointments and move on

Respect all, be non-judgmental

Be confident, but not arrogant

Accept compliments and criticism gracefully

Have a sense of humor

Be comfortable being alone

Think and act independently and express opinions without fear of what others think.

Know who your friends are and rely on them when needed.

Have an adult you can go to for advice or when things get tough.

No you are not alone - everyone has these issues

Pray - Find a friend in Jesus



# Fried Chicken Dinner

Saturday, September 24

4:00 to 8:00 p.m.

School Gym

## Cost:

- Adults: \$12.00
- Kid's Meal (10 or under): \$7.00
- \*Additional \$3.00 per ticket if purchased at the door.

## Menu:

- Fried ½ chicken, mashed potatoes, vegetable
- Rolls, drink & dessert

## Purchase Tickets:

- Tickets will be available at youth group events, at the parish office, following the masses on September 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> or by emailing Mr. Rich.

## 50/50:

- 50/50 tickets will be available at youth group events, following the masses on Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, at the dinner or by emailing Mr. Rich.

## What Do We Need From Our Youth Group Members

- Spread the word
- Sell chicken dinner tickets.
- Sell 50/50 tickets. (When you take tickets home you must return the money or the tickets.)
- Volunteer to sell tickets after the masses on September 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Volunteer to set up, serve and/or clean up.



# Beachmont Corn Maze

## **SUPERHEROES!**

Join us and your favorite Superheroes for an adventure in a 6-acre interactive corn maze with 2+ miles of pathways.

## **OTHER ACTIVITIES INCLUDE!**

Hayride, Jousting, Giant Ball Slinger, Rubber Ducky Race, Straw Bale Maze, Pebble Beach Play Box, Football Follies, Baseball Throw, Corn Bag Toss and a Bonfire



**Saturday, Oct. 15**  
**6:00 p.m.**  
**Cost: \$11.00**

**Permission Slip & Money**  
**Due by Oct. 9**

**Bring a Friend!**



# Guppy Gulch 2016



# Adults Needed!

## **St. Michael the Archangel** High School Youth Group Adult Volunteer Information

In order for the youth group to be active and participate in many activities it is essential to have the support of parents and other interested adults. Adult volunteers are needed to chaperone, drive to off-site events, prepare food, assist in planning activities, and to help as it is needed. The goal is to have enough interested adult volunteers that it does not become a burden, but rather enjoyable for the adults too. To be an adult volunteer and driver for the high school youth group you must complete two things:

1. "Shield the Vulnerable" is the program the Archdiocese requires for all volunteers to participate in youth events. "Shield the Vulnerable" is a web based presentation with questions and answers. When signing up please specify St. Michael the Archangel in Overlea as the parish. This takes about 40 minutes to complete. The link to the web site is: <https://www.shieldthevulnerable.org/default.aspx>

2. Volunteers must get approval from the Archdiocese to drive for youth group events. To get approved you must fill out the Driving Record Consent Form and email it to Chanan Lewis at [chanan.lewis@archbalt.org](mailto:chanan.lewis@archbalt.org). When you email the form please specify that this is for St. Michael the Archangel in Overlea. If you are unable to scan and email the form please send the completed form in to the parish office in an envelope marked "youth group".

**Contact Rich Olkowski at 410-952-7959 or [smyouthorg@gmail.com](mailto:smyouthorg@gmail.com) if you have any questions and/or would like to volunteer.**



Permission Form

Youth Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Youth e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Youth Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Emergency Contact (Name & Phone #) \_\_\_\_\_

As parent or guardian of my son/daughter, I do hereby agree to allow my son/daughter to participate in the following activity (event/date/time): **Gunpowder Hike & Lunch / October 1, 2016 / 10:00 a.m.**

In consideration of the opportunity for my son/daughter to participate in the activity, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, I knowingly and voluntarily on behalf of myself and my minor child do hereby agree to forever RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY St. Michael the Archangel Parish, the Division of Youth & Young Adult Ministry, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Baltimore and his successors, a Corporation Sole, and all their affiliate organizations, and respective agents, employees, officers, directors, volunteers, and any officials, referees, and other participants (the Released Parties) from any liability, claims, demands and causes of action arising out of or relating to any loss, damage or injury (including death) sustained in connection with or arising out of my son/daughter's participation in the activity. By my signature below, I acknowledge that my child's participation in the activity involves inherent risk of minor or serious injury, including permanent disability, death, and/or economic losses which might result from my child's actions or inactions, the negligence of others, the inherent risks of the activity, the rules of play, the condition of the premises, or of any equipment used. I have voluntarily elected to allow my child to participate, and I fully understand, appreciate, and hereby assume all such dangers and risks. I understand that my child's participation in said activities may require a minimum level of fitness for safe participation, and that the Released Parties do not screen, medically or otherwise, individuals that participate in the activity. I acknowledge that it is my sole responsibility to make certain that my child is physically fit and healthy enough to participate in the activity.

I understand that the Released Parties do not provide medical treatment or medical, health or other insurance coverage for my child, however, I hereby grant permission for any staff member of the activity to obtain medical care from a licensed physician, hospital, or medical clinic for my son/daughter in the event that I cannot be reached.

(Check one of the following:)

I am covered by hospitalization and medical insurance under: policy# \_\_\_\_\_ issued by \_\_\_\_\_.

I do not have medical coverage and assume responsibility for the cost of hospitalization and medical care for my son/daughter.

I hereby grant permission to any staff member to provide the following over-the-counter drugs (or their generic equivalent) to my son/daughter if requested by my son/daughter (Check all that apply:)

Tylenol/Acetaminophen  Benadryl Diphenhydramine  Advil/ Ibuprofen  Imodium/ Antidiarrheal

Neosporin/Antibody Ointment  Pepto Bismol

Doses of such drugs will be provided in accordance with the instructions contained on the drugs' packaging.

ADD any other medical information concerning medication, allergies, illness, etc.: \_\_\_\_\_

ADD any dietary restrictions: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/guardians of participants are advised that photographs or digital recordings of participants may be used in publications, websites or other materials produced from time to time by the St. Michaels, Division of Youth & Young Adult Ministry or the Archdiocese of Baltimore. (Participants will not be identified, however, without specific written consent). Parents/guardians who do not wish their child(ren) to be photographed or digitally recorded should so notify an activity staff member. Please note that the Released Parties have no control over the use of photographs or digital recording taken by media that may be covering the event in which your child(ren) participate(s).

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE RELEASE AGREEMENT, UNDERSTAND THAT I GIVE UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature

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Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent cell: \_\_\_\_\_

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Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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