



Seaside Teen Core Members



DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: Friday, July 9th, 2021. Bring to Resurrection Church or email to Alyssa Gendreau at agendreau@hinghamcatholic.org

Who are We Looking for?

Seaside Life Teen is looking for a Core Team who is engaging, vibrant, loves the Lord, and able to engage others in an enthusiastic way.

What will my responsibilities be?

As a Teen Core member, you will be leading table discussions with the Confirmation students. You will be responsible for this group for the whole year. Additionally, Teen Core is responsible for helping out in setting up and breaking down both Mass and the Life Night, signing in Confirmation students to mass, and participating in the mass as Eucharistic Ministers, Readers, etc.. People are depending on you so it is important to make sure you're committed. See "Dedication" section.

What are the commitments to be on Teen Core?



As a Teen Core Member, you are committing to attending at least 75%, that is **19 of the 25** Sunday evenings, of all Life Teen Masses followed by Life Night (4:40 PM - 8:30 PM). Life Nights are on the following dates: **9/12** (Kickoff Cookout), **9/19, 9/26, 10/3, 10/24** (Social Issue Night #1), **11/7, 11/14, 11/21, 11/28, 12/5** (Social Issue Night #2), **12/12, 1/9, 1/16, 1/23** (Worship Night), **1/30, 2/13, 2/27** (Social Issue Night #3), **3/6, 3/13, 3/20, 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/24** (Worship Night), **5/1** (Goodbye Cookout). Core is also expected to attend two Core-only nights on **10/17 and**

12/19, as well as the annual Core Retreat on **January 8th, 2022 from 9am to 4pm**. In addition, we will need your help with either the 9th Grade Retreat (**April 9th, 2022 from 9am to 4pm**) OR the 10th Grade Retreat (**October 16th, 2021 from 9am to 4pm**) at Resurrection to lead table discussions. **We ask all Teen Core Members to attend the opening Life Teen Mass at Resurrection on September 12th, 2021. There will also be a mandatory orientation night at Resurrection on Wednesday, September 1st,, 2021 from 6 - 9 PM.**

What are the requirements to be on the Teen Core?

You have to be a practicing and confirmed Catholic in High School and be faithful to the **Teen Core Pledge** (below).

What do I get out of being a part of this Ministry?

All dedicated Teen Core Members will have 1st pick on any outing planned for the year. See seasidelifeteen.org/upcoming-events for trip details

In addition, you will receive a \$550 travel stipend (4:40 PM - 8:30 PM) for trips we have planned. However, you are required to attend at least 75% of the Sunday evenings, 19 times of the 25), or you will forfeit your travel stipend.

What do I need to do to apply?

If you're interested in being part of Teen Core, please see attached Application and Pledge.

TEEN CORE APPLICATION

Name and Date of Birth:

E-Mail Address (Frequently Checked):

Cell Phone:

School / Year of Graduation:

Home Address:

Parental Contact Information:

Parent Name: _____

Parent Email (checked frequently): _____

Parent Cell: _____

1. What has been a big “God moment” for you in the past year?

2. Do you have a daily prayer life? If so, what is it like?

3. What do you like to do in your free time/hobbies/sports?

4. Why do you feel called to be a member of teen core?

5. What gifts and talents can you bring?

I understand and give permission to Father, Alyssa, and Adult Core to contact my child or myself via text or group text with regard to Life Teen events. Parent Initial _____

Student Signature _____ **Date:** _____
Parent Signature _____ **Date:** _____

Seaside Life Teen Core Pledge

PLEASE INITIAL, along with one parent, the following statements as proof of you commitment

- I intend to practice and keep the following spiritual disciplines during my service to Teen Core:
 - 20 minutes of daily prayer (ex: rosary, scripture reading, moments of silence, spiritual reading, praying for other teens...). **Student (S)**____ **Parent (P)** _____
 - Monthly Confession **S**____ **P**____
 - Sunday Mass **S**____ **P**____
- I will attend, not be late, and not leave early from Core Orientation Training Night on **Wednesday, September 1st from 6pm-9pm**. **S**____ **P**____
- I will attend at least **19 of 25** in person Sunday evenings, including the **September 12th** opening Mass. I understand that if I come to less than the required Life Nights, I forfeit the entire travel stipend. I also understand that the travel stipend has to be used by next August or it will be forfeited. **S**____ **P**____
- I understand that I'll be asked to leave Teen Core if I attend less than **19** in person Life Nights. **S**____ **P**____
- I promise to be on time (4:40 PM) on Sundays that I serve and to not leave early (8:30 PM). I understand that if I leave early or arrive late, I will be marked as absent. **S**__**P**__
- It will be assumed that I will be coming 4:40 - 8:30 PM on Sunday evenings. I promise to give a **24 hour** notice if I cannot come on Sunday. **S**____ **P**____
- I will attend, not be late, and not leave early from Core Retreat on **Saturday, January 8th, 2022** from 9am to 4pm. **S**__**P**__
- I will help out with the Confirmation Retreat for either 9th or 10th grade (**April 9th, 2022 from 9am to 4pm** or **October 16th, 2022 from 9am to 4pm**). **S**____ **P**____
- I intend, to the best of my ability, to come to Thursday night adoration from 8:30 to 9:30 PM as a way to deepen my spiritual life and connect with my brothers and sisters. **S**____ **P**____
- I will strive to focus particularly on hospitality. **S**____ **P**____
- I understand that the best way to serve my brothers and sisters in Christ through this ministry is to give my full effort and attention to leading them as a Teen Core Member. I therefore pledge to have no romantic involvement with the other members of the Edge or Teen Core. **S**____ **P**____
- I will dress modestly and appropriately (no leggings, or anything above the knees) and will wear my Core Shirt with a name tag. **S**____ **P**____
- I understand that if I post inappropriate pictures or videos on social media, consume alcohol or any drugs, or persist in a counter Christian lifestyle that I may be asked to leave the Core Team **S**____ **P**____
- I promise not to bring or use my phone during any of the time I'm serving, except for emergency/absolute necessity. I understand that my phone may be taken away if not used for these reasons. **S**____ **P**____

Applicant Signature _____ **Date:** _____
Parent Signature _____ **Date:** _____

T-Shirt Size (Circle One)? S M L XL XX

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