



## Conference & Lodging

July 20-22, 2018

Hilton Americas Hotel

1600 Lamar St, Houston, TX 77010

George R. Brown Convention Center

1001 Avenida De Las Americas, Houston, TX 77010

### Logistics Information

July 20, 2018 (Friday)

- **Check-in will be at 3:00pm** in the lobby of the Hilton Americas Hotel on Friday.
- Parents must sign-in their teen at check-in.
- If you make arrangements for another adult to check-in/out your teen, a signed note granting permission must be provided in advance.
- Teens may not drive themselves.

July 22, 2018 (Sunday)

- **Check-Out will be at 12:00pm** in the lobby of the Hilton Americas Hotel on Sunday.
- Parents must sign-out their teen at check-out (same instructions as above).

#### What to bring

- Extra spending money for optional souvenirs, and for any extra food you may want (Suggested amount around \$50-100)
- \$5 to be turned in on Friday at check-in. The \$5 is for the collection at Sunday Mass (optional).
- Clothes that are modest and comfortable shoes
  - ⇒ Jeans or *modest* length shorts (minimum of 5 inch inseam)
  - ⇒ T-shirts; Saturday T-shirt provided
- **Refillable Water Bottle**
- Flip flops or garden pad to use as a kneeler (optional)
- Toiletries
- Bible, Rosary, Notebook, Pen
- Camera or cell phone (for all of those group photos)
- Your favorite snack and extra breakfast items to share with your hotel roommates
- Rain jacket (just in case)
- Backpack or drawstring bag if you need to carry stuff around

#### What NOT to bring

- Drugs
- Alcohol
- Tobacco, including vapes
- Weapons
- Anything of value (you can bring your iPod, etc. - But do it at your own risk!)

#### Meals

- Friday Dinner - box meal covered by St. Mary
- Saturday & Sunday Breakfast - St. Mary will provide breakfast bars, fruit, and water. The coffee shop in the lobby is also popular amongst the teens.
- Saturday Lunch & Dinner - provided by the Conference
- Saturday late night snack - pizza provided by St. Mary

#### **Will AYC accommodate special diets?**

Unfortunately, AYC does not have the ability to meet a variety of dietary needs. They will provide a vegetarian meal in replacement of the typical beef and chicken plates. Vegetarian plate requests must be made during online registration through Cvent.

#### Medications:

If the participant needs to take any type of medication (prescription or non-prescription) while at AYC, they **MUST** put it in a baggie with their name and instructions clearly written. All medications must be turned in at check-in.

#### Code of Conduct

In the event a teen does not follow the code of conduct, the parent/guardian will be called to pick up the teen immediately and no refund will be given.

## Emergency Phone Numbers

David Harley (Director of Youth Ministry)– 612.386.6709

\*\*\*numbers are for emergencies only\*\*\*