

2010 Youth Discipleship Camp Registration Packet
(can be found on our website or a packet can be picked up in FF office)

We are excited to be offering you this Discipleship Camp, to be held
August 15th-20th, 2010 at Camp Timbers in West Branch.

The registration packet will help you and your youth as they prepare for the upcoming camp program. We are limiting the size of the camp to 30, so registration will be on a first come, first served basis. Payment must be received by **June 23rd**.

The registration packet contains the following information:

- Camper Registration Forms*
- Code of Behavior*
- Packing List*
- Parent Information Sheet*
 - ♦ *Map & Directions to the Camp*

The following information will help you as you prepare:

Arrival and Departure:

- We will begin at **noon** on **Sunday, August 15, 2010**. All campers will need to be dropped off at Camp Timbers. Registration will begin at **11:00 a.m.**
All campers must be checked in by noon! Lunch will be served.

- We will conclude at **12:45 p.m.** on **Friday, August 20, 2010**.
All campers must be picked up by 1:00 p.m.

Please be advised that participants are expected to be present for the entire camp program.

Program payment and submission of forms:

Cost for the camp is \$230.00. The parish will pay \$100.00 of the total cost. Your payment of \$130.00 for Discipleship Camp is due by **June 23rd**.

With your payment, please submit the following forms:

1. **Camper Registration Forms.** Please provide all requested information.

2. **Code of Behavior.** Each youth participant and his/her parent or guardian must sign and return a Code of Behavior form.

All forms and money should be sent to:

Assumption Parish
Attn: Sr. Mary Lou

Check for \$130.00 is made out to Assumption BVM Parish.

Code of Behavior

We are happy and excited that you are joining us as part of the **2010 Youth Discipleship Camp**. The *Code of Behavior* has been developed as a way of helping participants understand what is expected of them during the week, and of making the learning experience a healthy and growth filled one for all involved. Please read through the *Code* carefully, as you will be expected to honor and uphold it throughout your time with us.

As necessary as rules are to maintain order, they can't and won't guarantee a successful camp experience. Success depends on people's willingness to work together for the common good.

- Participants represent their parish. The sponsoring parish and the families of campers assume responsibility for any damage done to the facilities.
- Participants are expected to attend all sessions unless explicitly excused by the Program Director.
- Name badges should be worn during all program activities.
- Dress throughout the camp experience is casual, however shirts and shoes must be worn at all sessions and meals. Modest swimwear-NO 2 piece suits
- Socializing should take place only in the designated public areas of the housing facility. No visiting is allowed in sleeping areas occupied by the opposite sex.
- Each day will be a busy one - making adequate sleep a necessity. Participants must be in their respective cabins by curfew time. The noise level in the sleeping areas should be kept at a minimum. Scheduled quiet and silent times must be honored. Only the Program Director can alter curfew times or the timing of any other scheduled activity.
- The purchase, possession or consumption of alcohol or drugs by participants will result in immediate dismissal from the program. Major infractions of the *Code of Behavior* will meet with the same consequences.

Parent or Guardian: I agree that my child shall abide by the rules and regulations outlined in the *Code of Behavior*. I have reviewed it and discussed the *Code* with my child prior to signing this form. I agree that if my child fails to consistently abide by the *Code* or engages in a serious infraction of the *Code*, he or she may be immediately dismissed from the camp program and sent home at my expense.

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Youth Participant: I understand and agree to the *Code of Behavior*. I also understand that my parent(s) or guardian will be notified at the time of any infractions requiring my dismissal from the program and that I will be sent home at my own or their expense. (Your signature must appear below in order to participate in the camp program.)

Signature _____ **Date** _____

Parent Information Sheet

Program Site: YMCA Camp Timbers

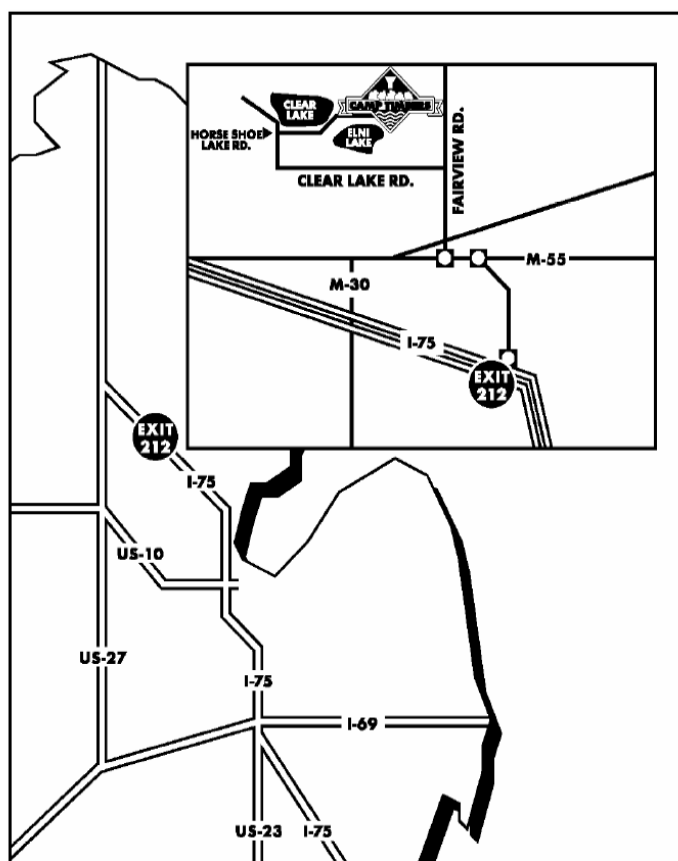
Emergency Phone Number: Camp - (989) 345-2630

Program Dates: August 15-20, 2010

Departure and Return Times: We will begin at **noon** on **Sunday, August 15, 2010.**

We will conclude at 12:45 p.m. on Friday, August 20, 2010.

All campers must be picked up by 1:00 p.m.



From the south, take I-75 north to exit 212 (West Branch). Turn right toward West Branch. Pass through 3 traffic lights. At the 4th traffic light (Fairview Road), turn right. Follow Fairview Road 5 miles to the top of a BIG hill. Turn left onto Clear Lake Road. Follow Clear lake Road for 5 miles to Clear Lake. Turn right onto Horseshoe Lake Road. Follow Horseshoe Lake Road for 1 mile to the camp entrance. Stay right on camp drive to the main lodge parking area.

Packing List:

(take the minimum; pack lightly)

- ☐ **Bedding and Towels:** Sleeping bag or blanket and sheets • Pillow
• Towel/washcloth
- ☐ ***Clothes:** Jeans or casual pants • Shorts • T-Shirts/short-sleeve shirts (NO tank tops or strapless) • Long-sleeve/sweatshirts • Light-weight jacket/sweater • Sleepwear • Swimsuit
• Socks • Underwear • Hiking shoes • Tennis shoes
- ☐ **Personal Needs:** Toothbrush/Toothpaste • Comb/Brush/Hairdryer
• Soap • Shampoo • Deodorant • Medications (consider non-prescription medications for headaches, stomach upset, colds, etc) • Sunscreen/ sunglasses
- ☐ **Other:** Bible Journal/Notebook • Pen/Pencil • Raingear/umbrella • Flashlight
- ☐ **Optional:** Camera/film • Shower shoes (flip flops) • Mosquito repellent

***Please make sure that your clothing is appropriate for a co-ed, Christian program.**

Please do not bring:

- ☐ Electronic games, CD players or Ipod's
- ☐ Cell phones
- ☐ Expensive clothing, jewelry, and equipment
- ☐ Candy, snacks, pop, etc
- ☐ Weapons of ANY kind (to include pocket knives)
- ☐ Lighters or matches
- ☐ Fireworks

**2010 Youth Discipleship Camp
Registration Form
*** One form per participant *****

SECTION A – Registration Information

Campers Name: _____ Grade (2010/2011): _____
Street Address: _____ Phone: _____
City/ZIP: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Parish: _____ T-Shirt Size: Sm Med Lg XL
Mother's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Father's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

SECTION B – Medical Treatment Authorization

To Whom It May Concern:

I hereby authorize treatment for **my child** by a qualified and licensed physician of any condition which, in the opinion of the physician, is deemed necessary and appropriate. This authority is granted only after a reasonable effort has been made to reach me/my family.

Name _____ Relationship to you (if minor): _____

Reason for which release is intended: 2010 Youth Discipleship Camp

Address: _____ City: _____

Emergency Phone(s): (____) _____ (____) _____

Family Physician: _____ Phone: _____

Physician Address: _____ City: _____

List allergies, medication, contacts, or other pertinent comments:

Health Insurance Data:

Company: _____ Policy: _____

Group: _____ Contract: _____

I further authorize the person who presents the minor to sign the Acknowledgment of Receipt of Notice Privacy Rights that may be presented by the physician or health care facility.

This authorization is completed and signed of my own free will with the sole purpose of authorizing medical treatment deemed necessary and appropriate by the treating physician.

Date: _____ Signed: _____

(Adult or Parent/Guardian)

SECTION C – Youth Behavior Guidelines

I have read and understand the Behavior Guidelines and agree to follow them for the Discipleship Camp. As parent or legal guardian, I remain fully responsible for the actions and conduct of my child. If it is necessary for my child to return home before the group returns, I understand it will be at my expense.

Youth participant signature

Parent's signature

SECTION D – Parental Statement of Consent (must be completed for those under the age of 18)

I hereby consent to participation by my child, _____ in the *Discipleship Camp* to be held August 15-20, 2010, in West Branch, MI. I understand that my child will be under the supervision of the designated Diocesan and/or parish employee/volunteer on the stated dates. I further consent to the conditions stated in the event description on page 1 regarding participation in this event, including the method of transportation.

In consideration of my child being allowed to participate in the *Discipleship Camp*, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the Catholic Diocese of Saginaw and _____ Parish, any and all affiliated organizations, their employees, agents, and representatives, including volunteer and other drivers, from any and all claims, including negligence, arising from or relating to my child's participation in this event. This indemnification and hold harmless and defense agreement does not apply to claims for intentional misconduct.

Print parent's name

Parent's Signature

Date

SECTION E – Media Release (must be completed for those under the age of 18)

I _____, hereby give permission for the personnel of the Catholic Diocese of Saginaw to photograph, videotape and/or voice-tape my child/children (or allow area news reports to do the same for the purposes of (please check the items you will allow):

In-School/Parish Purposes use only

Public information for promotion of Diocesan, School, or Parish programs (brochures, newspapers, radio, or television)

Catholic Diocese of Saginaw website

_____ Parish website

Student Name (s): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____