

## what is cli?

• the catholic leadership institute is a joy-filled, five-day experience for high school leaders. cli uses engaging, hands-on techniques to form and equip the youth of the erie diocese in becoming outstanding christian leaders and disciples in their school, parish, and in the larger community. using proven leadership principles, the youth will discover and better appreciate how their God-given talents and gifts can be used to build up and enliven any person, program, or community.

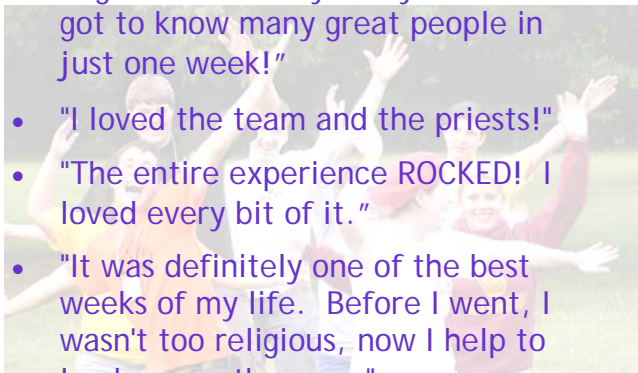


### mission statement

• *catholic leadership institute exists to help young people to deepen their relationship with Jesus Christ within a joy-filled community of faith, calling forth, empowering and utilizing their God-given gifts for leadership in the church and the world.*

## quotes

- "I grew immensely in my faith and got to know many great people in just one week!"
- "I loved the team and the priests!"
- "The entire experience ROCKED! I loved every bit of it."
- "It was definitely one of the best weeks of my life. Before I went, I wasn't too religious, now I help to lead my youth group."



## what all happens @ cli?

• many workshops/talks help teens to develop skills in leadership, communication, planning, group dynamics, prayer, organization, and decision-making.

• small groups are a great opportunity to help teens to better understand the depth of our faith, as well as answer many of their questions about their personal faith experiences. participants and team members grow in faith together through discernment, decision-making, listening, prayer time, peer ministry, and affirmation.

• prayer and worship experiences help youth to discover a vibrant sense of God as they learn how to plan for their own prayer experiences and liturgies.



• more than a fleeting experience, the youth will be sent back to their parish or school with the skills and confidence needed for continued growth and education about their faith and leadership within that faith.

## who should attend cli?

• cli is designed for youth who are currently in grades 9-12 who will also be involved in parish, school, or other leadership positions.

## registration/fees

• the total cost of cli is \$200.00 and that price includes the following:

- housing
- food
- materials
- a cli tee-shirt
- a binder with meaningful stuff from the whole week to help after cli is over
- complete the form on the back of this page and return it to the diocesan youth office with a non-refundable deposit of \$100.00, which will hold your place for the upcoming cli retreat experience.
- the remaining \$100.00 balance is due before the start of cli.
- if you are now, or intend on being a sports team captain, a school officer, or help out in your parish - often times your coach, principal, or pastor will help you to pay for this retreat.

## cli registration form

(mail in to the diocesan address  
located on the back of this brochure  
before may 20th, 2011.)

- gender (please circle): M / F
- name: \_\_\_\_\_
- address: \_\_\_\_\_
- city/state/zip: \_\_\_\_\_
- phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_
- email: \_\_\_\_\_
- current school: \_\_\_\_\_
- expected grad. year: \_\_\_\_\_
- parish: \_\_\_\_\_
- tee-shirt size: \_\_\_\_\_

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for office use only:

- deposit paid: \_\_\_\_\_
- date: \_\_\_\_\_
- balance left: \_\_\_\_\_



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