



## ON THE MENU:

**Jollof Rice and  
Chicken  
by  
the Agada Family**

## Youth Ministry Newsletter

### A FEW REMINDERS:

1. Confirmation Rehearsal is on Sunday, March 17 beginning at 3p. All students and sponsors are expected to attend. Students are expected to contact Sponsors. If either a student or sponsor cannot attend, a parent should plan to attend in their place.
2. Middle School Students (6th and 7th grades) will practice for their Experiential Stations of the Cross (March 22) on Sunday, March 17 immediately following the Celebrate Youth Mass. Practice should take about an hour.
3. There will be no Christian Formation Classes on Sunday, March 24, 31 and April 7 due to Palm Sunday, Easter and Spring Break. Enjoy your time off.
4. Confirmation Students are expected to participate in Holy Thursday Foot Washing on Thursday, March 28. Please arrive by 5:30p for a review of what is to happen with foot washing and striping of the church.
5. We are beginning to look at dates and leadership for VBS. Our co-leader with Tiffany Philpot, Anna Fitzgerald is moving and won't be able to help-SOOOBBB-so we're looking to add to our leadership team. If you are interested in being a part of the leadership team, leading at station or a crew, please be in touch with Elise or Tiffany as soon as possible! Remember, we'll be looking for Youth help as well!

That's it for now! Have a great week and enjoy this beautiful weather!  
Peace, Elise

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## IN CLASS THIS WEEK:

**MIDDLE SCHOOL:** The class will discuss how the grain of wheat becomes bread. They also will discuss how the bread of the Eucharist helps us understand who Jesus is and how the Mass gathers us together as a people. As a family, share your experiences of Mass. What are some of your best experiences? Why are these experiences so special? Also ask your son or daughter to share what he or she learned about the Prophet Jeremiah from the play the class performed. Ask why Jeremiah's message was so hard for the people to hear.

**PRAY TOGETHER:** One evening before the family meal, stand around the table and give each person a small piece of bread. Ask each person to imagine how simple seeds planted in the soil became this delicious bread. Let each member of the family say a simple thank-you prayer for the life and Death of Jesus. Then pray the Lord's Prayer together, eat the pieces of bread, and enjoy the meal.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** As we continue our journey into the Eucharistic Revival, this week we continue our conversation about Jesus, God's desire to be in a relationship with us and how we are called to the same characters of obedience and commitment. But what does that mean--especially as we enter into the final weeks of Lent?

## UPCOMING EVENTS



**CELEBRATE  
YOUTH  
MASS  
March 18  
11:15a**

**Sponsored by  
6th Grade**

**10:30a: All 6th Graders  
should arrive to help greet people in the  
courtyard as they arrive**

**11:15a: Celebrate Youth Mass  
Students will be greeters and lectors**

**This is part of our class for the weekend.  
Students are expected to participate.  
All are welcome!**



# YOUTH STATIONS OF THE CROSS



**Need potential Middle School Volunteers for  
Experiential  
STATIONS OF THE CROSS  
March 22, 2023**

**Rehearsal March 17, 2023 12:45-1:30.**

**Contact Elise as soon as possible if  
interested! [echapman@stanncc.com](mailto:echapman@stanncc.com)**

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