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Dear Youth Ministry Coordinators,

As we celebrate the feast of Pentecost, the Birthday of the Church, I pray that the outpouring of the Holy Spirit continues to bless and renew and your ministries. Spring is coming to an end and summer is about to begin. I'd like to kindly remind you of a few announcements:

- 1) We are hosting an End-of-Year Appreciation Happy Hour for you on Friday, May 31 from 5:00-7:00PM at Maya Traditional Mexican Cuisine. It's an opportunity for us to fellowship and celebrate your year of ministry, and most importantly, to extend our gratitude for your ministerial work. Please RSVP so we can plan accordingly with the restaurant.
- 2) Youth On A Mission 2024 is coming up and we invite you to nominate your high school youth leaders to attend. YOAM (for short) is happening this summer on July 8-11, 2024 and will be held at Redwood Christian Park, Boulder Creek, CA. YOAM is not a retreat, but an exciting summer leadership training for high school youth leaders. We're excited to collaborate with the Oakland and San Jose dioceses for this event, and because of that, spaces are limited, so please submit your nominations and registrations now. For more information, please visit YOAM 2024 on our website.
- 3) ON FiRE turns 15 this year! Join us this year on Saturday, September 14, 2024 at Six Flags Discovery Kingdom in Vallejo to celebrate our major milestone anniversary! We're stoked to bring back amazing talents who've made their mark at ON FiRE including Katie Prejean McGrady, Josh Blakesley Band, SkaAmen, and Joe Melendrez! Tickets are available now for purchase! Plan ahead and reserve your tickets today. For more info, please visit the ON FiRE website.

We will continue to keep you posted on upcoming events. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Come, Holy Spirit!

Blessings,

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