

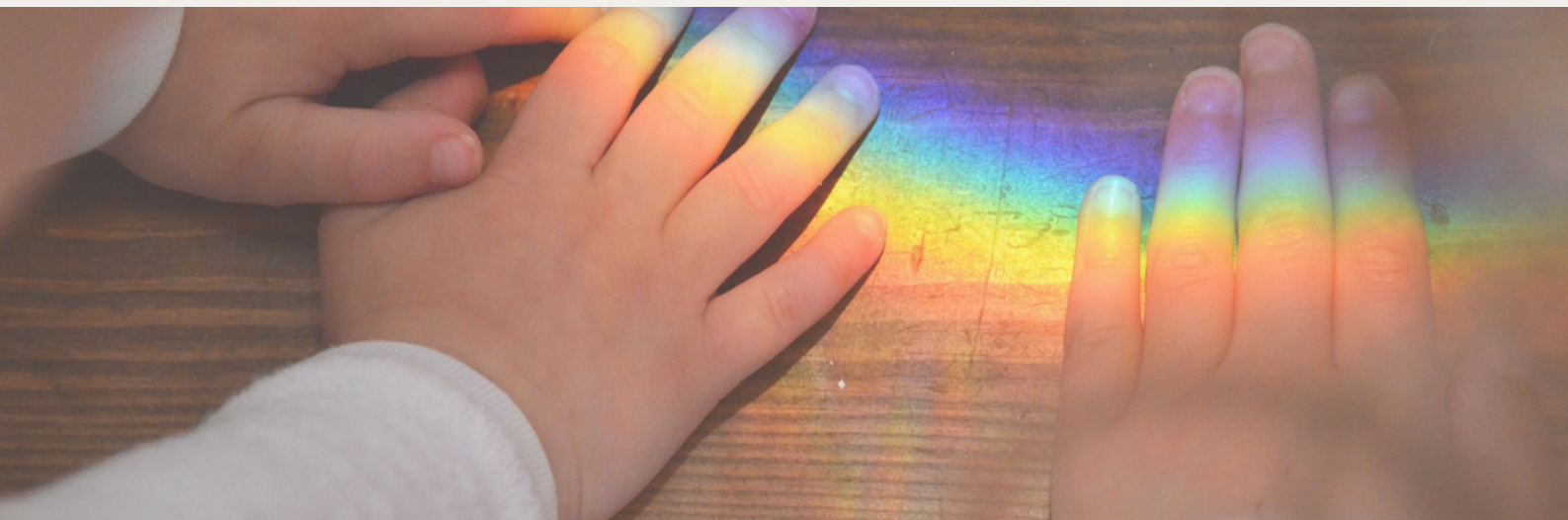
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulation to tân BCH Đoàn Gioan Phaolô II Nhiệm Kỳ 2022 - 2024

Đoàn Trưởng: Maria Nguyễn Thị Thanh Thảo

Phó Quản Trị: Gioan Baotixita Nguyễn Văn Nam

Phó Nghiên Huấn: Ân Nguyễn Vũ Yến Nhi

Thư Ký: Têresa Hoàng Đỗ Mai Linh

Thủ Quỹ: Ana Nguyễn Vũ Yến Nhi

Shout out and CONGRATS Đoàn Gioan Tông Đồ newly promoted Huynh Trưởng cấp I: Anna Cao Angela & Maria Nguyễn Holly.

Thank you for all of your dedication and saying YES to serving!

TRAINING CAMPS

Tiberia XVII and Sinai 30

See attachment below for more info.

POPE'S INTENTION



We pray for children who are suffering, especially those who are homeless, orphans, and victims of war; may they be guaranteed access to education and the opportunity to experience family affection.

Chúng ta hãy cầu nguyện cho trẻ em đau khổ, trẻ em sống ngoài đường phố, trẻ em là nạn nhân của chiến tranh, trẻ em mồ côi, để các em được giáo dục và tìm thấy tình thương nơi mái ấm gia đình.

CHILDREN WHO SUFFER

Tr. Maria Goretti Tạ Maria - Đoàn Tôma Thiện - Buffalo, NY



“For the children.” That is often the response of anyone who serves in Thieu Nhi. Many of us have dedicated countless years, possibly even a majority of our lives in service to children. I have always been moved by not only the spirit but the truth that lies in childhood. I have found that my purest moments of witnessing Christ in action are when I am with cac em. It is found in the wonder of learning about the 7 days of creation for the first time or having a burning question finally be

answered, or understanding at a deeper level the meaning behind the Holy Triduum. Too often we take for granted the blessing that is the children who surround us. They represent the legacy that carries on well after we have finished our own time here on earth. They themselves have so much to share. When was the last time you allowed them to share those gifts?

Pope Francis’s intention this month to me also calls to mind the children of the Ukrainian war. It can not be ignored that war still rages in the year 2022. Battles fought over resources, land, ideologies and the like have marked countless lives. I cannot fathom the terror, sorrow, and possibly even anger of these children whose lives have been changed forever. It is easy to forget the impacts of war when it does not land at our own doorstep. To recap, the Ukrainian war has been raging since the escalation of the invasion in February of this year. Since then, deaths have risen to 38,000 and approximately 14 million people have been displaced. Coming from a history of displaced people due to war, we can begin to understand the realities the people of Ukraine face but let us think especially of the children. These children were living their lives as children, going to school, hanging out with friends, and eating dinner with their families when one day they were forced to immediately leave everything and everyone they’ve known for fear of imminent death. No person let alone a child should have to suffer that turmoil. God teaches us that children are the ones to inherit the kingdom of heaven and that they are the gifts He has bestowed onto us in this realm. I pray that the children of Ukraine find peace, hope, love, and the embrace of their families near and far to be able to endure such a tragedy.

This month I am also thinking of the childhood of our parents, the childhoods that run in our veins. Many of our parents and grandparents did not have the childhoods we have or are experiencing. Many of them sacrificed, suffered, hoped, and prayed for a better life for their own children. It makes me wonder how often we appreciate the childhoods we have been blessed with. While not all of us had or are going through easy childhoods and we each face our own unique set of challenges, we have in our power to ensure a safer, more beautiful world for the children to come. For myself, I have tons of fond memories of my younger years in Thieu Nhi with all the field trips, Christmas parties, dance practices and class projects. We should reflect on the sacrifices that

made those memories possible and then we should work to ensure the next generation of children have the opportunity to create even more wondrous memories. That is how we show Christ's love.

A child does not ask to be born into this life therefore there is an inherent responsibility of those around that child to nurture, raise, support, and love that child as God loves all of His children. As members of Thieu Nhi Thanh The, we swear an oath to lead and guide the children inside our movement. We guide them to live lives of holiness so that they may shine for others and be the beacon of God's love. Not all children are blessed with this kind of care but yet our responsibility extends to those children as well. Ask yourself what is your responsibility to the next generation. Who raised you to be where you are today? What moments of impact as a child have stayed with you? Children were not made to suffer, they were made to thrive and be loved. That is my hope and prayer for all the children of the world. We all were once children and it was through the pouring out of countless blessings and teachings that molded us into a position to care for the next generation of children. Let us continue to serve with our whole hearts and create all opportunities we can for the children of this world.

Congratulation



Liên Đoàn Thánh Phaolô Hạnh xin
hoan hô chào mừng tân Tuyên Úy
Đoàn Kitô Vua Cha Phanxicô Phạm
Đức Huy.



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TÂN BCH ĐOÀN GIOAN PHAOLÔ



Đoàn Têrêsa Hàì Đồng, Bridgeport, CT
25th Anniversary



Đoàn Gioan Phaolô, South Plainfield, NJ
4th Anniversary



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MEMORANDUM

N22-011

September 05, 2022

To: League of Chapters and Chapter Chaplains
League of Chapters and Chapter Executive Committees

Subject: Youth Leader Level III and Youth Leader Trainer Level II Training Camps, 2023

Dearest Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants, Youth Leader Trainers, and Youth Leaders:

In an effort to accompany our Youth Leaders and Youth Leaders Trainers, National Executive Committee is pleased to announce to all eligible members of the VEYM the following training camps:

SA MẠC CẤP III LÃNH ĐẠO

IN-PERSON YOUTH LEADER LEVEL III TRAINING CAMP, TIBERIA XVII

1. Location: Camp Holy Cross; 108 Cape St, Goshen, MA 01032; nearest airport code with VEYM transportation service; BDL
2. Date & Time: From 02:00 PM Wednesday the 31st of May to 02:00 PM Sunday the 4th of June, 2023
3. Registration Fee: \$200.00
4. Deadline: Apply before the 14th of February 2023 (*late applications will not be accepted*)
5. Registration Requirements: (1) 21 years or older; (2) Copy of government issued photo ID and VEYM self-portrait picture; (3) Certified as a Youth Leader Level II for at least six months; (4) Currently active within the VEYM; (5) Endorsed by the Chapter President, League of Chapters President, Chapter Chaplain, and League of Chapters Chaplain; (6) Chapter registered under is in compliant with VEYM guidelines and policies.

SA MẠC HUẤN LUYỆN VIÊN TRUNG CẤP

IN-PERSON YOUTH LEADER TRAINER LEVEL II TRAINING CAMP, SINAI 30

1. Location: Atlanta, Georgia; nearest airport code with VEYM transportation service; ATL
2. Date & Time: From 02:00 PM Tuesday the 11th to 02:00 PM Sunday the 16th of April, 2023
3. Registration Fee: \$250.00
4. Deadline: Apply before the 10th of January, 2023 (*late applications will not be accepted*)
5. Registration Requirements: (1) 23 years or older; (2) Copy of government issued photo ID and VEYM self-portrait picture; (3) Certified as a Youth Leader Trainer I for at least two years; (4) Currently active within the VEYM; (5) Endorsed by the Chapter President, League of Chapters President, Chapter Chaplain, and League of Chapters Chaplain; (6) Recommended by an active Youth Leader Trainer Level II and; (7) Chapter registered under is in compliant with VEYM guidelines and policies.

TRAINING CAMP REGISTRATION GUIDE

1. Go to <https://camps.veym.net/>
2. Click on the desired training camp to register
3. Fill out the requested information
4. Complete the respective training camp application form (with all signatures signed) and waiver attached
5. Upload all required documentations and click "add to cart"
 - *Tiberia candidates: copy of govt. ID and VEYM self-portrait picture, youth leader II certificate, application form with all signatures signed, and waiver form with all signatures signed
 - *Sinai candidates: copy of govt. ID, youth leader certificate, application form with all signatures signed, waiver form with all signatures signed, and a recommendation letter from an active Youth Leader Trainer
6. Proceed to checkout and pay with a credit card
7. A confirmation email will be provided for record

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation must be notified to headquarters@veym.net two weeks before camp start date to receive a full refund minus \$10 for the servicing fee.

For all questions, please contact the National Executive Committee via headquarters@veym.net or Tr. Daminh Đào Đức Khánh at khanh.d.dao@veym.net. The National Executive Committee will review and will inform applicants of their status as well as other logistic information to prepare for the training camp following the deadline.

May Christ in the Eucharist through the intercession of Mary and St. Joseph, bless you and the good work that you are doing for His glory.



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MEMORANDUM

N22-012

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To: League of Chapters and Chapter Chaplains
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Subject: VEYM 2022-2023 Training Camp Scholarships

Dearest Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants, Youth Leader Trainers, and Youth Leaders:

In an effort to increase awareness that Christ calls each Vietnamese Eucharistic Youth Movement (VEYM) Youth Leader to a life of service, at the same time, to further the VEYM's mission in cultivating servant leaders, the National Executive Committee is pleased to offer the following scholarships to support Youth Leaders and aspiring Youth Leaders who are examples of servant leader for the good of others.

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** The VEYM Servant Leader Training Camp/Convention Scholarship is open to any adult VEYM member (18 years and older) in active status and in good standing for at least one year at the time of application submission. The Chapter in which the applicant identifies with must also be in full compliance with VEYM's policies and guidelines.

2. **SCHOLARSHIP PRIZES:** Twenty (20) prizes total.

- *10X \$150.00 – VEYM Youth Leader Training Camp, Level I
- *5X \$200.00 – VEYM Youth Leader Training Camp, Level II
- *3X \$250.00 – VEYM Servant Leader Training Camp, Level III
- *2X \$300.00 – VEYM Youth Leader Trainer Level II Training Camp

Each scholarship prize will be in the form of a check or Zelle payment made payable to the winner AND presented to the winner at the training camp registered. Winners must be present to receive scholarship prizes. Scholarship prizes must be dispersed in 2023.

3. **HOW TO ENTER:** Beginning October 30th 2022, submit a complete scholarship application no later than December 30th, 2022 at 11:59 pm Eastern Time. Limit one (1) application per person. Application must include:

- a. VEYM Servant Leader Resume (to include all relevant VEYM service, roles and experiences).
- b. A short original, previously unpublished written response to the scholarship question, "As servant leaders in the VEYM, you are called to change hearts, heal divisions, and build community through virtues such as courage, humility, foresight, empathy, and stewardship. How has your Chapter and faith community grow as a direct result of your servant leadership?" Response must also include a brief statement indicating the scholarship category applied for. Response must not exceed two pages, be single spaced, 1-inch margin, and 10-pt Times News Roman font.
- c. Two (2) letters of recommendation. One must be from your affiliated Chapter President with concurrence from your Chapter Chaplain. The second letter can be from any other VEYM members. The letters must attest to evidence of your servant leadership qualities and impact on the Chapter.

Please scan and send the application package to the National Executive Committee at headquarters@veym.net.

4. **SELECTION OF POTENTIAL WINNERS:** The National Executive Committee will convene a panel of judges to review all applications by the due date. Criteria will be based on the above requirements. The winners will be notified by e-mail on the 1st of the Lunar New Year.

5. **OWNERSHIP:** By submitting an application, the applicant acknowledges and agrees that: (a) VEYM will own the applicant's application, including written response submission and all publishing rights. Each applicant hereby irrevocably grants, transfers, sells, assigns and conveys to the VEYM, its successors and assigns, all present and future right, title and interest of every kind and nature whatsoever, including, without limitation, all copyrights, and all rights incidental, subsidiary, ancillary or allied thereto (including, without limitation, all derivative rights) in and to the application and the written response submission(s) for exploitation throughout the universe, in perpetuity, by means of any and all media and devices whether now known or hereafter devised (the "Rights"). The VEYM shall have the right, in its sole discretion, to edit, composite, morph, scan, duplicate, or alter, the Application and written response submission(s) for any purpose which Sponsor deems necessary or desirable, and each applicant irrevocably waives any and all so-called moral rights they may have in the application and written response submission(s) submitted by him or her. Each applicant hereby acknowledges that such applicant does not reserve any rights in and to the application and the written response submissions.

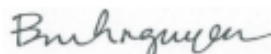
6. **RELEASE AND LIMITATIONS ON LIABILITY.** By entering the scholarship, each applicant acknowledges and agrees that the VEYM, its related affiliates, and each such company's respective employees, officers, directors and agents are not responsible for any costs, injuries, losses, or damages of any kind arising from or in connection with: (i) incomplete, lost, late, misdirected or illegible entries or for failure to receive applications due to any cause, including without limitation human, transmission, or technical problems, failures, or malfunctions of any kind, whether originating with sender, or otherwise, that may limit an applicant's ability to participate in the scholarship; or (ii) any injury or damage resulting, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, from participation in the scholarship and/or the use of any prize, including, without limitation, claims, costs, injuries, losses and damages related to personal injuries, death, damage to, loss or destruction of property, or any claims, costs, injuries, losses, or damages related to or based on the Applicant's rights of publicity or privacy, or the applicant's claim that he or she has somehow been defamed or portrayed in a false light. VEYM assumes no responsibility for any damage to an applicant's computer system which is occasioned by accessing the website or participating in the scholarship, or for any computer system, phone line, hardware, software or program malfunctions, or other errors, failures, delayed computer transmissions or network connections that are human or technical in nature, or for the incorrect or inaccurate capture of information, or the failure to capture any information.

7. **VEYM'S RIGHT TO MODIFY, SUSPEND OR TERMINATE.** In the event the VEYM is prevented from continuing with the scholarships by any event beyond its reasonable control, the VEYM shall have the right in its sole discretion to modify, suspend, or terminate the scholarships.

All questions, please send to headquarters@veym.net.

May Christ in the Eucharist through the intercession of Mary and St. Joseph, bless you and the good work that you are doing for His glory.

Attested,



Rev. FX Nguyễn Thanh Bình, SVD
General Chaplain



Tr. Dominic Hoàng Công Thái Dương, Ph.D.
President, National Executive Committee



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VŨ KHIÊM CUNG SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship honors the work, life, and legacy of Rev. Vũ Khiêm Cung, founder of the Vietnamese Eucharistic Youth Movement (VEYM), St. Paul League of Chapters, formerly known as the Northeastern Region. Born on April 10th, 1940, in Vietnam, Father Vũ Khiêm Cung received the calling to the priesthood at a young age due to the early exposure to Catholicism through his family. Guided by the love for Jesus Christ and strengthened by the Holy Spirit, the bright Vũ Khiêm Cung led the VEYM, St. Paul League of Chapters to uncharted heights with years of excellent leadership, humility, servanthip, and unquestionable morality. As such, the Vũ Khiêm Cung scholarship is intended to motivate, encourage, and provide financial assistance to one Eucharistic Youth Leader annually who exemplifies above and beyond qualities that can contribute to the ever-growing legacy of Rev. Vũ Khiêm Cung.

Scholarship Year:	2023
Scholarship Amount:	\$1,000.00 USD
Eligibility:	Applicant must be an active VEYM member for the past three years and is a certified Vietnamese Eucharistic Youth Leader or college bound Hiệp Sĩ Trưởng Thành (HSTT) in good standing at the time of application submission.
Restrictions:	Previous scholarship winners may not apply.

How to Apply

- Type and submit an essay (no more than 2000 words English or Vietnamese) stating:
 - Your reason for applying to this scholarship
 - Your goals as a VEYM member
 - Your source of motivation as a VEYM member
 - This year the Catholic Church of the United States enters into the Eucharistic Revival campaign (www.eucharisticrevival.org). In reflection of the mission and goals of this campaign describe your own current relationship to the Eucharist and speak on the ways in which your role in VEYM has and/or will contribute to your developing relationship with Jesus in the Eucharist. In developing your relationship, how will you bring the youth to Jesus in the Eucharist.
Please include your saint name, full name, chapter name, phone number, and email on the header or footnote of every page.
- Submit a copy of an official academic transcript from your educational institution (if applicable). Unofficial watermarked transcripts may be submitted if an official transcript cannot be obtained.
- Submit two letters of recommendations from individuals who can speak to your qualities (one must be from a Eucharistic Youth Leader or Chaplain; letter cannot be from a family member).
- Submit a verification letter of "good standing" and "3 years of VEYM involvement" with signatures from the Chapter's President and Chaplain. Appendix A form may be used as verification of "good standing".
- Submit all required documentations to [VKC Scholarship Form](#)

Selection Criteria:

- ✘ Overall presentation of self through the essay and academic achievement(s)
- ✘ Recommendation letters

Timeline:

- ✘ Application available: November 1st, 2022
- ✘ Application due date: May 31st, 2023
- ✘ Notification date: August 31st, 2023
- ✘ Award Ceremony Date: TBA

Process: Recipients are determined in a selection process independently managed by the Vũ Khiêm Cung Scholarship Committee. The Executive Committee of St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters will ensure that the selection process is free of biases via a blind selection process. Selected recipient will be notified via email and payment will be made directly to the recipient. For further details on the selection process, please visit www.liendoanphaolohanh.org.

Contact Information: Tr. Matta Trần Bảo Hạnh

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Tr. Maria Lê Thị Phước
President of St. Paul Hanh League of Chapters