

PHONG TRÀO THIẾU NHI THÁNH THỂ VIỆT NAM TẠI HOA KỲ THE VIETNAMESE EUCHARISTIC YOUTH MOVEMENT IN THE USA

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

INVITATION *YOUTH-LEADER TRAINER CONGRESS*

To: Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants and Youth-Leader Trainers

Subj: Youth-Leader Trainer Congress

Dearest Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants and Youth-Leader Trainers of all ranks:

As we begin the New Year, I extend to you greetings of peace in the Eucharist. May your celebration be filled with God's grace, success, happiness, and abundance blessings.

On behalf of the National Executive Committee and the Academy Headquarters, I present to you the 2017 Youth-Leader Trainer Congress with the following objectives:

- 1. Build relationships and network with other Youth-Leader Trainers
- 2. Highlight key training and educational achievements
- 3. Inform policy changes with regards to training camps at all levels
- 4. Showcase the membership management system and administrative process for training camps
- 5. Present general guidelines on Continuing Professional Development and maintaining Youth-Leader Trainer faculty status
- 6. Town hall forum discussion and recommendations to the Academy Headquarters

The congress will take place at two different locations and times to maximize participation:

- East Coast: Bethany Center; Tampa, Florida (TPA, nearest airport code) Date and Time: The agenda will begin promptly at 05:00 PM on Thursday, April 20th, 2017, and will end at noon on Sunday, April the 23rd, 2017. Deadline: Please apply before March 20th, 2017. Registration Fee: \$50.00
- West Coast: Holy Redeemer Center; Oakland, California (OAK, nearest airport code) Date and Time: The agenda will begin promptly at 05:00 PM on Thursday, July 27th, 2017, and will end at noon on Sunday, July the 30th, 2017. Deadline: Please apply before June 27th, 2017. Registration Fee: \$50.00

The National Executive Committee will forward guidance for the online registration along with other logistic information in the near future.

The National Executive Committee respectfully invite all Chaplains, Chaplain Assistants and Youth-Leader Trainers to attend this important congress for the future of our Movement. Participation in this congress is the responsibility of all Youth-Leader Trainers and it is one of the requirements for Continuing Professional Development. Your presence at this congress will undoubtedly energize the vitality of our Movement.

Yours in the Eucharist.

Attested,

Rev. Joseph Ngô Đình Thông, CSsR Dean, Academy Headquarters

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