

St. Patrick Outstanding Youth Award

*For the Advancement of the
St. Patrick Youth Ministry Program
St. Patrick Catholic Church ~ Iowa City, Iowa*

The purpose of the **St. Patrick Outstanding Youth Award** is to affirm, recognize and support a youth in our parish that has done the most to advance the principals of a Catholic Youth Ministry program on all levels: parish, community, diocese and universal church.

We are seeking nominations of high school juniors or seniors who are members of St. Patrick Catholic Church, promote the components of a comprehensive youth ministry program (listed below), and exemplify to the highest standard, a Catholic way of life. No one could promote all of these components, but many of our youth are active in so many of these areas. We want to find the youth that are most active in promoting and living their faith.

The Bishops have identified eight components of comprehensive youth ministry:

Advocacy
Community Live
Catechesis
Evangelization

Justice & Service
Leadership Development
Pastoral Care
Worship & Prayer

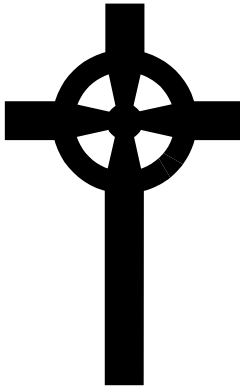
The recipient of the St. Patrick Outstanding Youth Award will receive a certificate and plaque with their name on it and \$200 from the St. Patrick Youth Ministry program and Finance Council.

Nominations must be returned to: Shelly Conlon, Director of Youth Ministry, 4330 St. Patrick Drive, Iowa City, IA 52240, shelly@stpatsic.com by **Sunday, May 4, 2014.**

See reverse side for Rules & Notes

Rules & Notes:

1. The youth must be a junior or senior high school student and a current member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Iowa City, Iowa.
2. Nominations must be returned to:
Shelly Conlon, Director of Youth Ministry, 4330 St. Patrick Drive, Iowa City, IA 52240,
shelly@stpatsic.com by **Sunday, May 4, 2014.**
3. Please do not let the nominee know you have nominated him/her to avoid any sense of competition concerning this award. Many will be worthy of the award each year, but only one will be chosen.
4. The person who nominated the winner as well as the parents of the winner will be notified in advance of the announcement.
5. The award will be presented at the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, May 18, 2014.
6. Recipients will receive a certificate and plaque with their name on it as well as a cash prize up to \$200.
7. **Anyone** can nominate a youth from St. Patrick Church, i.e., parents, grandparents, coaches, teachers, neighbors, employers, friends, etc. Nominators **DO NOT** have to be members of St. Patrick Church.
8. The recipient will be selected by a committee made up of Youth Ministry Committee, Pastoral Council and Finance Council members.
9. Complete nominations will include:
 - a. Nomination Form
 - b. Statement describing nominee's involvement in and support of youth ministry.



*St. Patrick Outstanding Youth
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Nomination Form*

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Nominee's Name: _____

Nominee's School & grade: _____

Nominee's Parent(s) name(s): _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____



Nominated by (your name): _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

How long have you known the nominee? _____

What is your relationship to the nominee? _____

Please explain on the back (or use a separate piece of paper) how this nominee promoted many of the components of comprehensive youth ministry and lived out a life of faith.

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