

Archdiocesan Youth and Young Adult Pilgrimage

What is the Archdiocesan Youth and Young Adult Pilgrimage?

Archbishop Edwin O'Brien invites all young adults [18 -35] and high school age youth to attend the Youth and Young Adult Pilgrimage. For the past 17 years, hundreds of young adults and youth from the Archdiocese of Baltimore have commemorated Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem at the beginning of Holy Week by walking in the **Archdiocesan Youth and Young Adult Pilgrimage**. Carrying palms and a cross, young pilgrims have walked through the Inner Harbor and visited the Basilica of the Assumption. The young church will again bear witness to their love of Jesus Christ, pray, and celebrate at the Youth and Young Adult Pilgrimage to be held on **March 23, 2013**. The total walk is about three miles. We will leave from OLOS at 10:00 a.m., and return at 7:30 p.m. after Mass.

Who should attend?

High School Youth and Young Adults. All students who wish to be confirmed this year. If you do not attend you must complete an approved alternative retreat.

What is the cost?

The cost is covered in your Confirmation Fee.

What about food?

Food **will not** be provided during the Pilgrimage. You will want to eat a good breakfast before coming to OLOS. You should pack snacks and a light lunch which can be eaten throughout the walking portion of the day. Be sure to pack at least one bottle of water.

THERE WILL BE NO OPPORTUNITY TO BUY FOOD DURING THE PILGRIMAGE!

What do I wear?

Sturdy comfortable shoes and comfortable clothes. Layers are best since the weather can change. Sunscreen, a rain poncho, gloves and a hat. Check the weather forecast - it's only March!

What do I bring?

Snacks, light lunch, water bottle, and new or gently used shoes for Share Your Soles. For more info go to ShareYourSoles.org

PERMISSION SLIPS MUST BE COMPLETED, SIGNED AND RETURNED BY *February 24, 2013*