

YOUTH SAFETY DOCUMENTS

St. Barnabas Lutheran Church, Cary, Illinois

Introduction:

It is the goal of St. Barnabas Lutheran Church to provide a safe place of nurture and care for all youth. While no one but God can deter the human heart from sin, these guidelines can help us live up to God's call to love our neighbors as ourselves. Thank you for your cooperation.

Objectives:

1. To demonstrate God's love for the youth under our care.
2. To promote the safety and welfare of the youth and volunteers entrusted to us.
3. To provide a standard of care for all areas of ministry with youth.

Volunteer Leader Packet:

The following procedures and forms are to be given to all volunteers and staff working with youth under the age of 18 as well as interested parents and congregation members. The procedures apply to all activities sponsored by St. Barnabas, at the church facility or off-site.

Introduction, Objectives, Content
Screening Process for Adult Volunteer Leaders and Chaperones
St. Barnabas Safety Policies and Guidelines
Application for Volunteer Ministry among St. Barnabas Youth
Driver Form for Off-campus Church Activities
Incident Report Form
Procedures for Alleged Child Abuse
Alleged Child Abuse Report Form

Parent/Guardian Packet:

Introduction, Objectives, Content
St. Barnabas Safety Policies and Guidelines
Youth Expectations and Student Discipline Policy
Youth Activity Consent & Health Form
Off-Campus Church Activity Parent/Guardian Authorization Form