

Spring Retreats

Service Retreat:

March 9th

1:00pm-5:15pm: Does community service interest you? Learn about the needs of our neighbors and help a local organization in their ministry to serve the hungry.

Location: TBD

Notes: Transportation provided.
Includes service hours. Limited availability

St. Francis of Assisi: Retreat

April 28th

Do you love animals? Join us as we celebrate St. Francis as our model to take care of animals at a local shelter

Location: Homeward Bound pet adoption center

Environmental Retreat:

May 18th

As Christians we are called to be stewards of the earth. Join us as we visit the Center for Environmental Transformation to learn about Urban Farming and to volunteer in the garden.

Winter Retreats

Men's Retreat:

February 9th 1:30pm-4:00pm: This retreat provides time for the young men at GCHS to gather for reflection, discussion and fellowship centered on unique male issues on the spiritual journey.

Location: GCHS

Notes: You will need to miss last period of the day.

Women's Retreat:

February 9th 1:30pm-4:00pm: This retreat provides time for the young women of GCHS to gather in fellowship. This retreat will consist of fun activities, music, socializing and culminate in the Eucharist.

Location: GCHS

Notes: You will need to miss last period of the day.

Racism and Justice Retreat

January 27th

Join us as we examine the presence of racism in our society and how we can use Catholic Social Teaching to promote reconciliation and change.

Location: GCHS and off campus location.

March for Life

January 20th (full day- in DC)

Join us as we travel to DC to march for pro-life issues on our nation's capital.

Fall Retreats

Be Latino for a Day: ☐

October 13th (during school)

Be immersed in Latino culture and explore similarities to your own culture you may not know exist. Join us as we share Spanish food, reflection and Mass.

Location: Sacred Heart Parish in Camden, NJ/ GCHS

Notes: You will miss the first half of the school day. Limited availability.

Night Without A Home: ☐

Thursday, October 6th (Overnight Retreat)

What is it like to be homeless? Join us for a night of speakers, service and sleeping outside as we are offered a glimpse of what it's like to be homeless.

Location: GCHS Courtyard

Notes: This is an overnight retreat where students will be sleeping outside. Includes service hours. Limited availability.

Welcome the Stranger : ☐

November 15th (during school)

Learn what it is like to walk a mile in someone else's shoes. Father Ramos will lead us through what it is like to be an immigrant in a new land. Join us for cultural Mass, food and community as we expand our horizons!

Location: GCHS

Notes: Limited Space

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Next Steps Retreat:

October 28th

Prepare to transition your faith life as you graduate high school and become independent. Join us at Stockton University as we learn from college students on how to grow our faith after high school

Location: Stockton University

Notes: You will miss the entire school day

Kairos:

November 8th-11th (Overnight Retreat)

Meaning "God's Time" in Greek, Kairos is a student-run retreat program that allows students the opportunity to step back from the many demands of life at GCHS in order to intentionally reflect on their relationships with God, with themselves, and with others.

Location: Holy Spirit Retreat House, Holy Spirit, NJ.

Notes: Takes place during the school week, overnight retreat, transportation provided

*** IF YOU ARE
INTERESTED IN ATTENDING
KAIROS THERE IS A SEPARATE
APPLICATION PROCESS AND
FEE.

Please return this sheet to Mrs. Silber
to hold your spot

GCHS Junior-Senior Retreats, Days of Service and Reflection



2022-2023

Student Name _____

Student Email _____

Parent Email _____

Grade _____

HR Teacher _____

Retreat (1st choice):

Leader: ☐

Retreat (2nd choice):

Leader: ☐

OTHER RETREAT IDEA: