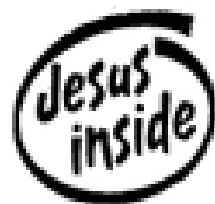




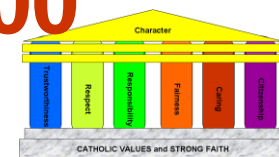
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2009-2010 Calendar

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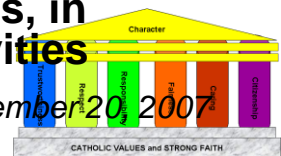


# STATWC Objectives

It is the intention of those who are gathered here:

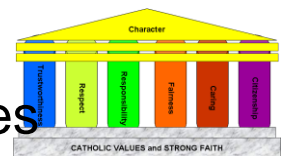
1. to assist youth in forging a **personal relationship with Jesus Christ** by supporting growth opportunities in all areas of human development; physically, spiritually, and cognitively
2. to **develop leadership skills** in parish youth in the areas of writing, speaking, listening, and serving
3. to create a learning atmosphere for youth within the faith community of St. Thomas that **balances fun and effort** in the faith formation process
4. to encourage **active participation by parish youth** in their faith formation
5. to **recognize the efforts of parish youth** in building the faith community of St. Thomas, by way of quantifiable targets, such as, in hours served, or in funds and goods collected for outreach activities

Adopted on September 20, 2007



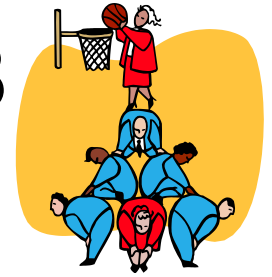
# TWC Member Expectations

- Model Servant Leadership
  - Lead self first
  - Model desired behavior
  - Engage and serve others first
  - Develop servant leadership skills in others
- Demonstrate Leadership
  - Trustworthiness
  - Respect
  - Responsibility
  - Friendship
  - Fairness
  - Caring
  - Citizenship
  - Fun
- Respectfully Wear STATWC T-Shirt at all STATWC activities
  - Pillar Meetings, Service Projects, other STATWC Activities



- Time
- Talent
- Treasure

# August 2007 -> August 2008 Results Summary



## • GRAND TOTALS

### – 21+ Service Activities:

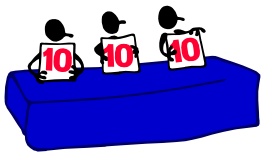
- 47+ Teen participants; 1,332+ Teen hours

### – Pillar Meetings & Leadership Development:

- 41+ Teen participants; 968+ Teen hours

### – Fund Raising:

- Kettle Korn: \$2,100+
- Hesed House Eye Clinic: \$3,300+



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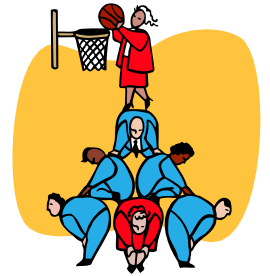


• Time **September 2008 -> August 2009**

• Talent

• Treasure

# Results Summary



## • GRAND TOTALS

### – 33+ Service Activities:

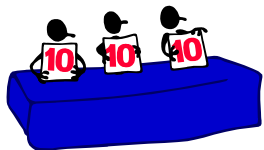
- 121+ Teen participants; 1,570+ Teen hours

### – Pillar Meetings & Leadership Development:

- 181+ Teen participants; 1,854+ Teen hours

### – Fund Raising:

- Kettle Korn: \$800+
- Hesed House Eye Clinic: \$800+



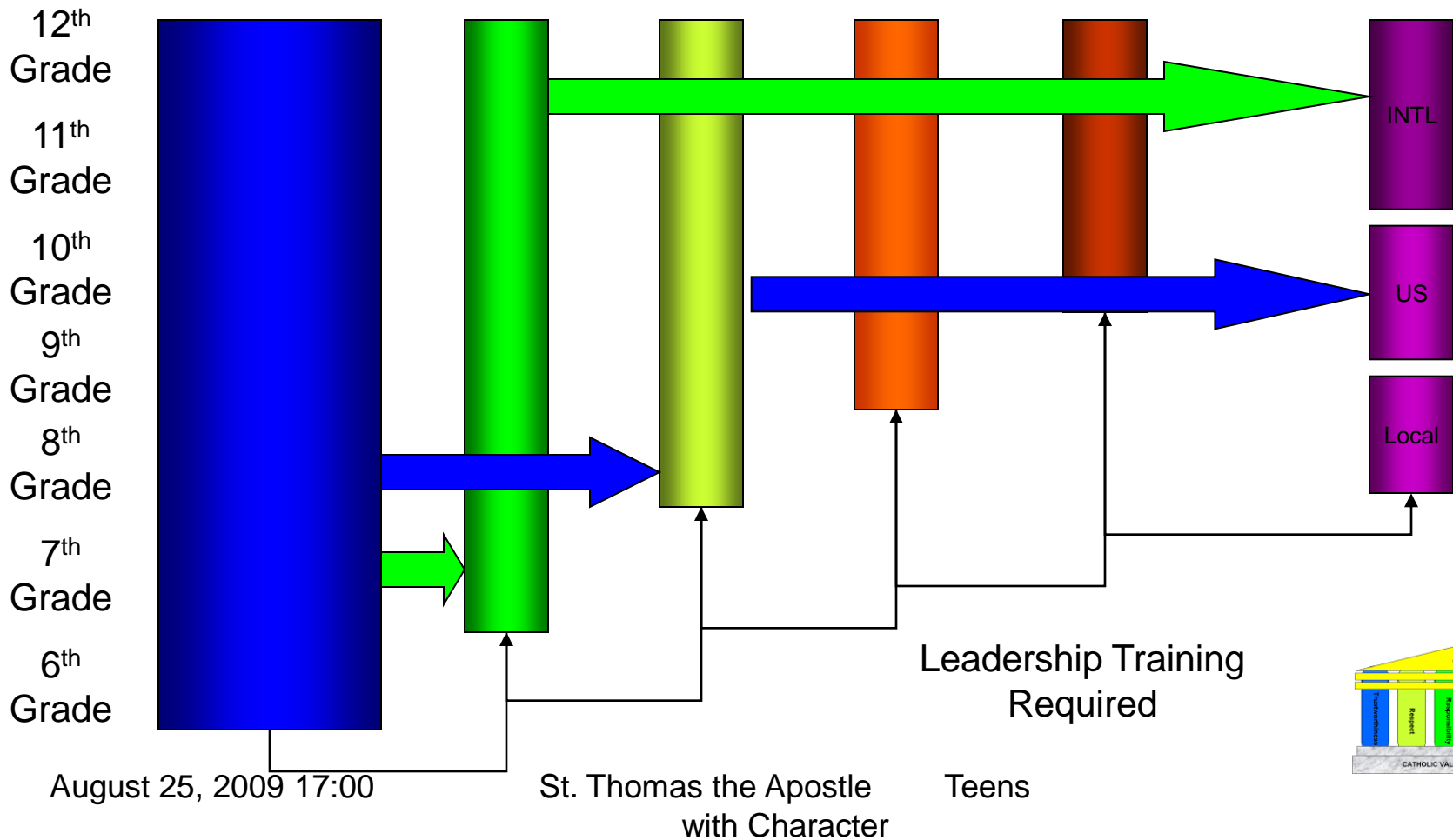
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# TWC Growth Opportunities!

## Leadership Formation Model

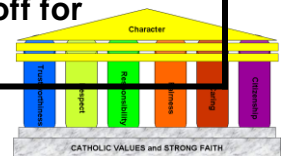
Pillar and Service Participation    Service Leadership    Pillar Leadership    Teen Mentors    Spiritual Gifts Notre Dame    Service Missions (Aurora, WV, Haiti, ...)



# MS/HS YM\* & TWC Experiences

| Description  | *Middle School (MS) & High School (HS) Youth Ministry | St. Thomas the Apostle TWC   |
|--|---|--|
| Primary Target Audience:                           | STA MS & HS Youth (and families, as appropriate)      | STATWC MS & HS Youth (and families, as appropriate)  |
| Coordination/Leadership:                           | Youth Minister  | STATWC Advisor and STATWC Teen   |
| Experience Structure:                              | Experience specific, Youth Minister defined as needed | STATWC Servant Leadership process  |
| Experience Objectives:                             | Youth Minister defined as needed                      | <b>STATWC Servant Leadership objectives</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Consistent with our Catholic faith &amp; values</li> <li>2. Safe (physically, psychologically, ...)</li> <li>3. Relational (develops community)</li> <li>4. Age Appropriate</li> </ol> |
| Experience Preparation, Formation, and Reflection: | Youth Minister defined as needed                      | <b>STATWC Servant Leadership process</b><br>(opening & closing prayer, debrief, and experience specific preparation and reflection as appropriate)   |
| Experience Results:                                | Youth Minister defined as needed                      | <b>STATWC Servant Leadership process</b><br>(attendance, hours, activity summary, pictures, service hour sign-off for schools)   |

\* MS/HS YM: Middle School / High School Youth Ministry



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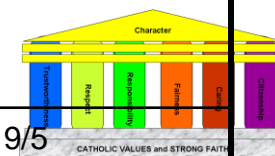
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|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
|                                      |                                       |   | <a href="#">Haiti Mission</a>  | <a href="#">Haiti Mission</a>   | <a href="#">Haiti Mission</a>        | <a href="#">Haiti Mission</a>        |
| 2<br><a href="#">Haiti Mission</a>   | 3<br><a href="#">Haiti Mission</a>    | 4<br><a href="#">Haiti Mission</a><br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a> | 5<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a><br>Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | 6<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a><br>MS/HS YM <a href="#">Bible &amp; Sports</a> , 7-9pm @ Gym             | 7<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a> | 8<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a> |
| 9<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a> | 10<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a> | 11<br><a href="#">Ecuador Mission</a>                                 | 12   | 13 TWC Meet the MS YM – Margie 7-9pm @ STA Cabin<br>MS/HS YM <a href="#">Bible &amp; Sports</a> , 7-9pm @ Gym | 14                                   | 15                                   |
| 16                                   | 17 HS YM Water Park                   | 18  | 19 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm?? KP*                                       | 20 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm  | 21 FMSC 6:00pm @ FMSC (65)           | 22                                   |
| 23                                   | 24                                    | 25  | 26   | 27 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin   | 28                                   | 29                                   |
| 30 August 25, 2009 17:00             | 31                                    | 9/1 St. Thomas the Apostle  | 9/2  | 9/3   | 9/4                                  | 9/5                                  |



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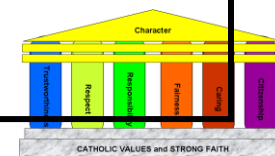
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|  |             |             | TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin      |            |   |
| 6 TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 7 Labor Day | 8           | 9                                      | 10 TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 11         | 12 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA     |
| 13                                     | 14          | 15          | 16                                     | 17                                    | 18         | 19 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats |
| 20                                     | 21          | 22          | 23                                     | 24 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm          | 25         | 26  |
| 27                                     | 28          | 29          | 30                                     | 10/1 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 10/2       | 10/3  |



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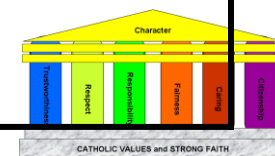
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| Sunday 9/27                            | Monday 9/28 | Tuesday 9/29                             | Wednesday 9/30                           | Thursday 10/1<br>TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | Friday 10/2 | Saturday 10/3                                   |
|--|-------------|--|--|---|-------------|---|
| 4 TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 5           | 6  | 7 TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | 8   | 9           | 10 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA     |
| 11                                     | 12          | 13 TWC & Blood Drive, 3-7:30pm @ STA Gym | 14                                       | 15 TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin             | 16          | 17 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats |
| 18                                     | 19          | 20                                       | 21                                       | 22 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm                      | 23          | 24  |
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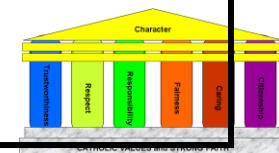
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| Sunday 11/1                          | Monday 11/2 | Tuesday 11/3                             | Wednesday 11/4                            | Thursday 11/5                         | Friday 11/6 | Saturday 11/7                                   |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--|---|---------------------------------------|-------------|---|
| TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA |             |  |   | TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin      |             | MS/HS YM Sleep Out Saturday                     |
| 8 MS/HS YM Sleep Out Saturday        | 9           | 10                                       | 11 TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | 12 TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 13          | 14 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA     |
| 15 MS/HS YM Harvest Sunday???        | 16          | 17 TWC & Blood Drive, 3-7:30pm @ STA Gym | 18  | 19 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm          | 20          | 21 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats |
| 22 MS/HS YM Harvest Sunday???        | 23          | 24                                       | 25  | 26 Thanksgiving                       | 27          | 28  |
| 29                                   | 30          | 12/1                                     | 12/2                                      | 12/3 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 12/4        | 12/5  |



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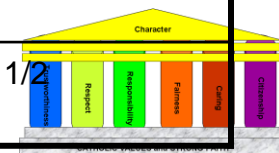
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# December 2009

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|--|--------------|--------------|---|--|------------------|--|
| 6<br>TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA    | 7            | 8            | 9   | 10<br>TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin         | 11               | 12 MS/HS YM Care Pantry Christmas, MS/HS YM St. Nic's Lady of Guadalupe                    |
| 13<br>MS/HS YM Christmas Shoebox Packing ??? | 14           | 15           | 16<br>MS/HS YM Christmas Shoebox Packing ???          | 17<br>TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin       | 18               | 19 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats<br>MS/HS YM Christmas Shoebox Delivery ??? |
| 20   | 21           | 22           | 23  | 24   | 25<br>Christmas  | 26   |
| 27   | 28           | 29           | 30  | 31   | 1/1<br>New Years | 1/2  |



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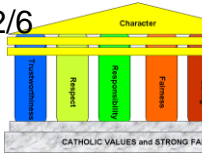
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| Sunday 12/27                              | Monday 12/28 | Tuesday 12/29 | Wednesday 12/30                          | Thursday 12/31                            | Friday 1/1<br>New Years | Saturday 1/2   |
|---|--------------|---------------|--|---|-------------------------|--|
| 3<br>TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 4            | 5             | 6 TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | 7   | 8                       | 9 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA   |
| 10  | 11           | 12            | 13                                       | 14 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm              | 15                      | 16 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats  |
| 17  | 18           | 19            | 20                                       | 21 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin       | 22                      | 23   |
| 24  | 25           | 26            | 27                                       | 28 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin       | 29                      | 30   |
| 31  | 2/1          | 2/2           | 2/3                                      | 2/4<br>TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 2/5                     | 2/6<br> |

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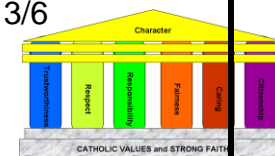
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| Sunday 1/31                            | Monday 2/1 | Tuesday 2/2 | Wednesday 2/3 TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | Thursday 2/4 TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | Friday 2/5 | Saturday 2/6                                    |
|--|------------|-------------|--|---|------------|---|
| 7 TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 8          | 9           | 10   | 11 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm                    | 12         | 13 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA     |
| 14                                     | 15         | 16          | 17   | 18 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin             | 19         | 20 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats |
| 21                                     | 22         | 23          | 24   | 25 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin             | 26         | 27  |
| 28                                     | 3/1        | 3/2         | 3/3  | 3/4 TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin          | 3/5        | 3/6   |



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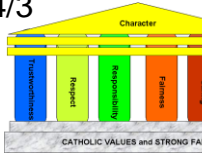
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| Sunday 2/28                               | Monday 3/1 | Tuesday 3/2<br>TWC & Blood Drive, 3-7:30pm @ STA Gym | Wednesday 3/3<br>TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | Thursday 3/4<br>TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | Friday 3/5 | Saturday 3/6   |
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| 7<br>TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 8          | 9  | 10  | 11 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm                       | 12         | 13 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA  |
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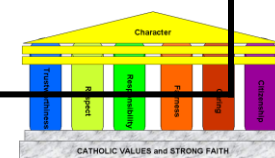
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|---|-------------|--------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------|---|
| 4<br>Easter                             | 5           | 6            | 7 TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | 8 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin    | 9          | 10 TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA     |
| 11 TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 12          | 13           | 14                                       | 15 TWC Pillar Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 16         | 19 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats |
| 18                                      | 19          | 20           | 21                                       | 22 TWC Advisor Mtg, 7-8:30pm          | 23         | 24  |
| 25                                      | 26          | 27           | 28                                       | 29 TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin   | 30         | 5/1   |



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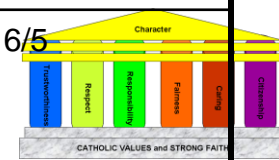
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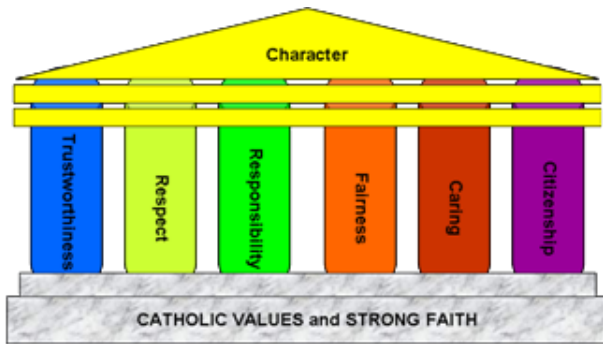
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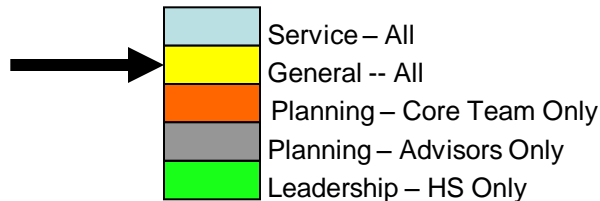
| Sunday 4/25                               | Monday 4/26                               | Tuesday 4/27                  | Wednesday 4/28                           | Thursday 4/29                         | Friday 4/30 | Saturday 5/1  |
|---|---|-------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|-------------|---|
|   |   |                               |  |                                       |             | TWC & Fox River Pavilion, 1-3:00pm @ STA ???                                    |
| 2<br>TWC & Blood Pressure Screening @ STA | 3   | 4                             | 5 TWC & Midwest Vets, 4-7:00pm, @ STA/MV | 6<br>TWC Core Mtg, 7:00pm @ STA Cabin | 7           | 8<br>TWC Pillar Potluck after 4:30pm Mass                                       |
| 9   | 10  | 11                            | 12                                       | 13                                    | 14          | 15 TWC & Grand Parents Pgm, 1-3:00pm @ St. Pats<br>TWC & DuPage River Sweep ??? |
| 16  | 17  | 18                            | 19                                       | 20                                    | 21          | 22  |
| 23  | 24  | 25                            | 26                                       | 27                                    | 28          | 29  |
| 30<br>August 25, 20                       | 31 TWC & Midwest Vets, Breakfast @ STA/MV | 6/1<br>St. Thomas the Apostle | 6/2                                      | 6/3<br>Teens                          | 6/4         | 6/5<br>Character  |



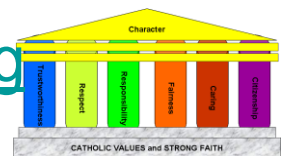
# STATWC Pillar Meetings



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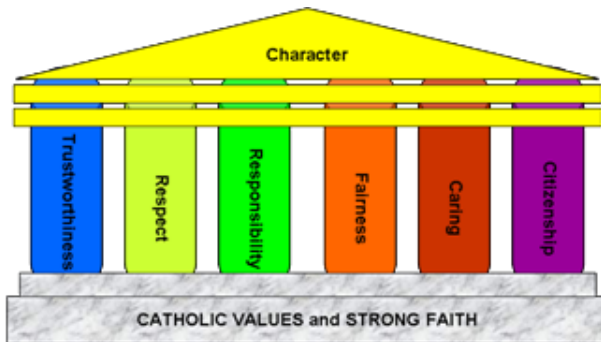


- What: **Monthly** Pillar Meetings
- When: (Thursdays)
  - 2009: Sep 10, Oct 15, Nov 12, Dec 17
  - 2010: Feb 4, Mar 4, Apr 15, and May 8
- Where: St. Thomas Gym, 7-8:30pm
- Who: Jr. & Sr. High School and Advisors
  - All are welcome!
- Why: To develop servant leadership and relational skills in teens
- Contact: [twc@stapostle.org](mailto:twc@stapostle.org)

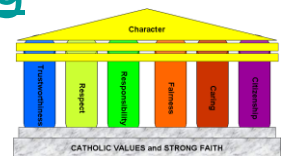
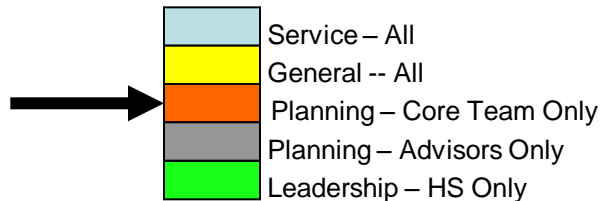


# STATWC CORE Meetings

- What: CORE Meetings
- When: 1 Thursday before Pillar Meeting
- Where: St. Thomas Cabin, 7-8:30 pm
- Who: Pillar Leaders & Adult Advisors
- Why: To plan, coordinate, and staff pillar meetings and service projects
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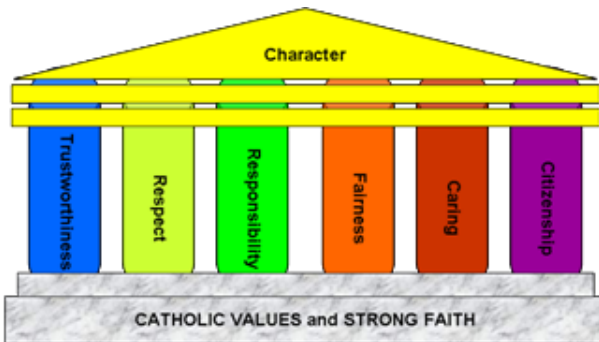


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# STATWC **Advisor** Meetings

- What: Advisor Meetings
- When: **Most Thursdays**
- Where: St. Thomas Cabin, 7-8:30 pm
- Who: **Adult** Advisors
  - All adults are welcome!
- Why: To plan, coordinate, and staff pillar meetings and service projects
- Contact: [twc@stapostle.org](mailto:twc@stapostle.org)



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