

Topic and GUIDELINES

ELIGIBILITY

Sixth, Seventh, and Eighth Grade Students enrolled in Parish Schools and PREP Programs. The teacher of each class will select the best essay from that classroom and submit it for judging. ONE ESSAY PER CLASS. [not per grade]

THEME

How can these GIFTS of the HOLY SPIRIT... 'Knowledge and Courage' ...help a person to decide if GOD is calling him or her to a religious vocation?

Suggestions: + Define religious vocation +Describe the gifts of 'knowledge and 'courage' + Explain how these gifts, these powers, guide a person in his/her decisions and conduct

LENGTH Not more than 250 words. Please print number of words at conclusion of essay.

SUBMISSION

The student's name MUST NOT APPEAR ON THE ESSAY. Please attach a cover sheet with the STUDENT'S NAME, TEACHER'S NAME, SCHOOL NAME, EMAIL, and SCHOOL ADDRESS. Before being sent to the judges each entry and cover sheet will be assigned an IDENTIFICATION NUMBER.

Please post entries to Judy Doolittle 103 Cornell Ave. Folsom, PA 19033 or judydoolittle@yahoo.com

DEADLINE Tuesday 28 February 2017

Winners notified before 8 April 2017. Certificate and Bank Card Gift to be awarded to First and Second Place Winners and their Teachers at the DELCHESTER SERRA CLUB ANNUAL CHARTER DINNER in MAY 2017. First Place Winner, \$200.00 Second Place Winner, \$100.00 Teachers \$50.00 Gift Card each

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