

Catch The
Spirit!



Western
New York
Happening

A **H**appening event is a
Christian experience
presented by teenagers
for teenagers

Please send me an application for the
next Happening weekend

Name

Address:

Phone

Congregation

Upon receipt of this application a
detailed application form including
medical questions will be sent to you.

Please mail to:

Happening Registrar
7 Pratt St
Mayville, NY 14757

WHAT IS HAPPENING?

It is a weekend experience of fun, games, sharing and most all, a time for spiritual renewal and empowerment.

A Christian Experience:

- **An approximately 48 hour event held on a weekend.**
- **Prayer before, during preparation, during the weekend and in follow-up.**
- **Small group/large group interaction fun, games and singing**
- **A prepared staff of youth, clergy and lay adults.**
- **Daily worship including at least one celebration of the Holy Eucharist**
- **A defined Christian standard of behavior, balanced diet and rest.**
- **A cloistered environment with appropriate facilities for the event and the physically challenged.**
- **An event operating under the authority of the Diocesan Bishop.**

WHAT IS EXPERIENCED:

The weekend is composed of four segments:

The **"I"** segment -
A time for self examination.

The **"God"** segment -
A time to reveal and share one's relationship with God in Christ

The **"I and God"** segment -
Relationship with God is possible.

The **"I, God and the World"** segment -
Responding to God's call.

WHO CAN ATTEND?

The program is for young people in High School (grades 9-12)

Happening Weekends are held twice each year in our Diocese (April and November) The cost is \$100 per person. If you are interested please complete and mail the application part of this leaflet as soon as possible as space is limited. Acceptance is on a first come first served basis.

THE HOPE

The Happening Weekend is more than just a wonderful one time experience. It can be a life changing experience as it moves the knowledge of God in Christ from the mind to the heart.

The Happening program is founded in prayer. It depends on the support of other Happeners and a Prayer community of youth adults willing to commit prayer time to generate an environment in which the Holy Spirit can abound

Questions?

Contact the registrar

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Happening for the Episcopal Diocese of Western New York is supported by the Bishop and the Diocesan Youth Commission and is affiliated with and follows the guidelines established the National Happening Committee.

