



THE DIOCESE OF SOUTHEAST FLORIDA

Happening #33 September 19-21, 2014 Grades 9-12

St. Joseph's, Boynton Beach 3300A South Seacrest Blvd. Boynton Beach, FL 33435

Purpose:

The "Happening - A Christian Experience" Program, as part of the Episcopal Church, is one of the instruments to renew the Christian Church in the power of the Holy Spirit, that the Church may respond more readily to its call to spread the Kingdom of God throughout the world.

The Happening Experience:

Happening is a wonderful experience of fun, fellowship, sharing, caring and an incredible abundance of love. The weekend is designed to bring youth, in grades nine to twelve, to a fuller personal knowledge of and relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ, and to a deeper level of commitment and apostleship. The program operates under the authority of the Diocesan Bishop.

The Weekend Format:

The event is presented by teenagers for teenagers with the help of clergy and lay adult leadership from across the diocese. It is a cloistered weekend. The program includes talks, fun, games, songs, worship, and small/large group interaction. It invites the participants to consider various aspects of their life, God, their relationship with God in Christ, and their response to God.

Participation:

Participants must be in high school; adults may register to participate in a "Magi" group so that they may better understand youth and the faith building experience. A packing list is available to download from the diocesan website. Letters of welcome and full details will be emailed upon registration.