

## OTIS Camp Mission

Camp Tapawingo, Mishicot

June 23<sup>rd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>

Camp Mission begins June 23<sup>rd</sup> with 10:00AM  
Blessing Mass at St. Thomas the Apostle and  
ends, Wednesday, June 26<sup>th</sup> 4:00PM in St.  
Thomas the Apostle parking lot.  
(Unlimited Participants)

## Lifest, Oshkosh

July 11<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>

We will meet at 10:00AM, July 11<sup>th</sup> at St.  
Thomas the Apostle and travel to Oshkosh  
Lifest Grounds and return Midday to St.  
Thomas the Apostle, Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>  
(Eighteen Participants)

## OTIS Service Mission

St. Thomas the Apostle &  
Westward Ho, Glenbeulah  
August 4<sup>th</sup> -7<sup>th</sup>

Service Mission begins August 4<sup>th</sup> with  
10:00AM Blessing Mass at St. Thomas the  
Apostle and ends, Wednesday, August 7<sup>th</sup>  
4:00PM at St. Thomas the Apostle.  
(Eleven Participants)

**Commitment to full Mission is required.**

Permission Slip is required.

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# St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Community OTIS Summer 2024 “To Know Him and to Make Him Known”



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Lifest July 11<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>

Service Mission August 4<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup>

OTIS is for all youth entering Grade 6  
through Graduating Seniors



## \$\$\$2024 OTIS Summer Cost\$\$\$

### \$75.00 Each Mission

One Youth in the family \$75.00/Mission  
2<sup>nd</sup> Youth in same family \$65.00/Mission  
3<sup>rd</sup> Youth in same family \$55.00/Mission

### \$125.00 Lifest (Includes Ticket)

One Youth in the family \$125.00/Lifest  
2<sup>nd</sup> Youth in same family \$115.00/Lifest  
3<sup>rd</sup> Youth in same family \$105.00/Lifest

*If there is any reason, your family cannot afford  
Mission, please do not let that be a reason not to  
participate. Please contact Barb Dehne and OTIS  
will work out a payment or assistance plan*

**Commitment to full Mission is required.**  
The experience is the entire Mission; not  
bits and pieces. There will be an exception  
to full participation in Lifest, but the family  
is then responsible for reserving the ticket  
and transportation to and from Oshkosh.

### **Permission Slip is required.**

Please Return to OTIS ASAP! By e-mail to  
Barb Dehne [barbdehne@hotmail.com](mailto:barbdehne@hotmail.com), at  
an OTIS evening or to the church office at  
8100 Brunner Road Newton, WI 53063  
We appreciate a quick response so that  
we can get an accurate headcount for  
programming, service work and meals.

## What to expect at OTIS Missions/Lifest



### Faith, Fellowship, Fun and Food

**Faith:** Each day you will experience Faith-Filled Activities including:  
Morning Devotion  
Personal Prayer  
Evening Song & Praise  
Meal Prayers  
Prayers with Community

**Fellowship:** These events will be 4-days to spend with other youth, OTIS Leaders and Friends in the Community. A relationship made, even in a short time on Mission can be extremely meaningful and impactful to everyone involved. Let your true self shine through during Mission!

**Fun:** The fun is endless! Faith-filled service hours, worship, song and praise, ice breakers, prayer time, water fun, crafts, music, snacks, games, nature walks and friendships.

**Food:** All meals and snacks included.  
\*Lifest Food Trucks at own expense.

 **“God is Good. All the Time.**  
**All the Time. God is Good.”** 

## What to bring?

(This is not an exhaustive list)

Sleeping Bag/Blanket & Pillow  
Set of Twin Sheets (Camp Mission)  
Appropriate Clothing & Sweatshirt  
(No shorty shorts, or foul language shirts, etc.)  
Closed toe - Tennis Shoes  
Flashlight & Bug Spray  
Toiletries, Towel & Water Bottle  
Sunscreen & Swimsuit (No Bikini or Speedo)  
Positive Attitude & Smiles!!!  
<If youth have medication, please contact Chad Williams when you arrive for event and give him the medication; he will administer as needed>

### Lifest & Service Mission

Watch (Preferably not Smart Watch)  
(There will not be anywhere to charge)  
Lawn Chair  
Rain Coat/Umbrella  
Sleeping Pad or Extra Blanket

## What not to bring!

Air Mattresses or cots  
(Camp has bunk beds and we will be tenting at Lifest and Service Mission – no room for mattresses and cots.)  
Cell Phones or Electronics  
(They will not be allowed)  
Negative Attitude!

### Here's how to reach us:

Parents are welcome to contact their child at Summer Events, through a leader's cell phone.  
(Please note that we cannot guarantee cell reception. Some areas are out of normal cell range. Calls and texts may not go through immediately.)  
[Note: Camp Tapawingo told us Facebook Messenger works best by them.]

Barb Dehne, Youth Coordinator 920-286-2651

### Camp, Lifest and Service:

Barb Dehne 920-286-2651  
Cathy Herr 920-286-0244  
Chad Williams 262-751-1697

### Camp and Lifest:

Brandy Wallander 920-905-5679  
Patti Williams 920-889-7516

### Camp & Service Mission:

Isaac Herr 920-286-3595

### Camp Mission:

Victor Frauenfeld 920-627-0863  
Joanna Lensmire 920-646-0000  
Bob Wallander 920-905-5680  
Connie Ninneman 920-242-3599

### Service Mission:

Rebecca Joas 920-629-3539

St. Thomas the Apostle Office (Sara)

920-726-4228

 **You are deeply loved!!** 

## OTIS Summer 2024 Camp Mission

**June 23-26, 2024**

**(Unlimited Participants)**

**OTIS Camp Mission will be a four-day experience in Faith and Service held at Camp Tapawingo.**

Camp Mission will gather Sunday at 9:00AM and go to 10:00AM Blessing Mass with our families. After mass, we will say our goodbyes and spend the afternoon doing activities, prayers, ice breakers and enjoy a delicious lunch, bringing us together as a group.

We will travel to Camp Tapawingo at 3:00PM.

Our days at Camp Tapawingo will be fun; faith-filled days!!! Every morning, we will gather for breakfast and devotions. There will be service projects on site at Camp Tapawingo for a couple hours each day and our afternoons will be filled with Prayer Podz and Activities including games, crafts, prayers, water fun, sports, parables, music, hikes, fishing and more. Camp Canteen will be a fun place to visit for snacks, games and goodies each day.

A highlight of Camp will be our time of Praise and Worship each Evening. Focusing on the Holy Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Breakfast, Lunch, Supper and Snacks will all be prepared and served on site at Camp Tapawingo (except Sunday lunch, which will be a picnic before we arrive at Camp.)

## OTIS Summer 2024 Lifest

**July 11-14, 2024**

**(Eighteen Participants)**

**“A Party with a Purpose!”**

**Lifest is one of the largest Christian music festivals in the nation featuring over 100 acts on seven stages including:**

**For King & Country, Matt Maher, Ben Fuller, Riley Clemmons, Newsboys, Cochren & Co., Zach Williams, Katy Nichole and We The Kingdom.**

Throughout the day, there are speakers, prayer time, meet the artist events, inflatables, food trucks, video games, sports, dance parties, petting zoo and an exhibition hall full of vendors. Each evening holds a bonfire.

Youth will never be in less than a group of three at Lifest and will never be anywhere that an OTIS Leader has not specifically given permission to attend; usually with a leader.

We will have walkie-talkies so our group can easily keep in touch on Festival Grounds. (Reminder - Cell phones are not allowed.)

Meals at Lifest will be very simple, campsite food. We do not have electricity to cook.

\*Participation in food truck areas and souvenirs or artist merchandise will be at youth's own expense.

## OTIS Summer 2024 Service Mission

**August 4-7, 2024**

**(Eleven Participants)**

**OTIS Service Mission will be a four-day experience in Faith and Service throughout our community.**

Housing for Service Mission will be at St. Thomas the Apostle Sunday night and Westward Ho Campground Monday and Tuesday. This Mission will be traveling with OTIS Leaders to and from service sites, housing, weekday masses and meals.

Service Mission will gather Sunday, at 9:00AM for 10:00 Blessing Mass and from then on, it will be four days of Service, Faith and Fun!

Our service will begin with St. Thomas the Apostle Community Sunday Supper August 4<sup>th</sup> 4:30-6:30 in the Social Hall. **All are Welcome!**

As a smaller group, we will be serving alongside each other at several work sites as we form friendships and grow our faith. We will serve with compassion, kindness and support to all we encounter. Youth on Service Mission will serve with a gracious and giving heart, while strengthening their own relationship with Christ.

Meals on Service Mission are included, ranging from simple meals around the campfire to lunch at Culvers.

Bring a swimsuit – we will be swimming.

**Health Record**

Please list any of the following:

Allergies:

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Physical Restrictions:

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Health & Behavioral Considerations:

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Diet Specifications:

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Medications:

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In case of emergency:

Contact#1 \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Youth \_\_\_\_\_

Contact#2 \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Youth \_\_\_\_\_

Contact#3 \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Youth \_\_\_\_\_

**Code of Conduct**

Youth will be held accountable to uphold appropriate behavior while participating in Missions and Lifest. There will be very little tolerance for behavior that does not adhere to responsible OTIS behavior; treating Youth, Leaders and Community Members with RESPECT at all times.

Think Before you Act. Stay Positive.

Be Kind, Compassionate & Friendly to All

Allow people their personal space.

Always be prepared for activities and events.

Do not damage or touch property of another.

Allow others their own values/opinions.

Never be in less than a group of three.

Listen Courteously when others are speaking.

Do not gossip or share others' stories.

Take Mission Seriously and Grow your Faith.

Contact a Leader if there is an altercation with another.

Be willing to try new things.

Be Responsible for Yourself and your Things.

Cooperate and Be Polite at All Times.

Always be Truthful & Honest. Share.

Clean Up After Yourself & Treat Items w/Care.

**Participation**

\_\_\_\_\_ Camp Mission, Camp Tapawingo

\$75.00 June 23 – 26, 2024

\_\_\_\_\_ Lifest, Oshkosh

\$125.00 July 11-14, 2024

\_\_\_\_\_ Service Mission, Westward Ho

\$75.00 August 4-11, 2024

Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

My child and I have read this entire permission slip and agree to abide by all information for participation, particularly the Code of Conduct & No Cell Phones/Electronics allowed at Missions or Lifest. Be Respectful, Kind & Positive!

*Youth Signature*

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*Parent Signature*

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