ABOUT TEC

WHO?
TEC is a Catholic experience designed for high school juniors and seniors.

WHERE?
TEC weekends are held at various locations throughout the Archdiocese as listed in this brochure.

WHEN?
TEC participants need to arrive by 10:00 a.m. on Saturday and will depart about 4:00 p.m. on Monday. Participants must be present during the entire weekend.

HOW DO I REGISTER?
Go to www.DBQArch.org/TEC and click on the appropriate link to register using the online form.

WHAT DO I BRING?
Casual, comfortable clothes are appropriate. Bring along a nicer outfit for Liturgy. Bring a towel, washcloth, toiletries, sleeping bag/pillow, and air mattress if desired. Please do not bring valuables, homework, alcohol, illegal drugs, tobacco, weapons, or obscene materials of any kind.

COST?
The $95.00 non-refundable fee includes overnight lodging, meals, and materials. You may be asked by your local TEC contact to pay an additional amount for transportation to/from TEC.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Contact your local Youth Minister
OR contact:

Office of Adolescent Faith Formation
1229 Mt. Loretta
Dubuque, IA 52003

Phone: 563-556-2580 Ex. 253
FAX: 563-556-5464
E-mail: dbqycm@dbqarch.org

Website:
www.DbqArch.org/TEC
(learn more or register)

- It is highly recommended that an adult drive you to/from TEC.
- TEC is a voluntary experience. No one should be required to make a TEC in order to fulfill a local requirement.
- Your photo and personal contact information may be shared with others on TEC to allow for follow-up communications and publicity. If you wish to keep your information/photo confidential, please notify the Office of Adolescent Faith Formation.
TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST

Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is a three-day Catholic retreat experience for high schools juniors and seniors; an age when young men and women are at a natural time of making decisions about their lives definite direction.

AT TEC YOU WILL:
• Experience a new environment in which to learn and grow;
• Meet other Catholic youth who share similar questions, concerns, and hopes;
• Encounter Christ, risen and ALIVE today;
• Find time to reflect on your life, your relationship with others, your relationship with God, and much more!

An Encounter with Christ must be a freely accepted response. There will be no pressure to make definite decisions or reach final conclusions.

When you return home, your community experience and your individual expression of God’s love should continue to grow...

In the past few decades, several thousand youth have experienced TEC in this Archdiocese. We invite you to join them.

“Thank you for the great experience. It really made an impact on me.” - Pete, Marquette H.S.

“TEC was a great experience where I was able to let my walls down. I’m very grateful for being given the opportunity to be a part of it.” - Marie, Wahlert H.S.