

Dear Parents,

Over our 35 years, Life Teen has faced many challenges and each time has been able to emerge stronger because of our reliance on the Lord through a devotion to the Eucharist and Mary. We believe the same is true of this time. We are sold out on our shared mission of leading teens closer to Christ. We've continued our dedication to supporting you and your teen by providing more digital resources for these days when parishes aren't able to meet in person such as our Global Life Night series. Youth Conferences will always be an integral part of what we offer because of the impact they have on your teen, their friends, and your family. We believe that when a teen encounters Christ, it changes everything. Thank you for trusting Life Teen and your parish by supporting your teen attending a Life Teen sponsored Steubenville Youth Conference this summer. Please know we are praying for you.

Over the past several weeks, we have monitored the COVID-19 pandemic very closely to fully understand how it might impact our conferences scheduled for Summer 2020. Because of several factors including the safety of teens, government regulations, college campus closures, and diocesan guidelines, we have made the incredibly difficult decision to cancel our six Life Teen hosted Steubenville Conferences for the Summer of 2020. This includes the conference that your son/daughter is signed up for with your parish.

We appreciate your understanding and will be working with your parish closely on alternative plans that will continue to give your teen opportunities to grow in their faith during these unprecedented times. Please take great care of yourself and your loved ones – nothing is more important than your health, safety, and sanctity.

Mother Mary, pray for us!

Randy Raus Life Teen President / CEO