

## PEER MINISTRY APPLICATION FORM SPRING 2009

Church of St. Joseph  
171 Elm St., Lino Lakes, MN 55014

This application is for the position of Peer Minister starting July 2009 through July 2010, with the opportunity to re-commit in the summer of 2010. We take the commitment to Peer Ministry seriously and it is our hope that you will too. Take some time to think about whether or not you can commit your time, talents, and gifts to this ministry before you turn in this application. Keep in mind that Peer Ministry is not limited to any set number, nor is it limited to any certain "type" of person. All 10<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> grade students are welcome to apply. **Please return your application ASAP. We will be holding an informational meeting late May-Early June. We will call you with the date.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: (required) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the questions below as honestly as possible:

1. What strengths do you see in yourself that could contribute to your effectiveness as a peer minister?
2. Write a brief paragraph on what you think peer ministry is about and why you want to be a part of peer ministry.
3. What extra-curricular school activities do you plan on being involved in next year at school and how will that affect your commitment? Are you employed presently or do you plan on getting a job in the coming year? If so, how many hours per week do you work?
4. What areas of your faith would you like to challenge yourself?
5. Name two activities would you like to see happen in Peer Ministry:
6. What are your hobbies or interests outside of school activities or school sports?
7. In your opinion what does it mean to be a Christian Leader?



## REFERENCE SHEET #2

**To be filled out by any 2 previous employers, coaches, teachers, or confirmation group leaders.**

The adult peer ministry team of St. Joseph's would like to thank you as a significant adult for filling out this reference sheet for this individual. He/she has applied for the position of peer minister at the Church of St. Joseph. The information you give us will help us in getting to know the person and conducting a solid interview.

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

This reference is for: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to this individual: \_\_\_\_\_

1. What are some strengths this individual possesses that would make him/her a good peer minister?
2. What areas in his/her life do you see room for growth?
3. Peer Ministry involves a time commitment of 3 Sunday evenings per month, from approximately 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM and 5-6 retreats. Do you see anything in this person's life that would prevent him/her from making this time commitment?
4. Any other comments you would like to make regarding this individual?

Please send this completed sheet to:  
Peer Ministry Interviews  
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