



St. Timothy Life Teen Steubenville West 2017 Final Details

Itinerary

Friday 7/14

8:30am-12pm Steubie Newbie Morning

*We'll start the day with 8:30am Mass (parents & families welcome!). Luggage may be left in the Spirituality center before Mass if you'd like. A formal check in, including medication drop off and t-shirt pick up will follow Mass in the Spirituality Center. After check in, we'll head to the Life Teen Loft where we'll spend the morning having breakfast, getting to know each other, and talking about what teens can expect during the weekend.

We'll head back over to the Spirituality Center at noon to join the rest of the group for departure.

***All teens who are attending the Steubenville Conference for the first time are requested to attend this morning event.** Teens who are new to St. Timothy's Life Teen, but have previously attended the conference with other parishes, are welcome to join to get to know other teens who'll be part of our group for the weekend. An RSVP to mmartinez@sttimothymesa.org by Wednesday, 7/12, is helpful for a food count!

12-12:30pm General Check In

All teens who will not be attending the Steubie Newbie Morning should arrive for check in at the Spirituality Center at noon. **A full lunch will NOT be provided but grab-n-go snacks will be available.** Dinner will be served upon arrival to the conference at 5pm. After completing the check in process, teens will gather in the upper section of the church for prayer before departing. Parents are welcome to join us!

Saturday 7/15

Steubenville West Conference on the U of A Campus

Sunday 7/16

4:30pm Return to St. Timothy's

This is an estimated return time. Cell phones will be returned to teens so that they may contact parents with any time adjustments. The conference will conclude with Sabbath Mass so teens will not be requested to attend the 5pm Mass at the parish as a group and are free to leave upon return. The bus will drop off on Keating Ave. and luggage may be unloaded to the Spirituality Center.

Communication

Teens will NOT be permitted to carry their cell phone during the conference. The St. Timothy Youth Ministry Cell phone may be used for emergency communication needs and will be carried by the youth minister or a designated core member. Please note that a text is preferred for a quicker response than a phone call & voicemail: 480-428-9332

Rooming

Want to request a roommate for the conference? Email mmartinez@sttimothymesa.org by Wednesday, 7/12, and we'll make our best effort to match you with your preference. Guys and girls will be housed in separate dorms. All rooms are double occupancy.

What to bring:

- **Comfortable, summer clothing**...we will be walking outside around the U of A campus a lot but all sessions will be in air conditioned rooms. Don't forget to stay respectful and modest!
 - o On Saturday we will have a group t-shirt that all St. Tim's teens will wear. It's red if you're the matching type.☺ Shirts will be passed out at check in on Friday.
 - o You may also desire a hat & sunscreen
- **Comfortable shoes**
- **Personal toiletries**...deodorant, toothbrush, etc.
- **Shower toiletries**...shampoo, soap, towel
- **Bedding**...either sheets/light blanket or a sleeping bag for the dorms. Don't forget a pillow!
- Pajamas
- **Bible, journal & rosary**...you may want a small backpack so you can carry these items with you
- **Necessary medication**...our group will have a first aid kit with basic over the counter meds like Advil, Pepto Bismol & Benadryl but don't forget to bring any personal medications and prescriptions
 - o Teens will turn in medication upon check-in. A Medical Turn In form must accompany all medications and may be filled out by a parent at check-in. **Medications will only be accepted in original prescription bottles with a label indicating the teen's name, dosage and prescribing doctor.**
- **Optional: water bottle**...the conference will provide one for all attendees as well if you prefer
- **Optional: spending money**...you will not NEED money, but there will be a Life Teen store and campus convenience stores/vending machines for teens who would like extras

What NOT to bring:

- **Immodest clothing**...including spaghetti straps, short shorts, crop tops, etc.
- **Drugs, alcohol, tobacco or weapons of any kind**...St. Timothy Life Teen maintains a zero tolerance policy for any of these items and teens found in possession will immediately be sent home without discussion and authorities will be called for all illegal substances.
- **Electronics**...the weekend will go by fast and you're not going to want to miss anything by being distracted! Phones will be collected upon check in and will be returned on Sunday. Core members will be happy to snap pictures on our ministry phone and post them on social media to share. Teens are welcome to bring cameras, but skip phones and tablets, etc.
- **Junk food & energy drinks**...there won't be enough time to feel terrible because you're dehydrated from caffeine or had too much sugar! The conference will provide meals for us. If you do bring snacks, keep it simple and small.