

WORLD YOUTH DAY 2008

Pilgrimage to Sydney, Australia



To set out on a pilgrimage is to throw down a challenge to everyday life.

- Phil Cousineau, author of *The Art of Pilgrimage*

Northern California Pilgrimages for Young Adults 18 to 35

July 6-22, 2008**

World Youth Day 2008 Itinerary

17 days, 13 nights pilgrimage to New Zealand and Sydney

Estimated Cost per Person* \$3,295

July 14-22, 2008: Land-Only Option (hotel & WYD fee only)

Estimated Cost per Person* \$1,475

July 6 th , 2008**	Depart San Francisco for Auckland
July 7 th	Crossing the International Date Line
July 8 th	Arrive Auckland, flight to Christchurch.
July 9 th	Free Day
July 10 th	Transfer to Days in the Diocese in Christchurch, stay with host families
July 11 th - 13 th	Days in the Diocese in Christchurch, stay with host families
July 14 th	Days in the Diocese in Christchurch, Flight to Sydney, bus transfer to budget hotel accommodations. Free day in Sydney. “Land Only” Pilgrims join us at hotel.
July 15 th	World Youth Day ceremonies begin with opening Mass this afternoon
July 16 th	Morning Catechesis, afternoon and evening festivals
July 17 th	Morning Catechesis, afternoon welcoming ceremonies with our Holy Father in the Darling Harbour area
July 18 th	Morning Catechesis, afternoon festivals, evening live Stations of the Cross from the Opera House to the Cathedral of St. Mary in downtown Sydney
July 19 th	Morning preparation for the pilgrimage to Randwick Racecourse for the evening Vigil with our Holy Father, night outside in the Park (rooms will still be available for those who wish to sleep in a bed)
July 20 th	Morning Mass with our Holy Father, afternoon pilgrimage back to lodging, free evening in Sydney
July 21 st	Free day in Sydney
July 22 nd	Depart Sydney for San Francisco

* World Youth Day registration fees and airline taxes and fees can fluctuate until your trip is paid in full.

** These dates of departure and return are subject to change depending on airline availability, seat capacity and flight schedules. Final dates and costs will be confirmed 10 months prior to the departure.

Package Includes: Roundtrip Airfare from San Francisco Int'l Airport, Budget Hotel Accommodations 3-4 persons per room with in-room bathroom, WYD Registration, Transportation to hotel, Most Meals.

Payment Schedule

<u>Payments Due</u>	<u>Per person</u>	<u>Cancellation fees</u>	<u>After</u>
June 1, 2007	\$300	\$300	June 15, 2007
July 1, 2007	\$400	\$300 + 50% of airfare	July 15, 2007
October 1, 2007	\$850	\$400 + 50% of airfare	October 15, 2007
January 1, 2008	\$850	\$600 + 100% of airfare	January 15, 2008
April 1, 2008	Balance	No refunds available	April 15, 2008

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Young Adult Registration Form

YES! I want to register for the Pilgrimage to New Zealand & Sydney!

(Please print neatly)

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Diocese: _____ Parish/College: _____

Please circle the appropriate: Male Female

Pilgrimage Choice (circle one): All Inclusive July 6-22, 2008 Land-Only July 14-22, 2008

Parish/Church Name: _____

* Prices are estimated. We will also update you periodically with current airline taxes and fees. These can fluctuate until your trip is paid in full.

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- Use only one registration form per person ó please photocopy this sheet as needed.
- Space is limited ~ registration is first come, first served!
- If you want to go on pilgrimage with us, please complete this registration form with a deposit, which is non-refundable.
- **Deposits and registration forms are due by September 4, 2007.** We will still be accepting registrations after deadline but there may not be space available.
- Make checks payable to:

Diocese of Sacramento

Please mail completed form with \$600 deposit:

Diocese of Sacramento
Office of Youth & Young Adult Ministry
2110 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95818

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