A journey to a sacred place & experience

On this pilgrimage, we will...

- immerse ourselves in the lives of Saints Vincent DePaul & Louise DeMarillac
- celebrate Mass and prayer experiences in these locations
- visit other sites in Paris including the Eiffel Tower, parks and museums
- spend a week in the international prayer community of Taizé







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Paris: immerse ourselves in the lives of Saints Vincent DePaul & Louise DeMarillac

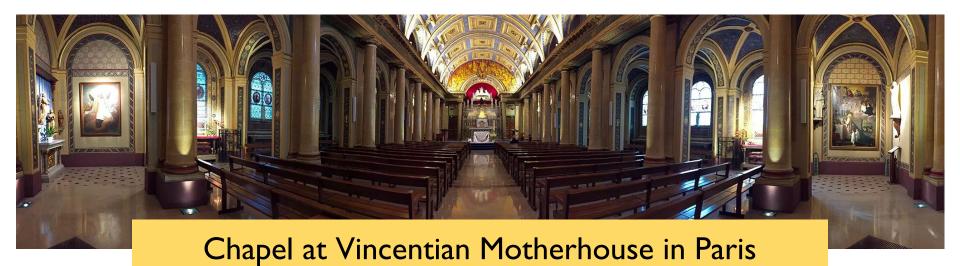
- simple accommodations at Vincentian Motherhouse
- Meals: you cannot be picky!!!
 - simple breakfasts at lodging
 - lunch of French basics (picnic style)
 - dinners out
- Sites: stroll Paris, churches, art, landmarks, river cruise, parks
- Mass at the Motherhouse





















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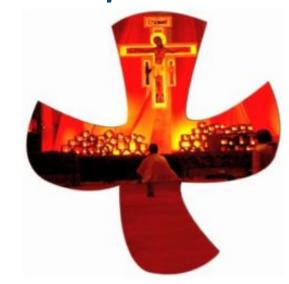
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Taizé: week-long "camp" environment of daily prayer, scripture, sung prayer with hundreds of international teens

- simple cabins & meals
- assigned to small prayer groups with people from all over the world!
- free time to mingle in the evening
- everyone is assigned chores for the week which may include anything from helping with food to cleaning cabins & rest rooms







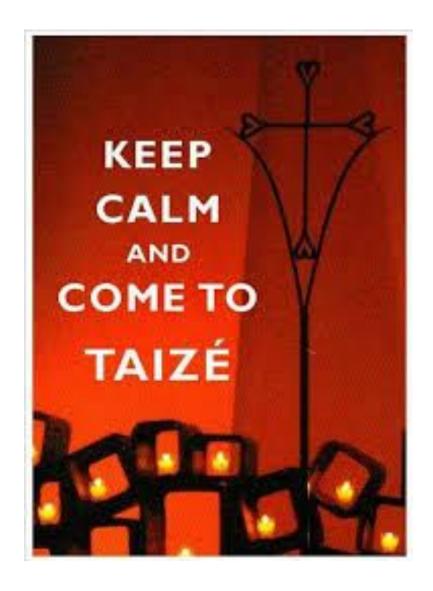
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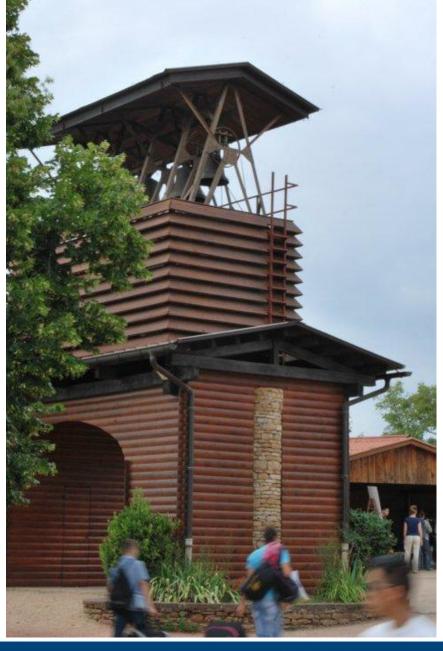
Taizé: daily routine

- morning prayer
- breakfast
- large group Bible study
- small group discussions
- midday prayer
- afternoon work or bible study
- discussion with the brothers
- dinner
- evening prayer













Grounds of Taize





Lodging cabins at Taize





Dining Tents at





Dining Tents at





Food line at Taize





Simple, delicious meal at











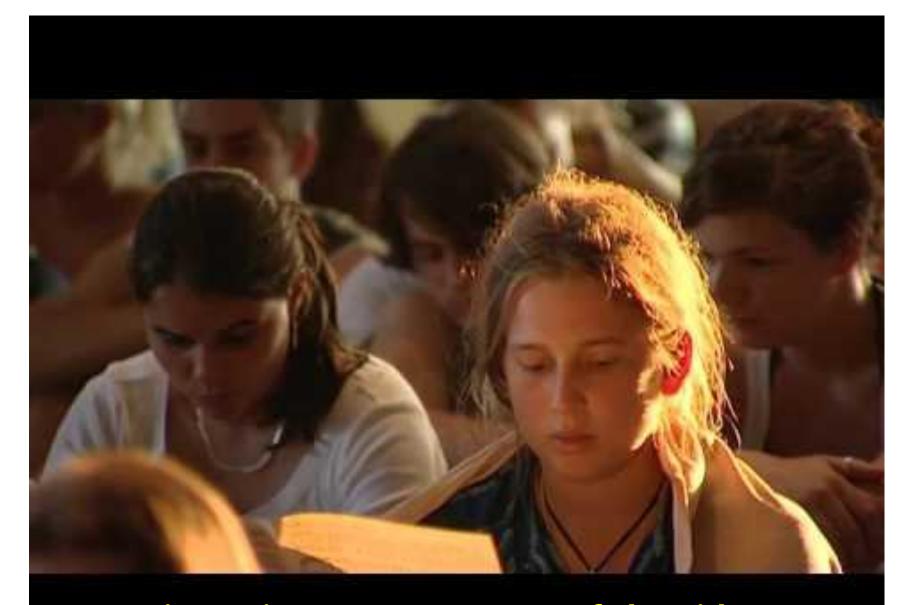


Quiet time on the grounds at Taize









view minutes 4:30 - 7:30 of the video



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DO attend if you...

- desire to learn about Vinny & Louise and share what you learn with DePaul College Prep
- enjoy singing, praying, and sharing your faith with others
- are open to the challenge of conversing with people who do not speak English and are from a different culture

DO NOT attend if you...

- aren't interested in a week-long prayer/retreat experience
- think a taste of monastic life is not for you and do not like slow, quiet time
- are not interested but your parents think you should go



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BASICS

- II or I2 day trip
- Depart mid-June, summer 2020
- 3 chaperones: Ms. Merkl-Deutsch,
 Mr. Braun, Fr. Chris Robinson
- Cost: \$2900
- students will sign "code of conduct"







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NEXT STEPS & APPLICATION

- Complete application
- 12 students will be accepted
 - need 10 minimum
- Once accepted, \$500 deposit
 - Spots are limited! Don't wait!

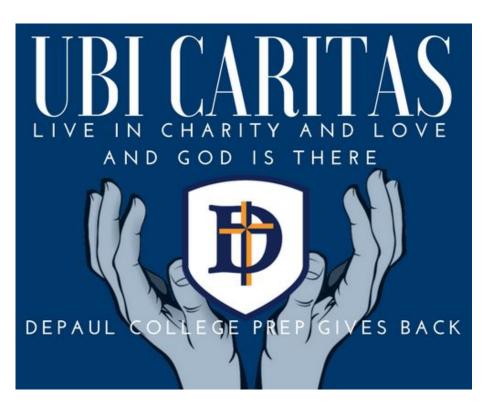




Introduction to the Taizé Community

- Monastic community in France
- Founded in 1940 by Roger Louis Schutz-Marsauche, also known as 'Brother Roger'.
- Ecumenical, meaning, people of different Christian faiths are brothers there, but all faiths are welcome.
- strong devotion to peace and justice through prayer and meditation.
- Pilgrimage destination for teens and young adults
- Known for sung chants





Charity

A theological virtue by which we love God above everything, and our neighbor as ourselves because of our love for God.

An expression of love in the form of helping people with their immediate needs.







Da pacem cordium (canon)



Music: J. Berthier

Ateliers et Presses de Taizé, F-71250 Taizé-Communauté





