

SET THE WORLD ON FIRE



Anglican & Lutheran Youth Gathering

August 16 -18, 2013

Camp Edgewood, Eden Mills Ontario

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Pre-registration Booklet

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SET THE WORLD ON FIRE

Luke 24:32

***“Were not our hearts burning within us
while He talked with us on the road
and opened the Scriptures to us?”***

You may have heard the song... 'We are Young' by Fun?
The chorus goes a little like this...

“Tonight- We are young. So let's set the world on fire,
we can burn brighter than the sun.”

It got us thinking about our theme. Set the World on Fire.
There are many folks talking about how we can change the world and
what we each can do to make a difference in our world.

So what drives us as followers of Christ? What encourages and challenges us to be
initiators of change? What is the call all about to be salt and light in our world?
How do we serve and give to others with a faith perspective?

It's like the disciples on the road to Emmaus following the death and resurrection of Jesus
who were troubled and wrestling with their journey. They met a man on the road and shared
their story. He listened to them. He spoke with them and taught them. He shared bread with
them after they invited him to join them to stay and eat. It was finally then after the bread
was broken that they realized it was Jesus. They said to one another,
“Did our hearts not burn within us?” (Luke 24:31-35).

That is what we hope to explore this weekend. How do we journey with Christ on the way?
How does Jesus teach and challenge us? How do we set the world on fire?

Join us!

STWOF: Set The World On Fire

The following information is important for you to review and understand prior to
registering for Set The World On Fire.

Gathering Purpose

To PROCLAIM the grace and faithfulness of God revealed to us in Jesus Christ.

To RESPOND to God in ways that are intentional, practical and meaningful.

To CELEBRATE that we are now children of God.

Gathering Objectives

A. To provide participants with opportunities:

- to enter into a living relationship and dialogue with a theme Bible verse;
- to receive Word and Sacrament in varied experiences of worship;
- to understand how God's grace and faithfulness relate to our everyday lives;
- to develop and strengthen friendship, to experience in another way our identity within the community of Christ; and
- to be inspired to share what we have learnt and experienced at the gathering with our friends, families and home congregations and parishes

B. To serve as a vehicle for the Synod Youth Ministry:

- to develop new resources (media, studies, music, etc.);
- to develop networks for communication and support in youth ministry;
- to develop leadership—youth, adults, resource people, and planners;
- to learn about youth and their issues;
- to promote Synod programs and resources;
- to relate to congregations, parishes, Lutheran synods, and Anglican dioceses;
and
- to assist campus ministry, outdoor ministry, schools, colleges and seminaries of the church in promoting their mission (eg. displays, drama groups, singing groups, etc.).



Date: August 16–18, 2013

Place: Camp Edgewood, Eden Mills ON

Registrar:

Pr. Tanya Ramer
189 Everglade Crescent
Kitchener, ON N2E 3Y8
Email: litourgio@hotmail.com

Facebook: Set The World On Fire 2013

Twitter: @STWOF2013

Cost

Early bird fee: \$150 (cabin) or \$110 (tenting) per registrant by April 15th OR \$175 (cabin) or \$135 (tenting) per registrant by June 17th — this covers accommodations, all meals and snacks, a t-shirt and the gathering program.

Transportation

It is each Home Teams responsibility to arrange their transportation to and from Camp Edgewood. Free parking is available on site. If bringing a vehicle larger than a passenger van, please contact the registrar to arrange for alternate parking.

Registration Opens – February 1, 2013

Registration opens February 1, 2013. Don't miss out—register early!

End of Registration – June 17, 2013

Registration will continue to June 17, 2013 **or when our capacity is full.** Register early!

Incomplete Registration Form – Penalty Fee

A \$15 penalty fee is being charged for EACH incomplete form. *A few minutes of your time to ensure registration forms are complete will save hours for our registrar.*

Cancellations, Substitutions, Changes

There is no fee for substitutions or changes. The last day for substitutions or changes is June 30, 2013. A \$50 cancellation fee will be applied to cancellations received prior to June 30, 2013. The registration fee is non-refundable following June 30, 2013.

WHO CAN ATTEND?

To attend the gathering, each person must:

- be part of a registered Home Team (HT)*;
- pay the registration fee; and
- meet the age criteria.

Youth participants must be 13 years of age or older by December 31, 2013 or have completed Grade 7 by the time of the gathering and no older than 19 years of age by December 31, 2013.

The Home Team Leader (HTL) must be a minimum of 21 years of age or older by December 31, 2013, but preferably 25 years old. All HTLs must be endorsed by a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada, or a congregation of the Anglican Church of Canada. A congregation from another denomination interested in sending a HT should contact Rev. Joel Crouse, staff support to the Synod Planning Committee, in order to be advised of procedures for requesting such an exception. Joel can be reached at jcrouse@elcic.ca or by calling (613) 293-6509.

***Exceptions for regional support staff:**

(ie: bus tour coordinators, regional youth staff)

Support staff is required to complete a separate registration form and are not required to belong to a HT. They are expected to cover all costs and be a volunteer at the gathering. These individuals will be contacted by the volunteer coordinator after they have registered.

The Home Team

The basic unit within the gathering is the HT. Every participant (other than synod and diocese support staff) must be part of a HT.

All HTLs and their HTs are accountable to the protection policies of their diocese, synod and congregation. These policies are not competing with each other; rather they reflect various expressions of authority within two denominations. Safety and protection is a responsibility for all leaders.

In addition, STWOF operates under the *Policy for Protection of Children, Youth, and Other Vulnerable People in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada* (www.elcic.ca/documents) and the protection policy of the host diocese, the Diocese of Niagara ([http://www.niagara.anglican.ca/ScreeningDocs/Guidelines for woking with vulnerable people.pdf](http://www.niagara.anglican.ca/ScreeningDocs/Guidelines%20for%20working%20with%20vulnerable%20people.pdf)). During STWOF, the policies of the host diocese are in effect.

Volunteers at the gathering will be screened using a process that follows both these policies.

Congregational leaders must carry out due diligence in screening, interviewing, and endorsing HTLs and HTLs-in-training. This includes documenting the screening procedures for your congregation records and being accountable to your congregation, your synod or diocese, your denomination, as well as the gathering.

For additional information regarding Lutheran protection policies, contact:

Rev. Joel Crouse
Eastern Synod
jcrouse@elcic.ca
Direct line: 613-293-6509

For additional information regarding Anglican protection policies, contact:

Jane Wyse
Diocese of Niagara
jwyse@niagara.anglican.ca
Direct line: 905-527-1316 ext.420

Home Team Requirements:

Each HT has a minimum of two people and a maximum of eleven (1-2 adult HTL and 1 to 9 youth).

- HTLs-in-training can be younger than the required 21 years of age. This person must be included as part of the 2 to 9 members on the HT and complete a Participant Registration Form. HTLs-in-training can volunteer to be a Small Group Leader, providing they are 18 years of age at the time of the gathering. In this case, please indicate this on their registration form.
- All members of the same HT must register together.
- All correspondence from the registrar will be sent to the designated HTL. Information regarding changes, additions and substitutions to a HT can be found on pages 11-12.

Confused?—Please speak to our Home Team Leader Coordinator, Mike Van Schaik (mvanschaik@rogers.com) or the Registrar (litourgio@hotmail.com) if you still need assistance or clarification.

Small Group Leaders

This year, we will be partnering Home Teams up with other Home Teams from around the Synod to create “Small Groups”. Each day, these Small Groups will participate in community building activities, games and reflection following the Large Group Gatherings. The Small Group time will be lead by volunteers who are attending the gathering. Further information, activities and reflection questions will be provided to help the leaders facilitate Small Group Time. If you are interested in being a Small Group Leader, please check the appropriate box on the registration form and you will be contacted with more details.

- Small Group Leaders must be 18 years or older at the time of the gathering
- Small Group Leaders must be registered with a Home Team
- Being a Small Group Leader does not exclude you from attending the gathering as a Home Team Leader or a HTL-In Training.

Sign me up!

STEP 1—COMPLETE REGISTRATION FORM

Each person on a HT must complete a registration form.

For registration purposes each HT must follow the requirements as set out by the ELCIC and the Diocese of Niagara. In particular, HTLs should be properly screened and endorsed as congregational volunteers. All HTLs must complete the Home Team Leader Registration Form. Remember, only two adults are permitted on a HT.

- a) Fill in all the blanks of the registration form. Please print!
- b) In the *MEDICAL INFORMATION* section, identify any and all food and non-food allergies that are life threatening (such as nuts, MSG, asthmatic, etc.) and would require immediate medical attention (e.g. anaphylactic shock). Indicate any special dietary arrangements that are required by the participant.

Anyone with allergies, please note:

Due to circumstances beyond the control of the Eastern Synod Youth gathering, the Gathering Planning Committee and/or its members and/or its representatives cannot accommodate all allergies of gathering participants and cannot be responsible for them coming in contact with an allergen. Therefore, all participants with allergies come to the gathering at their own risk.

- c) *ACCESSIBILITY* (e.g. physical disabilities)

The gathering shall be inclusive to all peoples. No person shall be excluded because of any physical or mental disability.

For those participants who require a designated special needs assistant, the Eastern Synod Youth Gathering will cover program costs for the assistant. This will be evaluated on a case by case basis by the Gathering Planning Committee. Supporting documentation may be required.

- d) Photocopy documents before sending to registrar and keep a copy for your files.
- e) Obtain all necessary signatures (participant, parent or guardian, clergy, HTL). As each person signs, he/she is verifying the truthfulness and accuracy of the information on the registration form.
- f) Faxed registrations will not be accepted.

STEP 2—COVENANT AGREEMENT

Have the Congregational Council read and sign the Covenant Agreement with the HTL(s). A signed Covenant Agreement **MUST** accompany the HTL registration form.

STEP 3—ENCLOSE PAYMENT

The total registration fee is as follows: Early bird fee: \$150 (cabin) or \$110 (tenting) per registrant by April 15th OR \$175 (cabin) or \$135 (tenting) per registrant by June 17th — this covers accommodations, all meals and snacks, a t-shirt and the gathering program. The registration fee is non-refundable following June 30, 2013 (prior to June 30th, a \$50 cancellation fee will be applied).

Enclose a money order or one cheque per HT drawn on an account of the congregation or youth group. Make the money order or cheque payable to the “Eastern Synod Youth gathering.” **Do not send cash!** The gathering does not accept credit cards.

STEP 4—DOUBLE CHECK EVERYTHING (refer to page 16)

- Make sure all information is complete, accurate, and legible.
- All necessary signatures have been obtained.
- Recheck that the submitted fees are correct and the HT meets the required configurations.
- Make sure you have a copy of the registrations for your records.

The Registrar will return and assess a \$15 penalty fee for any registration:

- that is incomplete or illegible;
- lacking the required signatures;
- not meeting the required Home Team configuration;
- where the participant is too young or too old; and
- lacking the correct payment.

STEP 5—MARK THE ENVELOPE WITH THE # OF REGISTRANTS

On the backside of the envelope, please write the total number of registrations enclosed. This will allow the Registrar to know quickly how many registrations have been received.

STEP 6—MAILING OF REGISTRATION FORMS AND PAYMENT

Registration opens on February 1, 2013.

Mail the registrations to:

Pr. Tanya Ramer
189 Everglade Crescent
Kitchener, ON N2E 3Y8
Email: litourgio@hotmail.com

If you are sending your HT registration by courier, please use EXPRESS POST—it is cheaper than PRIORITY and will usually arrive within three days.
Please do not check off the box “signature required.”

OTHER THINGS TO NOTE:

REGISTRATION LIMIT

A limit of 200 registrants has been set for this gathering. Registration will close on June 17, 2013 or when the registration limit has been reached—whichever comes first.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE

Health related costs and health insurance during the time the participant is involved in the gathering are the responsibility of the participant. Appropriate health insurance is recommended.

What happens after you register?

About a month after your registration has been received and processed by the registrar, each HTL will receive confirmation of registration. This will include:

- A listing of all HT members. Please check the accuracy of this list and notify the registrar of any errors.
- Your Home Team Number (HTN). Use your HTN in all future correspondence with the registrar regarding substitutions, additions or cancellations. This number will be your reference number throughout the gathering.
- A copy of the *Pre-Gathering Booklet*. It will contain additional information needed for the gathering. Please read it immediately and carefully.

WHAT HAPPENS IF...

...after you've registered, you need to make changes to your HT? Wait until you receive the confirmation letter with your HTN. This may take 4–6 weeks from the time the initial registrations are received. You'll need to write your HTN on all changes.

Additions:

HTLs may add members to the HT

- after the HTN has been received,
- if there is room on the HT, and
- if the gathering registration is still open.

To make an addition to the HT:

- complete a Participant Registration form,
- include the digits of the HTN in the space provided at the top of the form, and
- enclose the full registration fee for the registrant.

Substitutions:

A substitution may be done when one registered person is not able to attend the gathering and another person from the congregation takes that person's place. There is no charge for substitutions.

To make a substitution on the HT:

- complete a registration form,
- include the digits of the HTN in the space provided at the top of the form, and
- include the name of the person being replaced in the space provided.

Do not send registration fees with a substitution; please handle the exchange of funds within your own group. **ABSOLUTELY no substitutions will be accepted after June 30, 2013.**

Cancellations:

If a cancellation is necessary, it must be initiated by the HTL.

To cancel a registration from the HT:

- notify the registrar immediately in writing or by email,
- include the HTN, the name of the HTL, the canceller's name, and the reason for the cancellation.

A cancellation fee of \$50.00 will be applied and the remainder of the registration fee will be returned to the Home Team.

No refunds will be made after June 30, 2013 except for medical reasons or family death. Please advise the registrar in writing if these situations occur.

All refunds will be sent to the congregation.

Housing at the Gathering

Each Home Team has the option to choose between two different housing arrangements, while at the gathering. Please indicate your choice on the HTL registration form and be sure to take note of the difference in registration fees.

Option #1 – Cabins

- The cabins at Edgewood are equipped with bunk beds and a small storage space for each participant. The beds include mattresses, but you will need to bring your own bedding (ie: sleeping bag, pillow).
- Each cabin will house 2 adults and up to 9 youth, all of the same gender.
- Please note: we will do our best to keep Home Teams together. However, your Home Team may need to be split up between cabins to allow us to fill cabins to their capacity.
- Cost is \$150/participant, or \$175/participant after April 15th

Option #2 – Tenting

- A tent city will be set up within the Edgewood grounds. Home Teams will be designated a marked off area as their camp site.
- Home Teams are responsible for bringing their own tents and sleeping bags.
- Please note: Male and female youth should sleep in separate tents and leaders should also have their own separate tent, within the Home Team's camp site.
- Cost is \$110/participant, or \$135/participant after April 15th

Travel Information



All travel arrangements are the responsibility of the HT. This includes travel to and from Eden Mills, Ontario. Free parking is available on site. If bringing a vehicle larger than a passenger van, please contact the registrar to arrange for alternate parking.

Home Team Leaders

As a HTL, you play a very important and integral role in the functioning of a youth gathering. The Gathering Planning Committee relies heavily on you as a valued partner with them in making the gathering successful, and appreciates the time and energy you put into this vital position.

As a HTL, you will need to take an active part in all the activities that are scheduled to take place at the gathering. The enthusiasm and example you set goes a long way to a successful experience. You will become actively involved with your youth and their experiences before, during and after the gathering.

Why have Home Team Leaders?

A very powerful part of a gathering is to realize the strength of belonging to a home community. At a large gathering, youth need a place where they can feel at home amidst strange surroundings. Therefore, the HT should create a setting where youth can be nurtured, gain confidence, receive encouragement, and communicate thoughts and feelings of the day's events. The HT also serves as a base for branching out to meet other Lutheran and Anglican youth from across the Eastern Synod and to help in fully experiencing the gathering. It is a HTL's job to help make this happen.

Accountability of a Home Team Leader...

...is to his or her home congregation and to the chairperson of the Gathering Planning Committee via the Home Team Leaders Coordinator. A copy of the covenant is included with this package. It must be signed by both the HTL and the congregational officer or clergy, and attached to the HTL registration form.

Expectations of a Home Team Leader...

- To help the youth prepare for the gathering, travel with the youth to and from the gathering, experience the gathering with the youth, and help them share their experiences when they return home.
- To be attentive to the needs of youth in the following ways at the gathering:

AS A FRIEND—Someone who is available to youth; someone who is concerned about youth and can consult freely with them.

AS A LISTENER—Someone who can listen and be aware of what others are saying, feeling, and doing; someone who can respond to problems that arise.

AS A SUPPORTER—Someone who can give encouragement and moral support to young people and fellow HTLs.

AS A SPIRITUAL LEADER—Someone who can help youth in their faith development, lead Bible Studies (pre and post gathering), and can lead the group in prayer before, during and after the gathering.

AS A FACILITATOR—Someone who can communicate with youth and gathering leaders about activities, procedures and rules. To help the youth prepare for the Gathering, travel with to and from the gathering, experience the gathering, and share their experiences when they return home.

Responsibilities of a Home Team Leader...

- Actively worship, study and plan together with the HT before, during, and after the gathering.
- Assist members of the HT in registering for the gathering.
- Have a meeting with the members of the HT and their parents to review the expectations of the gathering. These expectations include:
 - a) full commitment to participate in all gathering activities.
 - b) full commitment to abide by gathering rules. This includes abstaining from the use of alcohol and/or non-prescription drugs at any time at the gathering. This is prohibited for everyone, including HTLs.
 - c) any other expectations you have or that are in your material.
- Obtain the names, addresses and phone numbers of everyone on your HT and be alert to any medical problems before you leave for the gathering. Photocopy all registration forms (for your own records) before sending them in. There will be a first aid office onsite, as well as a hospital nearby.
- Read the *Pre-Gathering Booklet* including the Bible study material when it arrives, and set a time to do the pre-gathering Bible study with your HT.
- Attend all HTL meetings at the gathering to obtain vital update information, and discuss leader and group concerns.
- Monitor your group at the gathering. This means knowing the whereabouts of everyone on your HT at all times and ensuring that the gathering rules and schedule requirements are met.
- Strive to fulfill the HTL expectations as outlined. All of this means that you are much more than a guardian. Remember that you are a vital and valued partner to the success of the gathering. Your leadership enables the gathering to fully accomplish its mission.

Please address Home Team Leader questions or concerns to The HOME TEAM LEADER COORDINATOR:

Mike Van Schaik

mvanschaik@rogers.com

Registration Checklist

	All information is complete on each registration form. (Is it accurate and legible?)
	All necessary signatures have been obtained. The individual is verifying that the information is accurate.
	A copy of all registrations has been retained for your own files.
	Home Team Leader requirements have been met and the policies of the congregation, ELCIC and Diocese of Niagara have been adhered to.
	Congregational Council has read and signed the Covenant Agreement.
	A copy of the Covenant Agreement has been attached to each Home Team Leader registration.
	One cheque per Home Team for the total registration is enclosed.
	The cheque is payable to: Eastern Synod Youth Gathering.
	The number of registrants is marked on the backside of the envelope.



SET THE WORLD ON FIRE
AUGUST 16 to AUGUST 18, 2013
LEADER REGISTRATION FORM

First Name: _____ Middle Name(s): _____

Last Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

☐ Check only if clergy

☐ Check if interested in being a Small Group Leader (details in Registration package)

Birth Date: ____ / ____ / ____
 dd mm yyyy

Gender: Male Female

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: (____) _____

E-mail address: _____

(if you do not have one, then one that can be used as a contact)

HOME CONGREGATION / PARISH

Church Name: _____

Synod/Diocese: _____ Phone: (____) _____

ACCOMMODATIONS chosen for your Home Team

Cabin _____ (Cost is \$150/participant or \$175/participant after April 15th)

Tenting _____ (Cost is \$110/participant, or \$135/participant after April 15th)

**** Remember to keep a photocopy of all registrations for your records. ****

EMERGENCY CONTACT PERSON

(day) Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext.: _____

(night) Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext.: _____

Next of Kin: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext.: _____

Relationship (circle): parent / guardian / grandparent / other: _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Health Care #: _____

a) FOOD ALLERGIES: YES NO

If yes, list what foods? _____

Is reaction anaphylactic? YES NO

Do you require individual meals? YES NO

Are food allergies self-monitored? YES NO

Other Comments: _____

All dietary requirements must be identified on the registration form. No late/additional arrangements will be made at the event.

b) NON-FOOD ALLERGIES or Other Medical conditions which require special care:

YES NO

If yes, list what type or care requirements: _____

Is reaction anaphylactic? YES NO

Other Comments: _____

3. PHYSICAL DISABILITIES: do you require any assistance? If so, what is required?

I am member of the following denomination:

Evangelical Lutheran Church in Canada: _____ Anglican Church of Canada: _____

Other (please specify): _____

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS CAREFULLY!

(All signatures must be included before a Home Team registration will be processed.)

I have reviewed the information set out in this registration form and certify that it is correct and accurate in all respects. I consent that the Eastern Synod Planning Committee and/or its members and/or its representatives may seek medical attention for me during the 2013 Eastern Synod Youth gathering, **“SET THE WORLD ON FIRE”**, and hereby authorize it to consent to, on my behalf, any medical procedure which may be recommended by a medical practitioner. It is understood that every attempt will be made to notify my next of kin or emergency contact person in the event that such action needs to be taken.

Signature of Home Team Leader

I understand fully and agree to perform the responsibilities and duties as a Home Team Leader as set out by the Eastern Synod Planning Committee of **“SET THE WORLD ON FIRE.”**

Signature of Home Team Leader

I understand that my name and photograph (including audio and visual images) may be used as a result of my attendance at this event.

Signature of Home Team Leader

I certify that I am of the opinion and belief that the Home Team Leader listed above is capable of carrying out the responsibilities of a Home Team Leader and in my opinion will be a responsible and dedicated Home Team Leader for the youth at this gathering.

Signature of congregational officer or clergy

HOME TEAM MEMBERS

If additional registrations for your HT are received, the registrar will add the names to this form.
A HT may have: a **maximum** of 11 people (2 HTL and 9 Youth)
(Please print the names of your Home Team Members below)

1.	2.
3.	4.
5.	6.
7.	8.
9.	10.
11.	

COVENANT AGREEMENT for HOME TEAM LEADERS

Over the years, the youth gatherings have attempted to provide an experience where community could be formed, opportunities for growth and education could be provided, and a time for fun and fellowship with youth and HTLs from across the church and the Eastern Synod could be fostered. The leadership for the youth gathering is crucial to its success. The responsibility of the HTL, as part of the overall leadership team for the Eastern Synod Youth gathering, is a central role. These are the people charged with the responsibility of preparing youth for the gathering, accompanying them to the event, and providing guidance and leadership while at the gathering. However, the role of the HTL does not end when the gathering is over. After the gathering, the HTL continues to assist with reflection and on-going discussion of the gathering experience.

The Eastern Synod Planning Committee for *"Set The World On Fire"* wishes to convey to all congregations that the HTL, whom they send to the youth gathering, plays a vital and valued role. The committee also wishes to remind all congregations that this same HTL carries a responsibility and accountability to their home congregation through its Congregational Council.

In order to ensure responsibility and accountability, we, the Eastern Synod Planning Committee, request that this covenant agreement between each HTL and his or her respective Congregational Council be read, be signed appropriately and accompany the HTL registration form sent for the gathering.

HOME TEAM LEADER COVENANT

As an official representative of

(name of church, parish, Lutheran Synod or Anglican Diocese)

I, _____ holding the office of
(print name)

(name of title or office; i.e. clergy, parish or congregational officer.)

declare that our leadership

endorse and support the participation of

(print name of Home Team Leader)

as Home Team Leader (primary caregiver for the youth of the Home Team) for “Set The World On Fire”, the Eastern Synod Lutheran Anglican Youth Gathering 2013.

We understand that the Home Team Leader is directly responsible and accountable to his/her home congregation / parish through its leadership and accepts the responsibilities outlined in the Home Team Leader Job Description.

We have reviewed with the Home Team Leader the ELCIC Policy for the Protection of Children, Youth and other Vulnerable People, the protection policy of the Diocese of Niagara, as well as all relevant protection policies of our congregation, parish, synod and/or diocese. We have taken appropriate steps in order to ensure these policies are adhered to.

(Signature of official congregation, parish, Lutheran Synod or Anglican Diocese representative)

Signature of Home Team Leader)

Please complete a separate copy of this agreement for each Home Team Leader.

MAIL ALL REGISTRATIONS

(Registrations for HTLs and their youth participants should be sent together in one envelope.)

TO:

Registrar - Pr. Tanya Ramer

189 Everglade Crescent

Kitchener, ON N2E 3Y8

If you are sending your HT registration by courier, please use the EXPRESS POST and **do not** check off the box “signature required.”

Early bird fee: \$150/participant (cabin) or \$110/participant (tenting) by April 15th

OR

\$175/participant (cabin) or \$135/participant (tenting) until June 17th

A **single** deposit cheque for the entire HT registration fee must accompany the registrations.

Please make cheques payable to: **“Eastern Synod Youth Gathering”**



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YOUTH REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT!

First Name: _____ Middle Name(s): _____

Last Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

☐ Check if interested in being a Small Group Leader (must be 18 or older at time of gathering)

☐ Check if attending as a Home Team Leader-In Training

Birth Date: ____ / ____ / ____
 dd mm yyyy

Gender: Male Female

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: (____) _____

HOME CONGREGATION/PARISH

Church Name: _____

Synod/Diocese: _____

Phone: (____) _____

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\$175 (cabin) or \$135 (tenting) until June 17th

Please submit the registration fee to your Home Team Leader and they will submit
one cheque to the gathering.

EMERGENCY CONTACT PERSON

(day) Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext.: _____

(night) Name: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext.: _____

Next of Kin: _____ Phone: (____) _____ Ext.: _____

Relationship (circle): parent / guardian / grandparent / other: _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Health Card #: _____

c) FOOD ALLERGIES: YES NO

If yes, list what foods? _____

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d) NON-FOOD ALLERGIES or Other Medical conditions which require special care:

YES NO

If yes, list what type or care requirements: _____

Is reaction anaphylactic? YES NO

Other Comments:

3. PHYSICAL DISABILITIES: do you require any assistance? If so, what is required?

I am member of the following denomination:

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PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS CAREFULLY!

(All signatures must be included before Home Team registrations will be processed.)

I have reviewed the information set out in this registration form and certify that it is correct and accurate in all respects. I consent that the National Planning Committee and/or its members and/or its representatives may seek medical attention for _____ during the 2013 Eastern Synod Youth gathering, "SET THE WORLD ON FIRE", and hereby authorize it to consent to, on my behalf, any medical procedure which may be recommended by a medical practitioner. It is understood that every attempt will be made to notify the next of kin or emergency contact person in the event that such action needs to be taken.

Signature of Parent / Guardian / Participant (if 18 years of age or older)

I agree to cooperate with my HTL and to be actively involved with the gathering.

Signature of Participant

I understand that my name and photograph (including audio and visual images) may be used as a result of my attendance at this event.

Signature of Parent / Guardian / Participant (if 18 years of age or older)

I approve this participant for the gathering.

Signature of Home Team Leader