

Expand Participation In Church

Worship	Fellowship	Discipleship	Service	Evangelization
Attend a weekday Mass (outside of SSFC school Mass)	Participate in an event with your small group outside of Sunday morning	Participate in Bible Club or a Bible Study	Serve as altar person at mass	Bring a friend to Bible Club at school FCA,CYBC
Adoration	Participate in FCA or CYBC at school	Lead or participate in a Family Rosary	Work at a Food Pantry	Visit with a sick friend or relative
Go to a Latin Mass, Spanish Mass...	Attend NCYC Closing Mass at Lucas Oil Stadium	Participate in a Prolife event Life Chain/40 Days for Life/March For Life	You and a Friend (s) video Interview persons who do service in the church	Take the Eucharist to the sick (shadow a minister- must schedule)
Visit a Catholic Shrine or Cathedral	Participate in a south deanery event: i.e.: Jr. High Youth Rally	Participate in our Archindy MS Retreat	Serve at chili cook off	Stand up for a friend who is being mistreated using your Catholic values
Sing with the choir at the Youth Christmas Eve Mass	Participate in our Family Christmas program	Attend baptism preparation (Please schedule)	Serve at festival	Share your faith story during school or youth ministry
Practice Lection Devina	Participate in the festival	Begin a letter writing and prayer campaign for our seminarians	Serve at the fish fry	Create cards to share encouraging bible verses for those at school
Participate in a bible study	Participate in our Archindy MS Retreat	Watch/listen to a study on formed.org with your friends	Create something to give...ie make blankets for babies at riley, make a prayer shall, make cards and give them to nursing home patients	Create a Prayer group and offer prayers for those in need.
Participate in a Lenten Stations of the Cross	Attend a Parish social event: ie: Pancake breakfast or Fish Fry Dinner	Share in a faith based book study	Do fall or winter yard work for the elderly with your friends	Use your Catholic Values when working with a group and problem solving
Pray the Rosary before or after Mass in October or May	Participate in Bible Club on Wednesday after school	Participate in the Jr. High Youth Rally	Be a greeter at Church (Please schedule)	Invite a friend to attend Mass
Attend a music worship event	Engage with our parish family at coffee and doughnuts	Attend NCYC Closing Mass at Lucas Oil Stadium	Go Christmas Caroling with the Respect Life Committee	Share bible stories with younger siblings
Attend NCYC Closing Mass at Lucas Oil Stadium	Be a greeter at Mass (please schedule)	Read scripture on a regular basis	Serve coffee and donuts (please schedule)	Discuss the gospel message from Mass with your family.
Participate in the Advent or Lenten Taizé Service		Keep an ongoing diary of how you are being intentional with your faith practices.	Participate in Saturday Spirit of Service (SOS) activities	Participate in the activities of "Be Catholic in your school" week.
		Watch and reflect with your friends on Fr. Michael Schmitz's YouTube videos.	Serve in the community	Invite a friend to the NCYC Closing Mass at Lucas Oil Stadium

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It's E.P.I.C.!

Confirmation Candidates are asked to expand their experience and knowledge in the following five areas that help form and strengthen our faith and Catholic Identity: Worship, Fellowship, Discipleship, Service and Evangelization

On the back of this page you will find examples of experiences in each of the five areas that could be possible EPIC experiences. You are also encouraged to reach out and discover opportunities within a small group or on your own. If you have a question as to whether or not the experience could be considered appropriate please contact Monica Robinson or Emily Ketzner. Each candidate is expected to complete one experience in each area for a total of 5 experiences. After each experience, the candidate is asked to reflect on the experience within small group or on their own. A meaningful reflection will be submitted after the small group has had a chance to discuss the experience. Reflections will be submitted to your small group leader or school ministry teacher.

Reflections should include>>>

Indicate your Small Group Leader/Teacher Name

Include your name and the names of those in the small group experience

Include the date you experienced the EPIC activity.

Identify which EPIC Category you are submitting experiences for: Worship Fellowship Discipleship Service Evangelization

Describe your activity and explain how it is an example of worship, fellowship, discipleship, service or evangelization.

Explain how the EPIC experience surprised and challenged you.

Offer any questions that may have arisen during the experience or reflection.

Explain how the experience increased your vision and/or understanding of the Church.

Explain how the EPIC activity helped you to grow spiritually and how will this influence or shape your faith life in the future.
