

Celebration Participant's Name: _____

PERMISSION, MEDICAL, LIABILITY & MEDIA RELEASE:

As parent (or guardian) of the above named child, I give my permission for my child to attend Happening Celebration, and I have read and understand what that responsibility entails.

As parent (or guardian) of the above named child, I attest that he/she is in good health and has no physical, mental, or emotional reason that would prohibit him/her from participating in Happening Celebration at St. Matthias and at Camp Mikell. I understand that every precaution has been taken to assure the good health and safety of each participant. Therefore, I waive any liability of the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta or staff representing it for personal injury or death while attending Happening Celebration or while being transported between St. Matthias and Camp Mikell by the adults Happening has chosen. I give my permission to the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta and its staff, including the Lay Director or nurse to hospitalize, secure proper treatment for, and to order injection, anesthesia or surgery for my child as named above, and to have my child medically treated by a licensed physician, nurse, or hospital staff during the time period described. I also understand that the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta does not provide medical insurance for expenses of these treatments. Therefore, all expenses would be the responsibility of the family of the child requiring treatment.

I hereby give my consent to all photographs, audio recordings, academic work, and/or video recordings taken of me or my minor child by The Diocese of Atlanta or their designee. I understand that any such photographs, audio recordings, academic work, and/or video recordings become the property of The Diocese of Atlanta and may be used by the parish, diocese, or others with their consent, for educational, instructional, or promotional purposes determined by the Diocesan Youth Coordinator and/or other leaders of Diocesan Youth Programs in broadcast and media formats now existing or created in the future, including print and audiovisual presentations

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

HAPPENING COMMUNITY COVENANT:

As a Happening Community Member, I understand it is my job to create an environment that points others to Christ. I commit to representing and honoring Christ in my conversations, actions, thoughts, attitudes and actions.

To help create a Christian environment, I commit to the following standards of behavior.

- I will refrain from smoking, the use of drugs, tobacco, and alcohol, and inappropriate sexual behavior.
- I will respect all property and facilities.
- I will attend all scheduled activities throughout the weekend.
- I will not ride in or operate any motor vehicle for the duration of Happening events without specific permission from the Lay Director. I will follow the policies concerning transportation while at Celebration.
- I will not use any electronic devices, including cell phones, laptops and mp3 players during scheduled activities.
- I will respect the leaders and what they ask me to do.

(1) Applicant's Signature

Transportation between St. Matthias & Camp Mikell:

No riding in or operating of motor vehicles will take place during the duration of Celebration, except between St. Matthias & Camp Mikell, and then, only for Wake-up & Closing. Only appointed adults will be allowed to drive minors. There will be no riding in or operating of motor vehicles for purposes otherwise stated without the approval of the Lay Director and the Lay Director's appointed designees.

To register, email Sally at stmattsyouth@bellsouth.net

Happening CELEBRATION!!!

Purpose: to **CELEBRATE** that the candidates are joining the Happening Community by attending Wake-up & Closing!

This is our opportunity to show the candidates that they are part of a huge, loving community of believers, who support and love them, even if they haven't met them yet!

When: Saturday night, starting at 8 pm till Sunday afternoon after Closing (we usually wrap-up around 5pm)

Where: St. Matthias in Toccoa; will travel to Camp Mikell for Wake-up & Closing

What: ~~Celebration~~ is lead by the Head of Celebration, a high school student, and chaperoned by adults. You will stay at St. Matthias, but will attend Wake-up & Closing at Camp Mikell. At St. Matthias, you'll be sleeping on the floor (plan accordingly), and you'll be praying for the candidates and the weekend, making caritas, and having music and talks to keep you in a prayerful, Christ-centered mindset.

Bring: sleeping bag, pillow, toiletries, church-appropriate pjs, change of clothes, caritas writing supplies, instruments if you play, YOUR RELEASE FORM and your money!

Cost: \$20, includes lodging & two meals at St. Matthias & a T-Shirt

Who's on it? Those in the greater Happening community, who are not attending the weekend on Team! High Schoolers, college students & adults who have been to Happening are welcome!

You MUST bring this SIGNED release form with you in order to participate in CELEBRATION: