



# SERV-X-TREME

## Youth Service Leadership Conference

*Serv-X-Treme is IOCC's annual youth leadership program. Participants gather at a week-long conference to cultivate a deeper understanding of Orthodox philanthropy and diakonia (service) through leadership-building activities, workshops, and hands-on service.*

### 2022 SERV-X-TREME CONFERENCE

In summer 2022, IOCC's Serv-X-Treme Youth Leadership Conference will take place in Minneapolis, MN.

- **July 16-22, 2022**

During this week-long conference, participants will have the opportunity to

- forge new friendships with their pan-Orthodox peers and advisors
- put their understanding of Orthodox philanthropy and diakonia (service) into practice with hands-on service projects
- acquire leadership skills which will benefit the Church as well as local, national, and global communities
- gain a new understanding of how important giving of their time and talents is
- learn about volunteer opportunities available through IOCC's US disaster response programming

### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

#### Eligibility

- Rising high-school seniors as of fall of conference year
- Participants may apply or be nominated by their bishop
- Application deadline: June 15, 2022

#### Cost

- \$350 per participant covers housing, meals, workshops, transportation, and other activities for the week
- Please plan to cover your own airfare.
- Limited scholarships are available. Please email [usprograms@iocc.org](mailto:usprograms@iocc.org) for more information.

Once you've been selected to participate, you'll receive instructions for submitting this payment.

For questions about the program, or information on how to nominate a delegate, please contact the US Program field office at 612.389.7278 or [usprograms@iocc.org](mailto:usprograms@iocc.org).

**Learn more at [iocc.org/serv](http://iocc.org/serv)**



### APPLY TO BE A DELEGATE

Slots are open to a competitive application process. Students interested in attending should apply by completing the application form by June 15, 2022. Successful applicants will be notified by US Programs staff. Visit [iocc.org/serv](http://iocc.org/serv) to learn more.

### BISHOP-NOMINATED DELEGATES

One spot is reserved for each hierarch of the Assembly of Bishops to nominate a delegate from his diocese to attend a Serv-X-Treme conference. If you are a priest and would like to recommend a qualified student, please contact your hierarch and ask that his office or authorized designee complete the nomination form by June 15, 2022. Visit [iocc.org/serv](http://iocc.org/serv) to learn more.

### APPLY AS AN ADVISOR

If you are at least 21 years old, and would like to apply to be an advisor, visit [iocc.org/serv](http://iocc.org/serv) and apply by June 15, 2022. Successful applicants will be notified by US Programs staff.

IMPORTANT NOTE: IOCC is committed to following local and federal safety guidelines related to COVID-19 in the US, and we are prepared to adjust activities as needed — including offering a virtual format if required. Our goal is to offer the Serv-X-Treme conference in the safest and most effective format possible.