

## Core Corner

The roar of Easter Season has quickly come and gone. Pentecost marks the end of Easter, yet the drama continues. As with the Apostles and the early Church receiving the Holy Spirit and stepping out into the world proclaiming the Gospel, we continue proclaiming the Gospel. For the early Church and for life in the Church today, the Holy Spirit's coming brings new life.

The pace of the school year reflects this new life. The school year continues to build until it peaks with exams and year-end events. For most of the youth and youth ministry communities it means a break from the adventures of school and transitioning into summer mode. What does this mean for youth ministry lead-

ers? It means many different things: re-treating, holidays, continuing studies, re-charging one's energies, spending more time with family, more quiet prayer, preparing for the coming new year, among other things. Yet, regardless of what we do, we are to continue to proclaim the Gospel, each in our own way by the grace of God.

May our communities have good completions to the school year and

graceful transitions to summer mode. May we give thanks for the opportunities to serve Christ through youth ministry. May you have a blessed and safe summer.

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