

QUO VADIS DAYS 2009 JUNE 22—25



FIGHT THE GOOD
FIGHT OF FAITH

St. Paul's First Letter to
Timothy 6:12

"**Quo Vadis**" is the Latin phrase for "Where are you going?" Legend tells us that St. Peter asked Jesus this question on the outskirts of Rome. And we know where Jesus went in response to His Father's will.

Quo Vadis Days is a 3-day camp for young Catholic men, ages 13–18 to learn more about the priesthood, to deepen their faith, and to better discern God's call in their lives. It was started in the Jubilee Year 2000 by Father John Cihak in the Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon as a response to the Holy Father's request that the Church begin "The New Evangelization."

Quo Vadis Days will take place at Little River Christian Camp situated outside Glide, Oregon. The camp provides an experience of fun, prayer, and talks to help explore the Lord's call. Priests, seminarians, and other young men will gather together for these days with activities that include prayer, benediction, daily mass, rosary by the bonfire, sports, talks and discussions.

The cost to the young men and families is a \$50 registration with scholarships being available from the Knights of Columbus, the Serra Club of Portland, and other generous donors. Since 2000 St. Anne parishioners volunteer as camp cooks and along with this we ask for your monetary or specific food donations that will be posted to support this effort for **Quo Vadis Days**. During the next few weeks, please take a tag or two from a tree in the vestibules, and know how much each donation help the efforts by so many people to support **Quo Vadis Days** which encourages priestly or faith-based vocations throughout our Archdiocese.

Father John wants everyone to know that words cannot adequately express his appreciation for everything St. Anne parishioners have done and continue to do for **Quo Vadis Days**.

