



Dear friend,

On June 21<sup>st</sup> the Archdiocese will host its 4<sup>th</sup> rendition of AMOF. The **Archdiocesan Meeting Of Families**, headed by the Youth Department in collaboration with Evangelisation and Marriage & Family Life, has been instituted as the main annual youth month event, “by the youth for the church”. With many opportunities for faith, fellowship and fun, from plenaries, kids’ play activities, family prayer walks, Mass with the Archbishop, food/merchandise/ministry stalls, talent competition and more, we hope to see many of our local flock AMOF25. Some details:

1. AMOF is for all individuals of any age.
2. The event is not geared toward making a profit for the Archdiocese. It is a pastoral investment in our local flock, collaboratively organised by the Youth, Evangelisation, and Marriage & Family Life departments, with the assistance of other Chancery departments, and the support of the Archbishop.
3. Registration cost per person is R100. Registering as a parish/group (min 20 people) comes with a 10% discount.
4. Kids below age 3 enter free.
5. Other forms of income include food/merchandise stall registrations at R300 per stall, and talent competition entries at R100 per entry.

Although this event is an investment in and gift to the local church, we seek to minimise the church’s expenditure. We also attempt to keep participation costs as low as we can since this event is open to all. You will notice on the budget that our expenses are higher than the anticipated income. You will also notice that one of the credit items is in fact not income, but our contribution from the departmental budgets. **Our request is that you kindly consider covering at least one item on our budget (see expenses on the next page).** Should you prefer to donate cash, a simple eft into the Archdiocesan account, referenced ‘AMOFDONATION’ together with a personal or establishment name, will be sincerely appreciated. The bank details are:

Catholic Archdiocese of Johannesburg

**STANDARD BANK**

Account Number: **002121093**

Branch Code: 051001

Kindly note that if you are sponsoring as a company or organization we would be happy to promote your business or cause at this event as well as future AMOF gatherings. A stall that represents your brand would

be welcome and/or promo materials that we can avail to all participants. We would happy to dialogue this matter further. **Below are all the event expenses:**

STAGE & SOUND (WITH CREW, ALL-INCLUSIVE)	R150 000
DELEGATE PACK CARRY BAGS	R2 000
TYVEC BANDS (entry tickets)	R4 800
ROSARIES	R5 000
SILICONE BANDS	R5 000
BRANDED BADGES/BOTTLES	R13 000
EVENT BOOKLETS	R15 000
PENS	R3 000
PRINTED BANNERS (shark fin & pop-ups/fabric)	R5 000
PAINT	R2 000
LAMINATION POCKETS	R500
PRESTIC	R300
THEME T-SHIRTS (FOR SALE)	R10 000
SERVICE TEAM MEALS & ACCOMMODATION	R32 000
COMPETITION PRIZES	R1 000
KIDS PLAY AREA (jumping castles, activities, etc.)	R8 000
KIDS DELEGATE PACKS (snacks/toys)	R5 000
CAUTION TAPE	R500
BANNER/BUNTING ROPE	R1000
BALLOONS	R1500
SKY DANCERS	<u>R1500</u>



Yours in Christ,

**Fr. Bruce Botha SJ**  
Episcopal Vicar for  
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**Fr. Nkosinathi Nkabinde**  
Episcopal Vicar for Marriage &  
Family Life

**Fr. Abel Maluleka**  
Episcopal Vicar for  
Youth

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