



WINDS OF CHANGE-

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CATHOLIC COURIER

From left, Allison Thomas, 12, of Our Lady of Mercy Parish in Greece, Maggle Adams, 13, and Christal Christensen, 12, of Siena Catholic Academy in Brighton, dance and sing with the Diocesan Youth Council. Below: Keynote speaker John Doughty dances with the DYC during his presentation for the junior high youths.

A pproximately 350 sixth-eighth grade students attended the Diocesan Junior High Youth Rally held at New York Chiropractic College in Seneca Falls on June 10. Youth from 53 parishes, representing all 12 counties in the diocese, were on hand for the eighth annual event.

The theory behind "Winds of Change," this year's theme, was to help the youth to see how God is present in all the events and changes in their lives.

The youths played outdoor games, participated in icebreakers, listened to speakers, met in small groups and attended a Mass said by Bishop Matthew H. Clark. In addition, they enjoyed indoor sports and an evening dance.

SHARE A GREAT COMPASSION

Christ, Himself, invites us to imitate the Good Samaritan who, on seeing a suffering man... "had compassion... bound up his wounds... and took care of him." Pope John Paul II



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Right: Angle Newton, center, teasingly swipes at her best friend, Cathy Fahey. On their left is Cathy's mom, Lois Fahey. The girls, from Holy Cross in Dryden, were making "kites" with a group, on which they wrote or drew their likes and dislikes, their future goals, the biggest changes in their lives, and their image of God.

