

Troop 210 Conneautville, PA

Our Troop is chartered by the Valley United Methodist Church in Conneautville, PA.

"A Scout is Reverent." All Scouts show this by being faithful in their duty to God. Some go further and give special service. This can qualify them for a religious emblem. Such an emblem is not a Scouting award. It is conferred on a Scout by his religious leader. Each faith has its own requirements for earning its emblem.

This packet is for the Scouts and Adults to use for information on all religious awards. As a Scout you can earn the award more than once. There are different levels on some of the programs that are age related time lines. Once the award has been earned the scout can place the knot on their uniform above the left pocket (picture below). If they earn it more than once, they are given year type pins (pictured below) to put on the knot patch. This is the only knot that a youth can wear on their scout uniform and will transfer to an adult shirt if they wish to continue with scouting after turning 18.

Religious Emblem Award

To encourage members to grow stronger in their faith, religious groups have developed religious emblems programs. The Boy Scouts of America has approved of these programs and allows the emblems to be worn on the official uniform. The various religious groups administer the programs.

Once earned, the award is generally presented by the church or religious group but may also be recognized by the Scout unit at an event such as a Court of Honor or Troop meeting or Pack meeting. This award may be earned as a youth, or presented to an adult that is nominated.

For each faith, a specific set of requirements is published and is established by the religious faith and not by BSA. For a listing of resources for each of the religious faiths that participate in this program, see [the P.R.A.Y. web site](#)

Check with your local council service center or contact the religious organization directly to obtain the curriculum booklets.



Knot Description: silver on silver knot on purple background with purple border. Once earned as a youth, the knot may be displayed on the uniform from that time forward. If a Scout earns the youth award and as an adult later is presented the adult award as well, both knots may be worn.

Year type pins for on the knot



Knot for uniform

