

YOUTH & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY AND CYO OFFICE



Discovering God • Living Faith • Sharing Hope

Youth and Young Adult Ministry Mission Statement

The Youth and Young Adult Ministry & CYO Office serves parishes and parish clusters by:

- Identifying and developing leadership in parish communities
- Increasing disciples in Jesus Christ and engaging them in parish communities
- Supporting and Strengthening Youth and Family faith practices
- Fostering lifelong formation through evangelization and adolescent catechesis.

Our Office Serves You By Providing:

Education and Trainings for Adults

- Joint Certification and Training for Ministers
- Avenues: Youth Ministry Specialization
- CYO Coaches and Designee Training
- Monthly Youth Ministry E-News
- Parish Cluster Services
- Will Our Kids Have Faith? Program
- Strengths and Engagements Training

Parish Trainings and Consultations

We have the expertise to provide:

- Youth Ministry Leadership Team Training
- Developing Youth and Young Adult Ministry and Services
- New Youth Minister Orientation
- Volunteer Management
- Assistance in Creating Job Descriptions and Hiring Youth Ministers
- Integrate Youth Ministry and Religious Education
- Parish-Based Junior High Summer Camps
- Develop Junior High Youth Ministry
- Catechetical Programs for Adolescents
- Inter-Parish Youth Ministry Models
- Young Adult Ministry and Services
- Youth and Young Adult Retreat Models
- Social Justice Programs

Parish Support Services & Programs

- Website: www.clevelandcyo.org
- Diocesan CYO Tournaments
- Extensive Parish Based Athletic Programs
- Black Catholic Input and Kujenga
- The Fest
- National Catholic Youth Conference
- National Conference on Catholic Youth Ministry
- Theology on Tap
- News for Young Adult 20's & 30's
- Young Adults in the City Service Program
- Coalition with Young Adults (C-YA)
- Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration
- International World Youth Day Gathering
- Asian Liturgical Celebration
- Scouting & Girls Religious programs
- Youth Ministry Jobs Clearinghouse

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY VISION STATEMENT

We recognize and celebrate the vital role women and men, in their 20's and 30's, single and married, play in the church and the wider community. We connect young adults with Jesus Christ, with the church and its mission, and with other young adults through:

- Training and resources to those who minister with young adults in parishes, young adult Organizations, and other institutions; and...
- Diocesan Leadership programs and services

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