

United Methodists are connectional people.



The Office of Connectional Ministries supports ministry in your local church by offering transformative events for young people and training for the adults who minister with them. On the reverse side you will find awesome opportunities for young people in your church to be strengthened in their relationship with Jesus Christ and to make life-long friendships with other young people of faith.

For detailed information about any of the opportunities please visit www.wvumc.org/young-disciples or contact my office directly. I hope you will share this in the church where youth and their families will see it, and invite you and your church to pray for our young people!

The West Virginia Annual Conference offers Child Protection Policies training, Youth 101 training (basics of working with youth), one on one consultations with local churches, and resources. All of these trainings and resources are available to your church for no cost. Next fall we're looking forward to a Youth Worker Sabbath Retreat.

Blessings,

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Discover U Faith Discernment event

DiscoverU allows young people 18-23 to shadow real life ministry leaders in a local setting. It is our hope that DiscoverU gives young people the space to discern God's calling and equip them by preparing them for their next steps in a lifetime of ministry. July 22-27, 2018 @ St. John XXIII Pastoral Center, Charleston, WV.



Fall Workshop

Middle and High school aged youth from throughout the West Virginia Annual Conference gather together each fall to worship, pray, and take a hands-on approach to life and faith through workshops. November 17-19, 2017. November 19-21, 2018. Cedar Lakes, Ripley, WV.



Radical Discipleship Academy of Appalachia

The Radical Discipleship Academy of Appalachia is a 12-month process for youth who want to grow in faith, be connected with others who feel the same, and want it to mean something in their day to day lives. Summer 2019. Location to be announced.



Rally on the Mountain

Rally on the Mountain is an event for youth from throughout the WVUMC. Middle and High school aged youth and their adult chaperones gather together to fellowship, worship, and making life-long friendships. July 12-15, 2017. Location to be announced.



Youth 2019- Big event in Kansas City for youth all over the country

Every four years, youth from throughout the United Methodist Church gather for four days of discipleship, fun, and fellowship at the YOUTH event. The event is filled with interactive learning, worship, Bible study, service opportunities, and fellowship time. Expect inspiration, support, and challenges to authentically experience what it means to be United Methodist.



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For more about each of these events, please visit wvumc.org/youth-events!