



Equipping churches to connect with young people and their families through Training, Resourcing, Advocacy and Networking

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PYM EVENTS 2022



19-22 September

An amazing 3-day retreat for key leaders of youth ministry. FREE for at least one key leader.

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One National Leaders Conference

17-19 November Wellington

This is our first national conference for ALL leaders in the PCANZ.

HELPFUL RESOURCES FROM THE PYM WEBSITE

EMERGE LEADERSHIP FORMATION

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Start developing tomorrows leaders today! The ongoing development of new leaders is an essential part of any church youth ministry. Unfortunately, we find that many youth ministries struggle to find time to develop new leaders. We have put together a two-year video-based leadership program that can be easily run in any local church.

Whānau Friendly



The Whānau Friendly Process is an intentional journey with teaching and reflection for the whole church whānau to engage in together. It fosters an understanding of the collective power of the congregation discipling young people – together. It has also been created to help congregations reflect on their current ministry and discern in which ways God may be leading them in the upcoming years.

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Youth Ministry Coaching

Stepping into a youth ministry can be a daunting task for an inexperienced leader. We have found that if a new youth leader is coached by an experienced youth leader, they are more likely to lead a healthy and effective youth ministry. We have coaches trained to deliver some very helpful content on:

1. Helping new youth leaders think through some of the basics of youth ministry leadership.
2. Supporting new youth leaders in the challenges they will face in the first year of ministry.

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Keeping the young people entrusted to our care safe is the least we can do to maintain the trust of the communities we serve in. All leaders are required to go through the WOF training every three years.

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The Seven Sustainable Practices for Supporting a Youth Leader/Worker

Youth leaders who stick around for 5-7 years achieve so much more than someone who only has a 1-4-year tenure. This resource provides simple steps that a church can take to help retain and support a youth. All leaders who worker or leader.

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The PYM Internship

The PYM Internship offers fantastic support for anyone wanting to gain a Certificate, Diploma and Bachelor of ministry qualifications related to youth ministry. The internship provides:

- a tried and tested internship structure that creates a sustainable learning environment and will potentially cover your study costs
- The opportunity to participate in a great learning community with fellow interns that includes regular online discussions and opportunities to meet up for face-to-face interaction

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Employment Guide for staff working with young people

This is a comprehensive step-by-step guide for churches looking to employ a children's youth or families worker.

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Creating or finding great teaching curriculum is an ongoing, time-demanding task. We have hand-picked several excellent resources to help teach young people and compiled them into several age and theme related categories. This resource will save you hours of work!

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