

Why This Outreach?

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors

The YES Program allows area community members to do all three in our community.

Open Hearts...

As active participants in this mission we can open the hearts of adults and youth alike by creating relationships that can be built upon.

Open Minds...

Through service learning we can open the minds of the community to the value of the church and youth in the community.

Open Doors...

Area community members will see that the doors of the YES Program is are not just open for members, but community adults and youth.



The youth in our community need a safe place to be that will build their skills to become active members as they grow.

Area community members want to provide such a place for the youth. The Youth Embracing Success (YES) Program will allow for the empowering of youth through meaningful relationships with adults and peers.

How Do I Get There??? How Do I Get Home???

Transportation will be available through Lamers Bus Lines utilizing the bus routes to Lowell and the Late Bus. Availability is on a first come first serve basis and requires the signing of the Participant Agreement and bus pass for the YES Program.

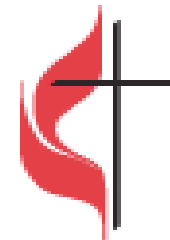
**To get the Participation Agreement
or to get more information please
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YOUTH EMBRACING SUCCESS

After-school Program



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What Does YES Need?

YOU!!

YES Volunteers are encouraged to volunteer one time per month for the YES Program. YES volunteers are there to support the youth of the community. You are not a babysitter...you are there to encourage the youth to make good choices and to help youth learn new skills.



This may include:

- Helping with homework
- Reading a book
- Making cookies
- Playing a game
- Telling a story/listen to one
- Work with youth on projects
- Engage youth in meaningful conversation & activities
- Faith Building Activities

AND SO MUCH MORE!!

**Everyone has a talent...
what is yours?**

**Use your talent to connect with the youth
in our community. Sign up to become a
volunteer for the YES Program!**

Volunteer Application

Personal Information:

Name: _____ Driver's License #: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Birthdate: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Home Phone: () _____ Cell Phone: () _____

SS#: _____ Gender: ____ Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Are you a student? ____ If yes, ____ High School ____ College School Name: _____

Are you volunteering as part of a class/school requirement? ____ Class: _____

Are you volunteering for community service hours? ____ referred by: _____

Organization/Business Affiliation: _____

What type of program are you interested in helping with? _____

Have you ever been arrested for a criminal offense, excluding minor traffic violations, accused, arrested or convicted for any sexually-related crimes, or accused, arrested or convicted for any substance abuse-related crimes? YES ____ NO ____

If you answered Yes to any of these, please explain. _____

Applicant Statement

I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application form if I am to be considered as a volunteer. I understand that misrepresentation or omission of the facts called for hereon, or receipt of unsatisfactory references will be sufficient cause for dismissal from the program's services as a volunteer. I further understand that if I volunteer, my position will be at will and either of us may terminate our work relationship at any time.

I also agree to indemnify and hold harmless the YES Program, its partners, their boards and commissions and their officers, agents and employees from and against all claims, loss or liability of any kind or nature for any possible injury incurred during volunteer service.

I also have no objection to being included in any picture taken at the Yes Program site that might be used for the purpose of interpreting the program or for publicity. I acknowledge that I have read and understand the above statements and that I voluntarily sign this application.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

If applicant is under the age of 18, a parent/guardian signature is required.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please send application to: YES Program, W10288 Baker Road, Reeseville, WI 53579