

IMMANUEL

"GOD WITH US"

Our vision is to see the lives of every high-risk youth in King and Snohomish Counties transformed through the love and hope of Jesus Christ.

YOU ARE GIVING THE GREATEST GIFT!

Regina is from Tanzania, Africa. She was raised by her mother and grandmother but both died by the time she turned 8. All of this was devastating for Regina. She was mad and scared. Feeling hurt and alone, Regina moved to Bellevue to live with her dad.

In Bellevue, she was an outsider. Learning English was hard and she rarely talked in school. It was tough making friends and she was bullied a lot. This went on for several years until she met a YFC staff member. She went to YFC camp where she fell in love with worship and with God. She felt genuinely happy and began to heal.

Life is much better now for Regina, but it is still challenging. **"Now I have the the right kind of people in my life. My YFC leader is inspiring to me because she is an example of how to follow God, regardless of how hard life can be."** Regina is passionate about worship and helping others. Most importantly, she now knows the hope and love of Jesus in her life; that God is always with her. That God, through Jesus, is Immanuel!



"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40

(Picture - Regina)

50,000

High-risk youth live in King and Snohomish Counties

YOU

can help reach high-risk youth today by giving a year-end gift!

GIVE THE GREATEST GIFT



The greatest gift we can receive is the love and hope of Jesus Christ. 90% of all people who come to Christ do so through relationships. Your gift provides the opportunity for a young person to experience Jesus through a Christ-sharing relationship with a loving YFC leader. Your year-end gift will make a big difference in the life of a youth. Thank you!

DIRECTOR'S CORNER

Thank you very much for your faithful partnership with Youth for Christ this year. Your support is important to us and reaches high-risk youth who don't yet know the love and hope of Jesus. It fuels the evangelism and discipleship that YFC provides. On behalf of every kid you impact, thank you and merry Christmas!

Warmly in Christ,

Executive Director
Seattle Area Youth for Christ



How Your Giving Impacts Youth

TEEN PARENTS

- Trained adult mentors
- Shared meals
- Baby essentials (diapers, wipes)
- Parenting skills classes
- Bible studies and small groups
- Community resource connections
- Seasonal outings
- Summer retreat

JUVENILE OFFENDERS

- Caring adult mentor
- Weekly Bible studies & jail visits
- Education & vocational help

YOUTH FROM LOW-INCOME NEIGHBORHOODS

- Caring adult mentors in Christ-sharing relationships
- Homework help and weekly meals
- Leadership development opportunities
- Summer camp & winter camp
- Weekly Bible studies
- Vocational and life skills training

DONATIONS MUST BE MADE BY THURSDAY, DEC. 31ST TO BE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE THIS CALENDAR YEAR.



City Life reaches youth in low-income neighborhoods. We work to introduce youth in a natural way to the person of Jesus Christ and empower them to become leaders for their neighborhood.



Juvenile Justice reaches young people in detention centers and probation programs in the court system. Mentoring relationships are built and sustained through ongoing involvement with JJM staff as the youth re-enter their communities.



Parent Life reaches pregnant and parenting teens with life and parenting skills. By supporting and equipping parents we help them become successful and responsible adults.



In Washington, there are approximately 10,000 children in the foster care system. These amazing kids are waiting for caring families to give them love and hope.

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1. Pray
2. Volunteer
3. Give