

Commissioned Youth & Children's Work Pathway 2024

The Commissioned Youth & Children's Work Pathway is a way to equip, inspire and honour the work done by so many wonderful volunteers in our parishes every week.

The commitment is two one-day and one overnight teaching session, held from June to the following March, with a commissioning service in your church after Easter.

Three expert trainers will guide you through 10 sessions that will give you a firm grounding in youth or children's work. We strive to enhance the job you are already doing with children and young people and grow your skills and knowledge of the principles and theology children and youth work.

As we equip and raise you up, our prayer is that your parish comes to know more of your work and is drawn into praying and supporting you and the children and young people you serve.

Topics we will cover will include the faith development of children and young people, teamwork and characteristics of a leader, family and school life, growing up in a digital world and how you do all of this with a background of a multi-faith city.

There are tasks to do between our sessions and participants have an opportunity to be paired up with a mentor to accompany them through the course, encouraging reflection and growth.

If you want to find out more, email Emma Sargeant – Growing Younger Advisor at Flex@cofebirmingham.com

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