

Where is your voice in the Consultation on Ministry To and With Youth?

September 2006—May 2007

District Gatherings

Every UUA district will hold a District Gathering on Youth Ministry. Some are holding them as early as late September, and others are waiting until May 2007. Check with your district staff and youth leaders to find out more details about the gathering.

District Gatherings are an opportunity for youth and adults to come together from throughout the district to

- ❖ reflect on the lessons learned so far in the Youth Ministry Survey and Congregational Conversations on Youth Ministry, with data from youth and congregations in your district and across the continent;
- ❖ explore opportunities for a stronger, more vibrant, and empowering youth ministry in the district;
- ❖ contribute to a shared vision for the future of youth ministry.

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Stakeholder Conversations

- ❖ **YRUU** – Youth Council 2006
- ❖ **Ministers** – UUMA Chapter Meetings
- ❖ **Youth Advisors** – Survey in fall 2006
- ❖ **Religious Educators** – 2006 LREDA Fall Conference
- ❖ **DRUUMM** – 2006 Fall Conference
- ❖ **District Staff** – 2006 Big Complex Meeting
- ❖ **Canadian Unitarian Council** – September 1-3, 2006
- ❖ **Interweave** – TBD

Contact the leadership of each organization or visit www.uua.org/TRUS/youth for more details.

July 2007

Summit on Ministry To and With Youth

Stay tuned at www.uua.org/TRUS/youth for more details. The summit will bring together youth and adults and representatives of all the different stakeholders that have held youth ministry dialogues over the previous two years. Summit participants will develop recommendations for institutional change in the way we do Unitarian Universalist youth ministry, learning from and based on the input gathered through the Youth Ministry Survey, Congregational Conversations, District Gatherings, and Stakeholder Conversations.

Are you...

- ❖ a Youth (involved on the local, district, or continental level)?
- ❖ a Minister?
- ❖ a Religious Educator?
- ❖ a District Staff member?
- ❖ a Youth Coordinator or Advisor?
- ❖ A District Board member?
- ❖ A Congregational Leader?
- ❖ A UUA Trustee?
- ❖ A Parent?
- ❖ A District Committee member?

Yes? Then you should attend your District Gathering on Youth Ministry!

Are you part of a group, organization, or committee that would like to contribute to strengthening youth ministry? A Process Guide for Stakeholder Conversations on Youth Ministry is available on the Consultation's website. Using this guide, you will be able to organize a self-facilitated conversation and submit input to the Task Force on Ministry To and With Youth.