

### **Armagh Diocesan Youth Council**

Basic page detailing events.

<http://www.adyc.co.uk/>

### **Centre for Youth Ministry Ireland**

The Centre offers a BA Honours Degree in Youth & Community Work and Practical Theology (JNC validated). The Centre for Youth Ministry Ireland, a partnership of Youth Link: NI and the Belfast Bible College, offers adults the opportunity to study for an Honours Degree in Youth & Community Work and Practical Theology (JNC validated) awarded by the University of Gloucestershire, rooted within a Christian perspective. Carefully structured practice contexts and professional practice tutors will enable students to explore how their faith interacts and informs youth work practice and will help students become competent at theological reflection and information education. This is a three year programme which will qualify graduates to work with young people in a church and community context.

[http://www.centreforyouthministry.ac.uk/html/youth\\_community.html](http://www.centreforyouthministry.ac.uk/html/youth_community.html)

### **Christian Youth Work Training**

Provides information about Christian youth work training in the UK and was originally made possible by the generosity of Centre for Youth Ministry, Churches Together in England, Churches Together in Britain and Ireland (Spectrum) and Frontier Youth Trust. The site is now run by [David Howell](#), a freelance consultant in the fields of training, Further Education, Higher Education and Christian youth work.

<http://www.cywt.org.uk/>

### **Christian Aid**

Produces resources for youth leaders

<http://learn.christianaid.org.uk/YouthLeaderResources/Default.aspx>

### **CIYD - Church of Ireland Youth Department**

Constituted by the General Synod to be responsible for the development and co-ordination of youth ministry within Ireland.

<http://www.ciyd.org/>

### **Connor Diocesan Youth Council**

Basic information on diocesan site.

<http://www.connordiocese.org.uk/index.cfm?id=19>

### **Cork, Cloyne & Ross - CDYC**

Diocesan youth site. Basic information  
mark@cdyc.ie

<http://www.cdyc.ie>

### **Corrymeela Youth Programme**

<http://www.corrymeela.org/sitepage/youth.aspx>

[www.churchnewsireland.org](http://www.churchnewsireland.org)

### **CPAS Podcasts**

CPAS - Church Pastoral Aid Society produces regular podcasts to inform, equip and inspire people at every level of church leadership. These podcasts are available free of charge to listen online, download and subscribe. There is one specific to youth ministry.

<http://www.cpas.org.uk/church-resources/downloads-podcasts-and-forums/audio>

### **CYM - Centre for Youth Ministry**

The Centre for Youth Ministry (CYM) is a specialist institution which provides training and resources for Children and Youth Ministry. CYM is one of the largest single providers of JNC accredited Youth & Community training in the UK - with training centres serving England, Wales and Ireland. In addition, CYM now offers degrees that specialise in Children & Family Work and Pioneer Ministry. With courses designed for volunteers through to experienced professionals CYM is committed to innovating in training to help meet the needs of those who innovate in practice.

<http://www.centreforyouthministry.ac.uk/>

### **Derry and Raphoe Youth - DRY**

Facebook facility

[office.derry@btconnect.com](mailto:office.derry@btconnect.com)

### **Down and Dromore Youth Council**

News, events and contacts

<http://www.ddyc.co.uk/>

### **Dublin & Glendalough - 3Rock Youth**

An initiative created by and for the united diocese to develop leaders, organise events, resources clergy and leaders... a one stop shop.

[info@3rock.net](mailto:info@3rock.net)

<http://www.3rock.net/>

### **EYCE**

The Ecumenical Youth Council in Europe (EYCE) has member organisations in 26 countries throughout Europe. Members include:

- national ecumenical youth councils
- denominational youth councils or bodies
- those representing Church youth in Europe

<http://www.eyce.org/>

### **EYN Ecumenical Youth Network**

This website is dedicated to the promotion of Ecumenism to all the youth around the world. It is fully supported by the World Council of Churches World Youth Led Development Programme. EYN promotes to breaking down divisions among youth, build youth solidarity networks, renew relationships between the church and youth, and help young people to be agents of justice.

Designed by the youth for the youth in an Ecumenical world.

<http://www.ecumenicalyouthnetwork.org/>

### **Iona Community Youth**

[http://www.iona.org.uk/youth\\_home.php](http://www.iona.org.uk/youth_home.php)

### **National Youth Agency, UK**

The National Youth Agency works in partnership with a wide range of public, private and voluntary sector organisations to support and improve services for young people. This is a portal site leading to many areas - jobs available, contacts, events.

[http:// www.nya.org.uk](http://www.nya.org.uk)

### **Ridley Hall, Cambridge - Centre for Youth Ministry**

Offers the chance to study at Ridley Hall for Honours Degrees in:

- Youth & Community Work and Practical Theology (JNC endorsed)
- Schools, Youth & Community Work and Practical Theology (JNC endorsed)
- Children & Family Work and Practical Theology

<http://www.ridley.cam.ac.uk/cym.html>

### **Sophia Network**

The Sophia Network exists to connect women in youth work and ministry to access training, develop skills and grow as leaders. The focus is in four areas: partnership, relationships, voice and training. Membership is free. The Sophia Network is for all female youth and children's workers, volunteer and employed, full time, part time or spare time. Women in church leadership or other forms of ministry are also welcome to join.

<http://blog.sophianetwork.org.uk/>

### **Taize Community**

Ecumenical community in France with excellent events for youth.

<http://www.taize.fr/>

### **Union Theological College, Belfast**

Union Theological College offers a Graduate Diploma in Youth Ministry (GDipYM) to existing students and to recent graduates who meet the requirements, including additional courses, as set out below. The College hopes to make this Diploma available on a wider basis in the near future particularly to Youth Pastors on an "in-service" basis.

<http://www.qub.ac.uk/directorates/degreeplus/DegreePlusAward/>

### **Youthwork**

Magazine providing ideas, resources and guidance for youth ministry

<http://www.youthwork-magazine.co.uk/main/>

### **Youthlink NI**

Youth Link: NI is the inter-church youth service for Northern Ireland. It was established by the Roman Catholic Church, the Church of Ireland, the Methodist Church in Ireland and the Presbyterian Church in Ireland in 1991. Youth Link exists to provide support and training for youth workers and community relations experiences for young people.

<http://www.youthlink.org.uk/>

## Youth Ministry web directory

Recommendations for addition to this list are welcome at:

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