# Relational Service Learning Experiences



## Are you missing your mission trip?

Join in the combined efforts of







#### THE NEED

In the midst of our worldwide pandemic, youth experience a variety of losses, added stress, anxiety, disappointment, and trauma. Allowing youth to have fun, meaningful, honest conversations, and pray with others can be helpful and healing.

#### **OVERVIEW**

We will train you and a select group of your youth and young adults via Zoom. The training will include caring people skills for which Peer Ministry Leadership is so well known, as well as basic Service Learning information and education. The goals of the training will be to equip and empower participants to lead mentoring style "*Intentional Conversations*" and to gain an expanded understanding of serving others using the concepts of Service Learning.

#### **IMAGINE**

Imagine your participants building welcoming, caring relationships with others in your church and community. Imagine youth and young adults having deeper faith and life conversations.

Imagine youth and young adults praying with others!

Imagine youth and young adults having an expanded and informed vision for service learning. Imagine youth and young adults who understand the relational concept of *accompaniment*.

#### **FEATURES**

- 30 minute orientation for adult leaders
- Four and half hours of training over 2 days
- Intentional Conversation resources
- Guidelines for matching up participants with your church's youth
- Service Learning concepts and education

#### INCLUDE HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS WHO...

- have caring hearts for others
- you know and trust
- are eager to listen, slow to speak, and quick to love!
- display some level of maturity and common sense

(note: This may not be the right fit for some.)

## **DETAILS**

#### DAY ONE

30 minute Zoom orientation for all adults

2 hour and 15 minute training for youth, based on Good Samaritan Skills of including, listening, questions.

#### DAY TW0

30 minute Zoom next steps for all adults

2 hour and 15 minute training on helping skills and Intentional Conversation practice

#### **FOLLOWING DAYS**

These are set up by you and your adult leaders, pairing your participants with youth in your congregation and community. You will communicate with parents and receive their permission.

You may want your young adults to have conversations with various high school youth while your participating high school youth have conversations with younger youth.

#### CHECK-IN AND REFLECTIONS

"The only time you learn anything is when you reflect back"

Schedule a time with your participants to reflect and encourage next steps.

## TRAINING DATES

#1 JUN 9th and 11th 10am - 12:15pm CST #2 JUN 22nd and 24th 10am - 12:15pm CST #3 JUL 7th and 9th 10am - 12:15pm CST #4 JUL 20th and 22nd 10am - 12:15pm CST #5 AUG 4th and 6th 10am - 12:15pm CST

Have a large church or community of churches? Contact us for customized training and dates!

#### COST

## In the "store" at www.peerministry.org

\$39 per person, ONE KEY LEADER FREE per group

A portion of every fee will go to a non-profit normally served by Service Learning Camps

\$117 non-refundable deposit includes first three participants' fees

Total due two days before training

Select your training dates when you register

#### REGISTRATION

In the "store" at www.peerministry.org

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