## **OUR MISSION**

YFC reaches young people everywhere, working together with the local church and other likeminded partners to raise up lifelong followers of Jesus who lead.



## **Ministry Sites**

**CITY LIFE** - Team members engage urban youth to help transform their lives, their families and their community for Christ. City Life offers Bible clubs, sports, mentoring, classes and more. Located on both the East and West sides of Columbus.

**CAMPUS LIFE** – Leaders build relationships with suburban middle and high school young people to introduce them to Jesus. Campus Life Clubs and small group Bible studies meet weekly in the Johnstown, Gahanna and Dublin communities.

**DEAF TEEN QUEST** – Staff and volunteers enter the world of Deaf and Hard of Hearing teens to build life-giving relationships with them. DTQ offers outreach clubs, Bible studies, and in-school mentoring.

**EQUIP SKILLS CENTER** - The Equip Skills Center helps young people learn relevant job and life skills. Instruction is technical, but the relational time with our volunteers yields invaluable lessons as well. Programs are on the North and West sides of Columbus.

**GRACEHAVEN** - Gracehaven cares for young survivors of sex-trafficking, and helps prevent others from ever falling victim. Gracehaven employs a comprehensive strategy that includes Residential Care, Prevention Education and Awareness, Community Case Management, and Community Collaboration.

**JUVENILE JUSTICE MINISTRY** – JJM chaplains come alongside incarcerated youth to help them find answers, guidance, hope and comfort through one on one spiritual counseling sessions and small interactive chapel services. JJM operates in five Central Ohio juvenile detention centers.

**PARENT LIFE** - Parent Life connects with expectant and parenting teens and their children through intentional relationships with caring adults. We empower teens to thrive in every aspect of life and to encourage them to further their education, move toward independent living and become life-long followers of Christ.







## **Ministry Leader Roles**

**CLUB & SMALL GROUP LEADER** – Serve on a Ministry Team by engaging in Christ-sharing relationships with middle and high school students. Work together to engage young people in lifelong relationships with Jesus through weekly Relational Ministry Actions such as Contacting, Club, Small Group Bible Studies, and Spiritual Mentoring.

**VOLUNTEER CHAPLAINS** - Meet weekly or biweekly with residents one on one to share Jesus and help provide support. There are also opportunities to lead chapels for residents.

**IN-SCHOOL MENTORING GROUP LEADER** – Volunteer with a Ministry Team in a local school to meet new students and lead small groups that focus on character growth.

**COACH/TUTOR/CLASS TEACHER** – Coach a sports team, help a young person with school work, or teach a class on Auto Repair, Screen Printing, Audio/Video Production, Pottery/Ceramics, Fitness or Cooking.

**HOUSE MOM** – Serve at the Gracehaven Group Home weekly, engaging the residents through serving food, providing activities, building relationships and having fun.

NOTE WRITER - Write notes of encouragement for teens who are serving a sentence in detention.

## **Ministry Support Roles**

**MAINTENANCE/LANDSCAPING** - Lawnmowing and general maintenance.

**GROCERIES** - Pick up and deliver groceries.

**PRAYER WARRIOR** – Receive regular updates & prayer requests from YFC Staff, participate in prayer meetings.

MEAL PROVIDER - Provide a meal once a month for 15-50 people at a Club, Bible Study or Class.

