

Ministry Team: Family Life
Committee: Youth
Chairperson: Lori Nikoloff
Members: Varies depending on activity

Programs initiated/continued: Youth Sunday, Lock-ins, Souper Bowl of Caring, ELCA Youth Gathering, Winterfest, various service and social activities, Work camp, serving meals at Crispus Attucks Center, Susquehanna University Lutheran Youth Day

Goals and outcomes of this committee over the past year: We initiated the new service project of Crispus Attucks and a Senior High Winterfest (LSS sponsored weekend) event. We helped take part in Family Weekend and Youth Sunday events with a breakfast on Sunday morning. We redecorated the Youth room. We have tried to incorporate more activities to interest many different ages and tried to convince some of the more inactive members to participate.

Direction, initiatives, and issues for the upcoming year: We are getting ready for the ELCA Youth Gathering in New Orleans in July 2009. We will again try to initiate new and keep some of the old favorite activities occurring yearly to keep our youth active. We would also like to initiate more youth involvement on Sunday mornings other than just Youth Sunday.

Anticipated resources that will be required to achieve those items noted above:
Funds and volunteers