

### Let's Pray

Please hold in your prayers:

Leaders link up days, for children and youth leaders

Federation Assembly for children and young people in May

Our representatives to ICF Conference for Youth in July

Our youth representative to CWM National Assembly in June



### Resources

We are looking to put together a Sunday School Resources Box, which could include information about:

Teach and learn  
Roots  
Scripture Union  
Bible Society  
Postal Bible School  
Engage Worship  
Messy Church



If you could add anything to the list, or recommend any resources, please let us know.

### From Sara Isles, Church Development Worker, Wales:

The Pray for Schools website contains really useful information for churches looking to support schools, including:

- Love Our Schools (Feb)
- Pray for Schools Fortnight (May)
- Education Sunday (Sept)
- Back to School with God (Sept)
- Pray Day for Schools (Nov)

<https://www.prayforschools.org/>

### From Annette Dickinson, Youth and Children Development Enabler

"I agreed to visit and take part in Nefyn camps with a view to encourage young people to attend a Christian camp that was Bible-based and also small enough to not overwhelm individual children who may attend from our churches. I saw first-hand, that Nefyn camps fulfil both criteria and much more!"

For dates and information about 2020 camps go to <https://www.urbansaints.org/what-we-do/camps>

"Lent is a season when many of us give something up, and our children might too. How can we talk about fasting so that it helps them understand how it all fits with God?"

<https://parentingforfaith.org/post/whats-and-whys-lent>

### Milton Mount Foundation

The Foundation is primarily to assist with the cost of education of children of ministers of the United Reformed Church, the Congregational Federation, the Evangelical Fellowship of Congregational Churches and the Unaffiliated Congregational Churches, and secondly to assist with the cost of

education of female children of members of these churches.

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

### Children and Youth Leaders Link Up Days

29th Feb Greenacres  
7th March Highbury  
14th March Bellshill

For more information: [www.congregational.org.uk/cyp/children-and-youth-leaders-link-up-days](http://www.congregational.org.uk/cyp/children-and-youth-leaders-link-up-days)

Please let us know if you are coming by emailing [yvonne.campbell@congregational.org.uk](mailto:yvonne.campbell@congregational.org.uk)

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Generation after generation stands in awe of your work; each one tells stories of your mighty acts. Psalm 145:4 (The Message)

### From Suzanne Nockels, President Elect:

'Reached out through a Facebook group to see if any U.S. Congregational Churches would be interested if our children wrote to them. The idea is that their letters could travel across the ocean like the Mayflower. Quite overwhelmed with the positive response. If any other children from CF churches would like to write letters I could include them in a bundle.' Their letters could include a description of their church, something about their favourite things, and what they have learnt about pilgrims.'

Letters should be sent to 31 Burrowlee Rd, Sheffield S6 2AT, UK, within the next 6 weeks. Suzanne will then collect them all together and send them over as a bundle.

