

**TOGETHER  
WE CAN MAKE A  
DIFFERENCE!**



The Fruit of Silence . . .  
is prayer.  
The Fruit of Prayer . . .  
is faith.  
The Fruit of Faith . . .  
is love.  
The Fruit of Love . . .  
is service.  
-Mother Teresa

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## VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are the heart of CYM. Many dedicated volunteers are spending countless hours and resources in service and outreach. If you want to learn more about volunteering, please call the CYM office at 638-6585.

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## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

CYM is a non-profit organization that exists through contributions from individuals, businesses, churches and community agencies.



## COMMUNITY YOUTH MINISTRIES



CYM is a non-profit, community-based organization that exists to serve the social and spiritual needs of area youth by supplementing the work of our schools, community agencies, and churches.

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## NEIGHBORHOOD PROGRAMS

### Getting Kids Excited About God

**Kids' Clubs** meet after school to provide place for children, ages 4-12, to interact, play, and learn about God in a safe, loving environment.

**Kids' Choirs** meet weekly for practice, snacks, and Bible stories. They perform at schools, retirement centers, churches and special community events. Kids Choirs are held in 8-week sessions in the Fall & Spring ~ a school-year highlight for the children that attend!



## FAMILY LIFE EDUCATION

### Educating Kids About Decision-Making

CYM provides abstinence-based family life education for all students, grades 5-8th, in the Kings Canyon Unified School District.. The Children & youth are taught how to make good, healthy decisions now and in the future.



## TEEN MOMS PROGRAM

### Providing Community for Teen Moms

- Mentoring relationships between teen moms and women from local churches
- Weekly meetings that develop & strengthen skills and resources of young moms.
- Mothers' Day Weekend Retreat – a special life-changing time away from daily pressures.
- Other support and resources, as needed.

## FRESH START PROGRAMS

### Working with Young Parents to Make Dreams Become a Reality

- **The Learning Center (TLC):** A cooperative daycare that enables teen parents to pursue educational & vocational goals while their children are receiving quality childcare.
- **Fresh Start Café:** A local café that trains young parents to work in a restaurant setting, while they earn enough income to provide for their children while pursuing educational goals. The café also highlights the strengths and talents of the youth in our community through art shows and displays throughout the year.

## AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM

### Igniting the Light in Local Youth

The After-School Program seeks to “ignite the light within” each individual student through providing quality academic and enrichment activities. These programs run throughout the school year, until 6pm, at the following schools:

- Alta Elementary School, Reedley
- Grant Middle School, Reedley
- Great Western Elementary, Reedley
- Jefferson Elementary School, Reedley
- McCord Elementary, Orange Cove
- Navelencia Middle School, Reedley

