



# Christian Endeavor Resource Sheet

## 10 Steps to a Focused Youth Ministry Calendar

### COLLECT THESE THINGS

- **Vision Elements: Purpose, Philosophy/Model, People, Resources -**  
What is God's vision for the churches of the area where you are located, what is the specific plan He has given your church and your youth ministry?
- **Current Calendars -** What are the important calendar dates of this church, community and your family?
- **Youth Directory -** Provide an annual up to date directory for at least yourself and the adult team, at most for every student
- **Expected Vision Fueling Events**
  - Core T.E.A.M. Meetings, adult & youth
  - Annual vision retreat
  - Camps/conferences/retreats
  - Service or mission events
  - Intentional Church-wide or denominational events
  - Intentional interdenominational events
  - Funding events
  - Purposeful traditions
  - Adult staff and youth trainings
- **Strategic Ideas**

Special points of interest:

You can STEP your way to a focused calendar by following this information

### CREATE THESE THINGS

- ◆ **Develop "Ideal" Calendar - Cal 1.0**
- ◆ **Adult Staffing Needs and Youth Tasks List**
- ◆ **Congregation Assistance List**
- ◆ **Budget to Support Direction of the Ministry**
  - Pray
  - Connect budget to Purpose & Calendar
  - Know who designates the funds
  - Draft a specific budget available upon request
  - Understand all church fundraising/financial policies
  - Handle no money, except limited petty cash
- ◆ **Develop Finalized Calendar - Cal 2.0**

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