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Northeastern Iowa Synod Youth Ministry

Dear Friend,

Here is the most recent report from the ELCA Youth Gathering: Jesus Justice Jazz

Contributions:

- Lutheran youth raise \$154,488 at ELCA Youth Gathering to help end hunger
- 1,023 units of blood
- 102,500 books
- 300 donations of hair for chemotherapy patients
- Every K-3 student in New Orleans will receive a school kit
- Youth worked with:
 - 16 churches
 - 79 schools
 - 11 organizations building homes
 - 37 parks & playgrounds
 - 21 community centers
 - 2 major public events
 - 5 reading fairs

Servant Life involved:

- Youth and adults contributed over 200,000 volunteer service hours
- 360 young adult volunteers a day
- 12,000 Gathering servants a day

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Upcoming Events

2009

Aug 29-30
LYO Board Retreat

Sept 3,
Synod Youth Ministry
Network
St. John, CF

- 300 buses a day

Keep in Touch,
Pastor Mark

Passing on Vibrant Faith

Right here, in our Synod, just a few miles from you, for a tiny cost is the "Passing on Vibrant Faith" event September 18-19. Don't let your congregation get left out!

Concert

All ages, from All congregations and communities are welcome to

attend the Jesus Justice Jazz Concert at Wartburg College September 12. For tickets please go to: <http://www.neiasynod.org/youth/JJJ%20Tour.htm>.



The Middle School Lock-In Date Has Been Changed!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Due to conditions, situations, communications, schedules and cataclysmic events beyond our control and the cause of our enormous frustration the date of the LSC-LYO Middle School Lock-In must be changed to **October 23-24, 2009.**

Registration Materials will be mailed soon.

Sept 12

JJJ -The Tour

[Wartburg College](#)

Sept 18-19

[Passing on Vibrant Faith](#)

[St. Peter](#) Dubuque

Oct 1

Synod Youth Ministry Network First, Cresco

Oct 4-6

Youth Leader Spiritual Retreat

[Riverside LBC](#)

October 11

Jesus Justice Jazz tour at [Luther College](#)

October 11

Safeguarding Training at New Hope in [Farley](#) & St. Paul in [Hampton](#)

November 14-15

Church Youth Fest, Luther College

October 23-24, Jr. High Lock-in at UNI

2010

Feb 4-8

[Extravaganza](#)
Charlotte, NC

March 7



Safeguarding Training at St. Paul in
Monona and Our Savior in Osage

March 13-14 [LYO Assembly](#)

LYO Board Retreat

The 2009-2010 LYO Board will hold their first meeting August 29-30. If you want to see the agenda email Pr. Anderson at

andersonm@neiasynod.org.

LYO Web site: www.neiasynod.org/youth

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