

Sample Questions for Evaluating Your Youth Ministry

1. What are some of the strengths of our youth ministry programming?
2. What are some of the apparent weaknesses of our youth ministry programming?
3. For the coming year, what should we try to do more of, or concentrate on, in order to strengthen our programming?
4. For the coming year, what specific changes should we make in this ministry?
5. How effective is our youth ministry in addressing the needs and interests of youth?
Ineffective 1 2 3 4 5 Very Effective
Suggestions for Improvement:
6. How effective is our youth ministry in addressing the needs and interests of the parents and the families of adolescents, and involving them in our ministry?
Ineffective 1 2 3 4 5 Very Effective
Suggestions for Improvement:
7. How effective is our youth ministry in involving young people in the life and ministries of the parish community?
Ineffective 1 2 3 4 5 Very Effective
Suggestions for Improvement:
8. How effective is our parish community in welcoming young people and incorporating them into our community life and leadership roles?
Ineffective 1 2 3 4 5 Very Effective
Suggestions for Improvement:
9. What signs do you observe among our youth, or within our wider faith community, that indicate our youth ministry is having a positive effect?
10. Please give us one or two ideas on how we could improve our efforts.