# EDLYA Presents Our: Youth & Young Adults Joint Retreat

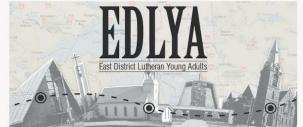
Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church Kitchener, ON May 3-5, 2019 Grade 8- Age 35 welcome!

Come spend time with other Lutherans your age and get to know the East District Lutheran Young Adults!



More on the next page! Register and find more information at EDLYA.CA

# Pricing, Arrival, and Other General Information



This spring the East District Lutheran Young Adults are hosting a retreat and are welcoming all young adults, new or regulars, as well as youth to share in the retreat with us.

EDLYA is a collection of Lutheran young adults from around the East District who gather 4 times a year at various churches also around the East District to support each other in the faith, to gather in fellowship, and to share in games, music, and worship.

We want the youth to know that once youth ends there is a place for them with us. Our normal retreat age is 18-35, with an exception during our joint retreats. This retreat will have programming for young adults as well as youth.

## Young Adults:

Arrival: Young Adult Arrival is 7:00 pm on Friday Pricing: Our pricing for this retreat is the same as all retreats and options are listed on the website. Please note, pricing is \$10 more after April 18th. Registration: Registration for young adults is done solely on the website (edlya.ca)

### Youth:

Arrival: Arrival time for youth is 8:00 pm on Friday Pricing: Cost for youth will be \$40/individual if registered before April 18, after will be \$45. Leader cost is \$25.

Registration: Registration packages are emailed to congregations in addition to being found on our website (edlya.ca)

### All:

If money is an issue and for all other questions, please email edlya101@gmail.com The retreat topic will be announced on our website closer to the date. Departure is 1:30 pm on Sunday. Any checks are payable to "East District Lutheran

Young Adults".

Hope to see you there!



# 7 + 1 Leader Package EDLYA & Youth Joint Retreat

Friday May 3 – Sunday May 5, 2019 Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Kitchener, Ontario

Group Requirements:

All youth under 18 years of age must be accompanied by a leader. 1 leader is responsible for up to 7 youth, additional youth will require an additional leader. The leader must be at least 21 years of age, of sound mind and maturity and must accompany youth for the entire weekend. This person is required to have completed a police check and must submit it to their home congregation or to the Synod office BEFORE coming to the retreat on Friday, May 3, 2019. For more information, please contact EDLYA at <u>edlya101@gmail.com</u>.

7+1 Leader's Responsibilities:

The 7+1 leaders are responsible for the well-being of their youth at ALL TIMES, and therefore are responsible for knowing:

- Where their youth are at all times (within reason)
- Whether their youth are in their assigned rooms at lights out
- What their youth are planning to do during free time
- Of any medical needs of their youth and whether medication (prescription drugs) are being properly administered. In all but very exceptional cases prescription medications will be held and administered by the leader.

Things you as a leader should do before the retreat:

- Read and study your Bible, pray daily, go to worship services regularly
- Speak with your Pastor if you have any questions or concerns. There will also be a Pastor at the retreat, should you need to connect with one

Retreat Participant Guidelines

- Get to know your fellow leaders and youth (if you don't already)
- Work on having a good relationship with them before arriving at the retreat
- Communication is key. Talk openly about issues, rules and expectations for the retreat
- Participate during sessions and encourage your group!
- Participate in singing at the retreat

Group registration forms need to be emailed to <u>edlya101@gmail.com</u> by Thursday April 18, 2019. Contact the same email if you would like to attend but the registration time has passed. Leaders will bring completed permission/medical emergency forms and media release with them to the retreat.

Blessings as you serve our Lord and our youth and young adults at this upcoming retreat! Thank you for serving!

What to bring to the retreat:

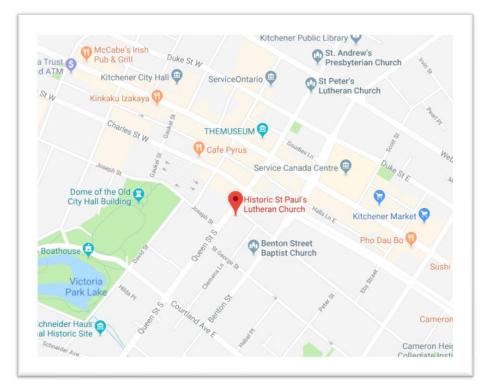
- Proper clothing and footwear for fast-paced activities
- Washcloth and personal toiletries
- Sleeping bag, pillow and padding/air mattress (as we will be sleeping in the church on both Friday and Saturday night)
- Bible
- Serving attitude for the weekend

What <u>not</u> to bring to the retreat:

- Poor attitude for the weekend
- Please DO NOT bring anything of value that can be lost.
- Youth may bring cell phones or electronic devices, but understand it is at their own risk of being lost or stolen. Youth may not have devices during group activities or during lights out. They will not be given access to WIFI.

Arrival and Departure 8:00pm, Friday May 3, 2019 1:00pm, Sunday May 5, 2019

Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church 137 Queen Street South Kitchener, ON N2G 1W2



Parking on site!

#### PLEASE SUBMIT ELECTRONICALLY FOR REGISTRATION

**Group Registration Form – EDLYA & Youth Joint Retreat** 

May 3-5, 2019

Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Kitchener, Ontario

Congregation:	Address:	
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Church Phone:	Email:	

**Group Leader:** (7+1 Group) \*This person must have a completed police check\*

There needs to be one leader for every seven youth. The leader/chaperone needs to be 21 years of age or older.

Name:			
Street Address:			
City:	Province:	Postal Code:	
Phone:	Email:		

I have completed a police check and submitted it to my home congregation or the Synod Office. Yes [ ] No [ ]

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Full payment is required upon arrival on Friday May 3, 2019. <u>Cost</u> is \$40.00 for each youth attending and \$25.00 for each leader. If money is an issue for an attendee, contact edlya101@gmail.com. To submit your registration forms or to ask any questions about the retreat, please email edlya101@gmail.com. <u>Registration deadline is Thursday April 18, 2019.</u> Registration can be submitted after the deadline, but the cost will go up \$5 per attendee. Make cheques payable to East District Lutheran Young Adults.

Please fill out one of these forms for every 7+1 group.

Name	Male or Female & Age	Serious Food Allergies
Leader:		
1.		
2.		
3.		
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6.		
7.		

**Food Allergies:** We will accommodate most special diets. Attendees who have severe diet restrictions (i.e. celiac or severe nut allergy) are recommended to bring their own food and alternative pricing will be arranged for the retreat. Please mark 'bringing food' in this case.

#### PLEASE PRINT SUBMISSION UPON ARRIVAL

#### Youth Registration Form – EDLYA & Youth Joint Retreat

#### Permissions and Medical/Emergency Form

#### May 3-5, 2019

#### Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church Kitchener, ON

Name:	Birth Date:
Address:	Home Phone:
City:	Postal Code:
Home Congregation:	

Give this form to your 7+1 leader so that they can complete the group registration form. Cost: \$40.00 Registration Deadline: Thursday April 18, 2019 Cost after Deadline: \$45.00 Make cheques payable to East District Lutheran Young Adults

#### **Emergency Contacts & Health Information**

Emergency Contact:	Relationship:	
Home Phone:	Other Phone:	
Health Card Number:	(please brir	ng card)
Doctor:	Phone Number:	
Allergies: (medical, food, environmental, i.e. Bee stings)		
Usual treatment for allergies: (ie. Inhalers, Epi	pen)	
Medications taken regularly/presently:		
Any restrictions on activities or diet:		

#### **Permissions/Liability Waiver**

Please read carefully before signing.

I give permission for my son/daughter to attend the EDLYA & Youth Joint Retreat at Historic St. Paul's Lutheran Church, May 3-5, 2019. In case of a medical emergency, I give permission to secure proper medical treatment for my child.

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date:

#### Media Release

We will be taking pictures during this event. We may use still pictures and video in promotion as well as send some of these to *The Canadian Lutheran* to describe what events took place. While my child is attending the retreat, I grant my permission to use photos and or video clips for promotion of this and other LCC youth and young adult events. I understand that no photos will be sold.

Parent/Guardian	
Signature:	Date: