

## YAYAM April Newsletter

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**This is your place to stay up to date on YAYAM happenings around the nation!**

## PROVIDENTIAL SPOTLIGHT



### A Message from True Mother

True Mother is thinking about you! In a call with the international leaders recently, Mother said she is offering many prayers and jeongseong for our family members and the world. She asks us to take this time as an opportunity to continue sharing about Heavenly Parents and True Parents and to reach out to brothers and sisters around the world. She said we are chosen by Heaven and to have confidence in that.

## LAST MONTH'S SUB REGIONAL HIGHLIGHTS



## Sub Region 1: Northeast

Sub Region 1's youth group didn't miss a beat - need to stay home? No problem! Each one of our youth groups, NY's Up and Coming, NJ's GO and MA's Anchored all had online youth groups, where they had a short message from their youth pastors and then filled their time with online games to bring the joy back together. The young adult groups in NYC and NJ quickly followed suit. It is good to see everyone staying connected and supporting each other in this time. We can keep the sense of community and continue in growing our life of faith.

## Sub Region 2: Southeast

Youth groups in Maryland and Virginia are practicing physical distancing but staying socially and spiritually connected through virtual meet-ups on Mondays and Fridays. Youth leaders guide participants through check-ins, share positive messages, and use games to liven things up. Speaking on having the right mindset during this time and practicing gratitude, the following words were shared during the Virginia call: "Be grateful that certain things didn't work out. Sometimes you don't even know what you're being protected from or where you're being guided to in the midst of chaos. That's why you just have to trust that greater things are aligning for you" (Idil Ahmed).

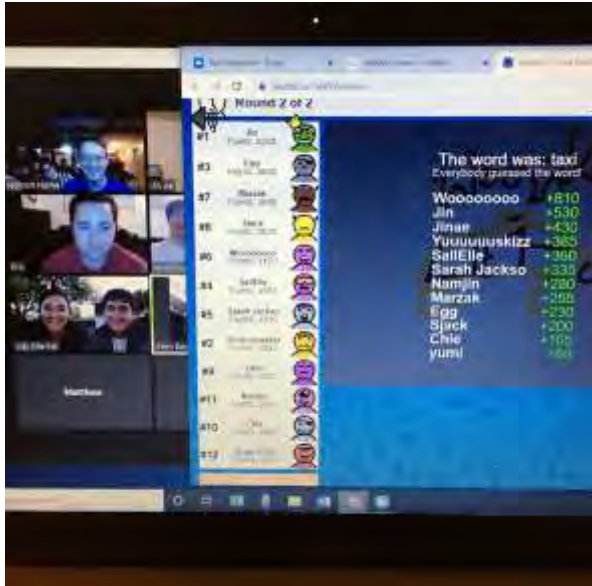


## Sub Region 3: Midwest

Like many other communities, the Minnesota Youth Group moved forward (safely and cautiously) online via Zoom! With the theme of "Feeling Excited & Confident with My Unique Potential," they discussed their strengths, re-connected as a whole, and lastly played the popular skribbl.io & Kahoot!

## Sub Region 4: Southwest

Dallas YAM hosted a Zoom call and opened it up to our Oklahoma and Arkansas brothers and sisters, too. It was a fun, casual hangout - they played a couple rounds of Skribbl, an online drawing guessing game, and then split into smaller groups and shared highs/lows and how they have been doing.



## Sub Region 5: West

Los Angeles Junction met through Zoom! They played Kahoot and had a group activity with prizes. After, there was guidance about thriving in our current situations, followed by group discussion. The winners of the group activity were sent a treat using delivery services.

# NATIONAL YAYAM CORNER

## YAYAM Team

The YAYAM Team officially launched [YAYAM Online](https://yayamfamilyfed.org/online)! We worked quickly and effectively to put together a platform of all the weekly online activities so that not only can we stay connected as a youth and young adult community across the nation, but so we can continue growing our life of faith proactively as we stay home. It's continually expanding and developing, so please check the YAYAM Online website frequently to see the most up-to-date happenings around the country, available to anyone and everyone! We are sending love and prayers to everyone's safety and health during this time!

[Learn More About YAYAM](https://yayamfamilyfed.org/online)





## Children's Ministry

Leena made her final community visit (due to COVID-19). She was able to visit the Family Church of South Florida the first weekend of March and meet with Pastor Joe Young and his wife Keishu. Leena created a plan together with the pastors during the weekend together choosing color schemes, themes, furniture and more! She also spoke at Sunday Service on the value of Children's Ministry. New volunteers stood up and the local vision for children's ministry came to life. Furthermore, National Sunday School launched a 5-week "[God's Explorers](#)" Sunday School experience! Make sure to check out the fun and interactive program, which is designed for families to use in their homes.

[Learn More About Children's Ministry](#)

## Youth Ministry

As COVID-19 strikes the world, we strike back with Online Youth Groups! You are not alone! Join any one of the many youth ministries across the nation, and look out for upcoming subregional gatherings! Make new friends and learn from each other as we come together in this challenging time.

[Learn More About Youth Ministry](#)



## Campus Ministry

With schools closed, CARP Chapters have made the full transition online (check out [CARP Online](#)). Chapters around the country are hosting meetings, evening programs, and workshops through Zoom. CARP Las Vegas hosted a full workshop and were joined by CARP Bay Area and CARP Arizona. CARP Bay Area is hosting weekly Zoomnites and Board Game Nights to stay connected and continue to share Principle. More is coming. Stay tuned!

[Learn More About CARP](#)

## Generation Peace Academy

In the beginning of COVID-19 spreading across the US, GPA arrived at our safe haven, Morgans Ranch. While the world was locking down and in a state of confusion, we spent our 14-day quarantine diving deep into DP with Rev. Jackson, life of faith, and providence. At home, we are continuing life of faith and 2nd / 3rd year training, with a mission to share the blessings GPA had received with their families and communities.

[Learn More about GPA](#)



## Young Tribe

The YCLC Prayer Call that meets at 10 p.m. EST every night has been a powerful, holy spirit filled experience! Ministers and young people from around the nation have joined together to pray for healing and unity. Find the link on [YAYAM Online](#)! Additionally, around the nation youth and young adults have been physically distancing themselves but spiritually investing into others by introducing them to the HJ Promise and Divine Principle.

[Learn More About Young Tribe](#)

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## HAPPENINGS

### Weekly YAYAM Events

Check out [YAYAM Online](#) for the latest happenings. Below, you'll find a weekly calendar of what is going on right now (which is being continuously updated!).

# WEEK AT A GLANCE

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**ONLINE**

## DAILY ACTIVITIES

YCLC Prayer Call  
Godible  
YSP Service Challenge  
CIG Gaming  
40-Day DP Education

## SUNDAY

National Family Service  
Sunday School @Home  
NOVA High School  
Sunday School

## MONDAY

Youth Group (MD)  
Empower Hour

## TUESDAY

ZoomFitness  
NCARP Call  
TribeNet

## WEDNESDAY

YUM-E (Young Adults)  
Midwest CARP Talk  
Youth HDH Call  
National Prayer Call  
CARP LA War Room

## THURSDAY

ZoomFitness  
CARP LV Tribe Talk  
Realms of True Love  
Connect Groups

## FRIDAY

Cheon Il Guk Gaming  
Night  
YAM Movie Night

## SATURDAY

Rise & Shine Yoga (YAM)  
ZoomFitness  
Youth Groups (NY, LA, NJ)  
Young Adult Game Night  
CARP DP Napkin Lecture  
Training



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