



EVERGREEN MINISTRY COLLEGE

YOUTH MINISTRY

Youth Ministry exists to raise up future youth pastors and youth leaders to impact the next generation. The youth department is here to help students grow and learn, through knowledge and practical experience, how to better reach students.

DEVELOPMENT THEMES

SEMESTER 1: Why Youth Ministry?

Find out what is at the heart of reaching and discipling Generation Z.

SEMESTER 2: Preaching and Effective Communication

Learn, and begin developing, your own preaching style.

SEMESTER 3: Student/Family Discipleship

Gain skills in helping families disciple students and also learn basic skills in counseling students.

SEMESTER 4: Organizing & Structuring Youth Ministry

Plan a two year calendar of youth ministry and develop strategies for preaching series, small groups, events, and recruiting and training leaders.

CAPSTONE PROJECT

Put together a ministry template of how you will run your ideal student ministry upon graduation.



TYLER THORNTON

Tyler Thornton is the Youth Pastor at Evergreen Christian Community. Tyler grew up in Arizona and married his high school sweetheart, Vallerie. He graduated from Olivet Nazarene University and has been a youth pastor in the Olympia area since 2019. Tyler's goal in life is to show people who the person of Jesus is. He loves working with the youth team at Evergreen to make that happen for the next generation. He is also a 49ers fan living in Seahawks country!